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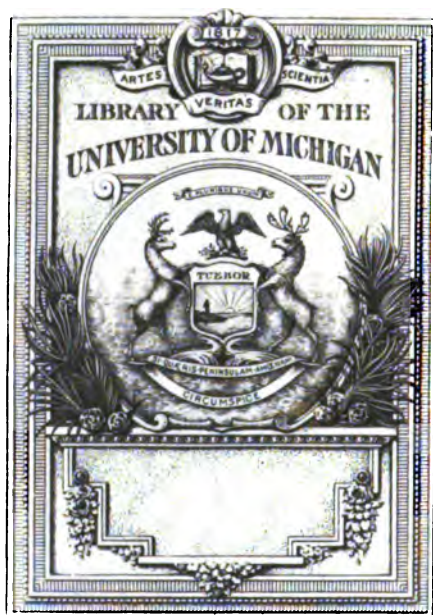
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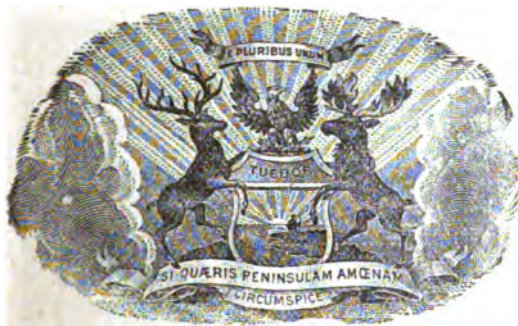
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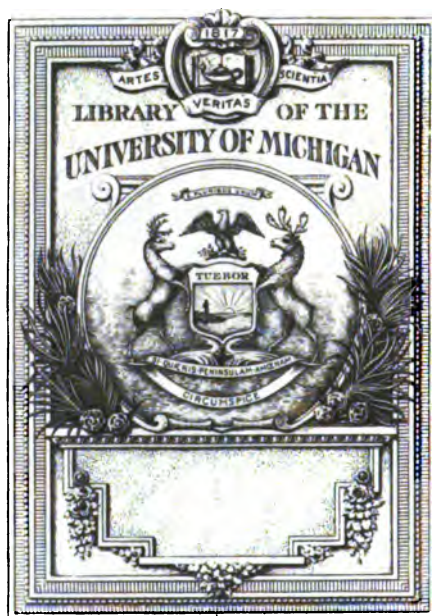
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The entire expense fund of this association is provided for by the annual dues and ten per cent of each assessment collected. This ten per cent is only to be taken when necessity requires it. There is also a small amount of money that comes in from the membership fees. In the year 1886, the whole amount of the expense fund received in the office was \$716.50. The secretary of this association receives for his services \$30 per month, and no other officer is paid for services except that the medical director is paid a fee for examining each application.

The amount of money received from assessments, less ten per cent for expenses, constitutes the mortuary fund. The beneficiary of a loss is paid the per cent which his certificate calls for of the assessment made to cover his loss, less the cost of the postage in making the assessment, and the remainder is put into a surplus fund for the benefit of the members, to be used and disposed of by them at their annual meeting.

The number of assessments that can be made is not limited, but in the experience of the company they have averaged to pay two death losses from one assessment.

THE UNION MUTUAL ASSOCIATION.

A synopsis of the testimony given before your committee by Mr. Chas. E. Foote, who has been the secretary of this association since its organization in September, 1879, will very clearly illustrate the plan and methods of this company, and also their views of the essentials requisite in a successful co-operative insurance association. In substance he said: The object of this association is to furnish insurance, upon the assessment plan, on the lives of those who may become its members, in any amount not exceeding \$5,000, to be paid to such beneficiaries as the members shall direct in their applications, who may have a legitimate insurable interest in their lives. Our certificates are issued upon lives between the ages of 17 and 60. Originally our company wrote up to 65 years inclusive, but in 1880 or 1881, by resolution of the board of trustees the age was reduced to 60.

The principal reason that led us to reduce the age was that we believed that we were carrying more risk than was best to do at those ages. When a man is 60 he soon becomes 70, and then the risk is altogether too excessive for us to carry. I do not think it is prudent for a company to take new insurance beyond the age of 60 years. I think, as a rule, beyond the age of 65 at most, there is but a small insurable interest in any life.

That is to say, beyond the age of 65 years, as a rule, a life becomes non-productive. An insurance company is supposed to write upon something that has money value in itself, and comparatively few men beyond the age of 65 years are producers. A life insurance company, I think, has nothing to do with the affection a man may have for his family or his family for him. The idea of insurance is to reimburse the beneficiaries for some money loss in case of the death of the insured. I believe that the beneficiaries must have a pecuniary interest in the continuance of the lives insured. When you go outside of that you open the door to all sorts of fraud and make a temptation to crime.

I do not know of any better term for an insurance that did not contain that principle than that it is gambling in human life. Such a policy would be a wager policy, and against public policy. I think a preponderance of contracts written on lives beyond the age of 65 would be in the nature of wager policies.

In order to determine the insurable interest we require the relationship of

the applicant to the beneficiary to be given in our applications. We issue policies payable only to the husband or wife or children of the insured, and we have no policies issued outside of those. We have never issued any policy payable to a creditor, neither have we accepted assignments of policies to creditors.

Wherever an assignment has been made and it has come to our knowledge, we have notified the parties that such an assignment was made at their own risk and that we should not agree to pay under the assignment. There seems to be a difference of opinion among attorneys as to the validity of an assignment, whether companies have a right to accept assignments of policies or not, and we think it safer for us to take the benefit of the doubt and refuse all assignments.

Whenever the amount of our mortuary fund is reduced below five thousand dollars by the payment of losses we are required to make an assessment among our members.

The assessments are made upon each member for a sum based upon the American experience tables of mortality, and the amount of each assessment depends upon the age of the party at the time he was insured, and the amount of insurance that he has. The assessments remain the same during the continuance of the contract. The present average age of our members on January 1st was forty-three years. The average age of our members has increased nearly three years in eight years. I think that the time comes when the average age of a membership of a company will not increase, assuming that the company transacts a fair amount of business; that the incoming members will counter-balance the increasing age of the older members, taking that together with the outgoing policy holders, those whose policies terminate by death or lapse, I think that by issuing policies not exceeding 60 years that we can preserve an average never exceeding 47 years. With any new company the average age will increase for the reason that the deaths and lapses in a new company are much less than they will be in a few years. After a policy has become three or four years old I think that the lapsing is perhaps more among the younger members than the old, and in cases of emergency I think the stronger lives would be the ones that would lapse. I have contemplated submitting to our board of trustees and getting them to submit to our members the plan of accumulating a reserve or emergency fund upon something of this basis: That a certain percentage of the assessments made, say 20 per cent of the amount, should be set aside, and there should be charged out of this reserve the increasing cost of insurance to each member as his age increased. That should be set aside to the credit of each policy, and as the policy holder advanced in years the increasing cost to be charged out from his individual reserve. That would be something of the plan of the Old Line companies, but by no means so large a reserve. I think a reserve may not be absolutely necessary to the permanent security of an assessment company; at the same time I think it is advisable and by all means the safer course to pursue. The fact of the possession of a reserve which could be drawn upon to pay current losses in case of unusual mortality would tend to prevent a stampede of members, and I think that is one of the objects of a reserve.

On December 31st last, we had 2557 policies in force. The number of individual members would be probably fifty less than that.

We require each applicant to sign an application, on which he gives his own history and his own physical condition and his family history, and we require

him to submit to an examination by a medical examiner who is a graduate of some regular medical college, and a man who is in active practice, and he must also subscribe to the statement to the examiner in that application. Each applicant is required to sign the application in three different places, and we require the medical examiner to identify the applicant as the one who made the application to the agent. Our medical examination is a physical examination. Our medical examiners are appointed by the medical director subject to the approval of the board of trustees. Each examiner must furnish to us, on a blank prepared by the company, a statement as to his own qualifications, the length of time he has been in practice, the college from which he graduated, and also must furnish us medical reference, and where necessary we write to those medical references, and ascertain as far as possible his ability and his reliability. We do not allow any agent to select his own examiners in any case, but require the examination to be made by the examiner appointed by the medical director, except there may be occasionally an exceptional case, and then we require an explanation from the agent as to why he sent in an application which was examined by some one not appointed by the association. We endeavor to use the utmost care in the selection of our members, and I think in the main we are successful. I do not see how a company can be successfully conducted unless they require a thorough physical examination of each applicant by a medical man who is thoroughly competent, and not only thoroughly competent, but a man who will give the company the benefit of a doubt. When applications come into our office, if there is no other objection than a physical objection, they are placed before our medical director for examination, and if he withholds his approval no certificate is issued. After a certificate is issued it is entered up on our membership register, which gives all the particulars in relation to it, and upon this record we make our assessments. In the eight years we have been in business we have only collected twenty-four assessments, and for the past five years we have made assessments quarterly at regular times, four assessments a year.

Where we have a sufficient number of members in any locality we appoint some man there as a collector, and notices are sent to the members giving them a list of losses that have occurred since the previous assessment. These notices contain the name of the member who died, the date and cause of death, the name of the beneficiary and the amount of the insurance.

On the same notice is also given a statement of our mortality fund, showing the entire amount of money received up to the date of the last assessment, and also the amount received since our last assessment up to the date of the one then going out, and also all money that has been paid out from the mortality fund up to the previous assessment, and also the losses, each loss on which any money has been paid since the previous assessment—showing in detail the receipts and disbursements of the mortuary fund up to the time of making the assessment. After these notices are sent out we send to these collectors the receipts and notify the members to pay him or remit to this office as may best suit their purpose, and the collector at the end of the forty days—there is that much grace given in the payment of assessments—is required to make a report to us upon blanks furnished by us of all collections made and return to us the unpaid receipts. We usually pay our collectors five per cent. After the assessment is received in the office it is entered upon our cash book and the amount paid by each member is credited to his individual account which we term the assessment and due register. We keep a cash account with each mem-

ber, and also with our collectors. The amount is then divided into its appropriate funds.

In case of a life policy, 20 per cent. of each assessment is put into the contingent fund, 80 per cent. goes into the mortality fund and used only in payment of death losses. In cases of an accumulating life policy, 20 per cent. of the assessment is put into the contingent fund, and 20 per cent. of the remainder or 16 per cent. of the gross assessment is put into the deposit fund and the remainder into the mortuary fund. Of the deposit fund, that amount is used for the purpose of payment of assessment upon policies that have been in force ten years. Those policies are written upon a specific form and accumulate a reserve to themselves for the purpose of continuing the assessments after the ten years.

Then after paying commissions to agents as allowed by the contract with the trustees, the remainder is paid over to the treasurer. We furnish the treasurer a statement of the amount received whenever a payment is made, and on the second Tuesday of each month the treasurer must make his report to the finance committee.

The finance committee at that time go into the office and examine the books and make their report from them. So that at that time the finance committee goes to the office of the association and examines the books and the reports of agents, go through the files and check the contract and ascertain the total amounts paid by the agents, comparing that with the cash book and then comparing it with treasurer's account or his report. All of these items are checked through and footed. We keep a separate account with each member of the association, with each agent, with each collector, with the treasurer, and with each of the other officers of the company, and books so kept that we can readily ascertain the condition of the accounts of the company at that time, and are subject to review and inspection by the finance committee once each month; or at any time they may see fit.

Our expense fund, or as we term it, the contingent fund, until last March consisted of 20 per cent of the assessments and one dollar on each thousand dollars of insurance per annum. Since last March our annual dues have been increased to two dollars per thousand per annum. This fund may be used for expenses, and has been with this exception, that we paid five hundred dollars out of that fund into the mortuary fund not long since. In all cases eighty per cent. of the assessments is put into the mortuary fund, and there is no power by which we can use any part of that for any other purpose.

THE UNIVERSAL RELIEF AND INDEMNITY ASSOCIATION.

This Association was started by four gentlemen, residents of Detroit, in April, 1885. Articles of Associations were filed with the Secretary of State but none have been filed with the county clerk that your Committee can learn. It is not a life insurance society, but its object is to pay weekly indemnity to its members during sickness or in case of an accident. For a stated monthly sum it proposes to pay to its members a certain stated weekly indemnity in cases of sickness or accident. The amount of the assessments and the sum agreed to be paid are graded according to the age of the members at the time of their joining. The ages at which it receives members are from 18 to 60 years, and the payments which they make to the society range from fifty cents to three dollars and twenty-five cents per month, and the weekly indemnity which the society

agrees to pay is from five dollars to twenty-five dollars. Its present membership is between five and six hundred.

Its expense fund is derived from annual dues of three dollars per year, which is paid semi-annually in advance, and twenty per cent. of assessments collected. The charge for admission to the society is six dollars. The indemnities are paid from eighty per cent. of the assessments collected.

This association was evidently organized by its projectors for the purpose of making money out of it, but they claim to have received nothing in the way of profits, the original amount invested by them to start the company not having been re-paid to them as yet. Its officers are paid nothing for their services, with the exception of the general agent, who receives a salary of forty dollars per month and a certain portion of the membership fee from the local agents, and the person who does the office work and acts as secretary, who receives sixty dollars per month.

From the report of this Association to the Insurance Commissioner it appears that their total income for the year 1886, was \$14,008.25, and that the amount paid back to its members upon claims was \$3,294.95, which shows that the members paid three dollars to the society, where they have received back but one dollar.

The experience of the company in this class of insurance is said to be that there are a great many fraudulent claims made for indemnity, and that people seem to go into it for the purpose of remaining for a time and then having a sick spell or a little accident and then drawing from the society much more than they have paid to it, and then dropping out.

OFFICE OF
EQUABLE MUTUAL LIFE
OF MICHIGAN. }

Your committee visited this company, at Lansing, April 20th, 1887. It insures persons between the ages of 40 and 85 years inclusive, and issue policies only for one thousand dollars. The membership fee is fifteen dollars and the semi-annual dues two dollars each. The assessments are graded according to the age, ranging from one dollar upon persons of from 40 to 60, to six dollars at the age of 85. In its policies it agrees to pay upon its death losses the whole amount collected from an assessment made upon the members, not exceeding one thousand dollars, and its policies are payable at their face when issued if sufficient is collected. Dr. Alexander D. Hagadorn, being sworn, testified that he was medical examiner of this company and also interested in it as a policy holder. That he approves the application upon which certificates are issued. That this company does not expect that the person insured is before the examining physician in all cases, although that seems to be intended by the wording of the medical blank and the advertising circulars of the company. That the person to be insured is considered the applicant and that he should not consider the beneficiary as the applicant. That he has recommended a policy to be issued on an application signed by the beneficiary in his own name, but that he does not know by what rule that is done. That he should presume the beneficiary to be the member of this company. The assessments are paid by the beneficiaries and all notice and correspondence is done with the beneficiary.

The doctor was shown a number of applications upon which the beneficiary had signed their own name in the place for the signing of the name of the applicant, and among them one which was not signed either by an applicant or beneficiary, and he identified them as being applications which he had ap-

proved and upon which certificates had been issued by the company, but stated that had he noticed these things he should not have recommended the issuing of a certificate.

He was also shown an application for insurance for his own benefit upon a lady named Esther Dunlap, and he testified that she was an aunt of his living at South Lyon, Oakland Co.; that he did not know her age, but she was somewhere in the neighborhood of seventy. That he filled out this application, signed her name to the application and certified to the medical examination upon the application and all this not in her presence. That she is a married lady, having four children and at least one grand child. That his object in taking out this insurance was speculation, just as he would take out insurance on his own life or any body else. That it was not for her benefit but it is for his.

He was also shown another application for insurance upon the life of Stephen J. Hagadorn, and he testified that he resided in the same town with Mrs. Dunlap and was a brother of hers; that this application is filled out in the handwriting of his brother, and the signing of the uncle's name was in the handwriting of his brother, and that his brother certified to it as the examining physician; that himself and his brother are the beneficiaries named in this certificate; that they have a joint interest in both these speculations, and that neither his uncle or his aunt now knows that their lives are insured, at least that he never informed them of the fact.

He was also shown sixteen applications upon the lives of different people in which the beneficiaries named are two parties, and the medical certificates in all those applications were signed by one or the other of the two beneficiaries; that he now knows that neither of these persons are physicians, but that he did not know it at the time the policies were issued upon these applications; that he would approve of an application wherein the beneficiary and the examining physician was the same person, if he knew the physician and knew him to be honest, or did not know anything to the contrary.

THE PROTECTIVE LIFE ASSOCIATION, OF LANSING.

This Association does not differ in its plan very materially from the greater number of assessment companies in the State which are organized for the purpose of insuring old people except that instead of the printed but unheeded requirement that there shall be a strict medical examination in all cases, it openly publishes that it is not absolutely necessary that the party insured go before a physician. It was organized in August, 1886 and has a present membership of about fifty.

From the examination of its records and the testimony of its secretary your committee learned, among other things, that it is not the present practice of the company to insure any person without their knowledge, or without having a medical examination, although the means they take to arrive at these ends do not bear out the conclusion that such is always the case. In their practice insurance is written in which the beneficiary has the least shadow of a claim to relationship to the insured. Policies have been issued upon applications in which the name of the applicant was apparently signed by the agent or beneficiary. In cases where the agent has signed the name the mere verbal statement by him that he did it by authority of the person insured has been considered as sufficient, and the result of the questioning of the agent in relation to the signatures of applicants has been that the agents have quit doing business

for this company. The secretary has power to keep himself in office as long as he chooses by exercising an authority granted him in the applications to cast the vote of each member who is absent at the annual meetings. It has paid one death loss. The certificate in this case was for two thousand dollars, the percentage of assessments collected to which the beneficiary in this case was entitled was ninety-seven dollars and some cents, and the amount paid was one hundred dollars.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSOCIATION, OF MARSHALL.

The main difference between this company and those your committee has examined, so far as its organization is concerned, is that the assessments are made in advance of the losses that they are to pay. For instance, the losses of September and November are paid by assessments made in the months of July and August. Their laws and the published matter, in which they state their plan, give rigid rules regarding the admission of members, but the practice of the association is such a flagrant disregard of its laws that we take the liberty of introducing some of the salient parts of the testimony in reference thereto:

Mrs. Lottie B. Wetmore, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Examined by Mr. Cross.

Q. What is your name in full?

A. My own name is Lottie B. Wetmore.

Q. You usually sign your name how?

A. Mrs. F. E. Wetmore.

Q. Your husband's name is Frank E. Wetmore?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. What is your age?

A. Twenty-five.

Q. How long have you resided in Marshall?

A. Six years.

Q. Have you, at any time, been connected with the Standard Life Association?

A. I have been book-keeper, and part of the time an agent.

Q. You have acted as local agent?

A. Well, yes.

Q. Soliciting agent?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. How long were you associated with the company as book-keeper and agent?

A. About eight months; we commenced the 1st of August, 1885.

Q. And continued until what time?

A. Until the 9th day of April, 1886.

Q. Most of the time you were in the office?

A. All the time.

Q. Did you do any soliciting in the country?

A. I did not go in the country. I did here in town.

Q. You solicited a number of applications during that time?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Will you explain to me generally the way in which you proceeded to solicit membership for the company?

A. We did not require any medical examination thoroughly.

Q. Did you require any certificate from the physician?

A. No. Dr. Houston filled out the most of the physician's certificates.

Q. Would he make a physical examination of the applicant?

A. No, sir. There were some that he did, but two-thirds of them were not.

Q. He simply certified to the certificate?

A. Yes, he would fill it out and sign his name to it.

Q. Dr. Houston has been the medical examiner of the company since the association was formed?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Were you associated with the company from the first formation of it?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you require the applicant to sign the application in all cases?

A. The beneficiary, do you mean?

Q. No, the person whose life was to be insured?

A. No, sir. There was two-thirds of them that didn't know it.

Q. That didn't know they were insured?

A. Yes, sir; they didn't know they were insured. I would put it at two-thirds, and I don't know but you might say three-thirds.

Q. In most cases the application was made by the beneficiary?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And the person whose life was insured knew nothing of it?

A. No, sir.

Q. Did the medical director, Dr. Houston, know of that fact?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Then it was the established policy of the company while you were connected with it to receive applications in that way?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Were there any other officers of the company that knew of that fact?

A. I think they all did. I won't say, but I think they all did.

Q. Who were the officers of the company during the time that you were associated with it?

A. Mr. Noyes, Mr. Kirby, Mr. Houston and Mr. Wetmore.

Q. Was Mr. Lacey connected with the company?

A. He went in just before Mr. Wetmore resigned.

Q. Was he acquainted with the manner in which the company's business was done?

A. I could not say. He was with the board, and they met at night and I was not with the meetings of the board. I didn't have anything to do with the board at all.

Q. You solicited a large number of applications while you were associated with the company?

A. Sixty, I believe, or about that number.

Q. Will you tell me if you solicited the application of Mary Tracey for the benefit of W. G. Parkiss?

A. I think I did.

Q. Do you know who Mary Tracey was?

A. She was one of the inmates of the poor house. I don't know whether it was Tracey. I ain't sure whether it was one or two of them, it seems to me it was Mrs. Snow.

Q. There were two?

A. Is not Mrs. Snow there.

Q. Yes.

A. Well, may be the other was Mrs. Tracey.

Q. They were paupers in the county poor house at the time the insurance was made upon their lives ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did they sign the applications ?

A. No, sir.

Q. Was the insurance made with their knowledge ?

A. Yes, they gave consent to Mr. Parkiss.

Q. Mr. Parkiss filled out the applications ?

A. I filled it out and he signed it.

Q. Joanna Snow, that is the lady's name ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you know anything about her circumstances? Was she a pauper?

A. Yes, and that was the second that I insured. I don't remember the name of Tracey, but I remember Mrs. Snow and I won't say the name of the other.

Q. You think the other was Mary Tracey?

A. I think it was, yes, sir. The application will tell, and if I insured it my name is on there. And this Mrs. Snow died within sixty days.

Q. The insurance upon Mrs. Snow's life was made payable to Mr. Parkiss?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Who is Mr. Parkiss?

A. He is the keeper of the poor-house.

Q. Upon what grounds did he assume to insure the paupers?

A. With their consent.

Q. What suitable interest did he have in those paupers?

A. I guess he didn't have any, only they were willing. Mrs. Parkiss was good to them and they said they was willing that their lives should be insured for their benefit. That is what he told me, and the application was made out of the office.

Q. Then in your judgment it was simply a matter of speculation with Mr. Parkiss?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. In other words he gambled upon the lives of these paupers under his charge?

A. Yes, with their consent, if that is what you call it.

Q. Do you know a lady named Rebecca Divers, whose life was insured for the benefit of Orrin Doud?

A. Yes, sir; it was his wife's mother, wasn't it?

Q. I believe so. Eighty-two years of age?

A. I don't remember the age.

Q. You solicited the application?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did Mrs. Divers sign the application?

A. No, sir; she was not here at that time.

Q. Where was she?

A. I think she was in Kalamazoo.

Q. The application was signed by Mr. Doud?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. He signed the name of Rebecca Divers to the application?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you know what interest Mr. Doud had in the life of Rebecca Divers?

A. It was taken out in his wife's benefit; she was her mother.

Q. Mr. Doud paid the assessments?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And transacted the business?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. The insurable interest as given on the register is that of creditor. Do you know whether Mrs. Divers was indebted to Mr. Doud in any manner; was dependent upon her in any way?

A. No, sir.

Q. Do you know Samuel Thompson, of Partello?

A. No.

Q. Insured for the benefit of Delos Hartson?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you solicit that application?

A. I don't remember that name.

Q. Samuel Thompson, Charles Parker and Lucinda Thompson are recorded as having been insured for the benefit of Delos Hartson?

A. I know there was four, but I could not say what their names were.

Q. All for the benefit of Mr. Hartson?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. What interest did Mr. Hartson have in them?

A. I think they were relations. I couldn't say now.

Q. Do you know what relationship was existing?

A. No, sir. I can't place the names. It seems to me one was a nephew, and wasn't one an uncle and annt, or was there two nuckles?

Q. In soliciting applications for the company, whom did you approach?

A. The beneficiary.

Q. In all cases?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And persuaded him to take out insurance upon the lives of old people?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you always insist upon there being a relationship existing between the beneficiary and the person insured?

A. I told them it was always better to be a relation, and I believe the by-laws said that if they was a—dependent creditor, is it? Or depending on them, they could insure them. That is what I have been taught from the rest of the board.

Q. Practically, it made no difference whether they were relatives, creditors or anybody else?

A. No.

Q. You simply wanted to secure the business?

A. Yes, sir; and then our medical director would consent to fill out all the applications for his dollar.

Q. He was more anxious to receive the dollar than he was to look after the interests of the company?

A. I think so, yes.

Q. Was this the general character of the business being done by the company while you were acting?

A. It was principally, of the agents that I know. Of course I did not know all the agents that were away. I know that the doctor has filled out applications on persons that he knows nothing about. He filled out one for me on a

lady in Charlotte, and he had never seen the lady. I told him we had better send it to the Charlotte doctor, but he asked me the questions and I answered them just as her daughter had answered them to me. So he sat down and filled out the physician's certificate and signed his name to it.

Q. And approved of it as medical director of the company?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. It was customary for him to do this in that way?

A. Yes, he did it quite often.

Q. Didn't the parties whose lives were insured without their knowledge sometimes find it out?

A. I don't know as to that.

Q. It was the object of the persons who obtained the insurance to keep it as quiet as possible?

A. I suppose so, yes.

Q. In your judgment, according to your recollection, how many people have you insured in this company yourself?

A. I think it was about 60.

Q. How many among that number were insured without their knowledge?

A. If it was sixty I insured, I won't say it was sixty, but it was about that. I should judge that there was forty of them that didn't know it.

Q. Forty of them that knew nothing of it?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Is that the manner you were taught to do business of the company by its officers?

A. Yes, sir, by the medical director. And he would fill them out, and of course that would encourage me. If he would not have filled them out I think it would have been a great deal better.

Q. You received the commissions regularly for the work?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And of course that was what you were working for?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You didn't care anything about the prosperity of the company?

A. Yes, I did; but it was just like this, if the officers of the company would do this, why not I? Of course, that is no reason why I should do it because anyone else does, but —

Q. But you thought you had as good a right to it as anyone else had?

A. Yes, and as long as they would fill them out and sign them.

Q. Some of these parties whose lives you have insured have since died?

A. That Mrs. Snow has. I have not kept any track of them since the 9th day of April, a year ago, and I don't know who has died and who has not.

Q. Had you learned that Mary Tracey was dead?

A. I don't remember whether she has died or not.

Q. Joanna Snow died?

A. Yes, before sixty days.

Q. Did Mr. Parkiss receive his money?

A. Yes, sixteen dollars. He gave me his note for the second application and before that was due Mrs. Snow died, so he came up and I gave him back his note and that was just the same, \$16.50.

Q. What was the custom of the society while you were connected with it in regard to paying death losses?

A. We didn't have any death losses only within sixty days. We had two I think.

Q. Did the company levy an assessment?

A. They had not sent out any death assessments at all when we left the company. We were going to send one out that month. There was a death, Mr. Hartson's mother-in-law, I think it is Mrs. Williams, I won't say, she lived just five or four days over sixty days and was a five hundred dollar loss. Then there was Dr. Grisnall or Griswold of Battle Creek, for some one that he insured, and those two losses we were going to make an assessment for the month that Mr. Wetmore resigned or that they had him resign rather. It was some of Dr. Griswold's own relatives that he had insured.

Q. What was the object the beneficiaries had in insuring these old people?

A. To get their money on their death I suppose.

Q. They were simply betting the premiums that they would have to pay to the company against what they expected to receive when the old people died?

A. Yes, if the company was standing.

Q. Then it was simply a gambling operation?

A. I don't know as you can call it anything else.

Q. Gambling upon the lives of these old people?

A. Of course, that is the proper name for it.

Q. That is about what it amounts to?

A. That is about the way it is.

Q. By the manner in which the business is conducted?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have you any reason to believe that the company is pursuing any different course now than when you were there?

A. No, sir. They are appointing most every one that takes out a policy an agent, and the same agents that were in the company when I was there are there now, and I don't think they would do any different now from what they did then?

Q. These two parties whose applications you received, who were living at the poor-house, you did not see them yourself at the time?

A. No, sir.

Q. All you know about what their health and condition was, is what the beneficiary told you?

A. Yes sir.

Q. There was no examining physician except the medical director here?

A. I think not.

Q. Dr. Houston filled out the physician's certificate?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And approved the medical examination?

A. Yes, as medical director.

Q. And is still medical director of the association?

A. He is as far as I know. I never heard of his resigning.

Dr. I. W. Houston being duly sworn, testified in substance as follows:

Examined by Mr. Cross.

Q. What is your residence and business?

A. I live in Marshall and it has practically been my home always. I am a practicing physician, and have been for nearly ten years.

Q. You are a graduate of a medical college?

A. Yes, sir; I graduated at the university of Michigan.

Q. You have been with the company since its organization?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. In what capacity have you acted ?

A. As medical director.

Q. Have you acted as agent for the company in soliciting applications ?

A. Occasionally.

Q. What is the custom of the company in regard to the medical examinations ?

A. The examination is made up from the answers as set forth by the applicant in the application.

Q. You do not require a physical examination ?

A. No, sir.

Q. Do not require a personal examination ?

A. No, sir.

Q. Simply the applicant makes a statement and signs it as a basis of the contract ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And that the physician certifies to it ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. It is not necessary that the physician shall see the applicant ?

A. No, it is not so considered. When the articles were first drawn that section read "physical examination," and it was thought best to change it to "medical examination," for the reason that a great many companies, especially companies outside of the State, required no certificate of any kind of a physician, and the laws being as they were it would have been impossible to do business in that way ; so we had to get upon about a medium ground as to that.

Q. Do you think it possible to determine from the answers to the questions in the application the physical health of the person insured ?

A. Yes, to a fair degree. Of course the examinations are not so rigid and definite as they would be by an old line company, but as the insurance business of that class has been done largely without medical examinations at all, it would have been impossible for the company under the laws to have done business strictly on a personal, physical examination.

Q. So that the practice has been to gradually fall into the custom of taking applications without a physical examination ?

A. Well, no ; I think if anything, the custom has been more the other way.

Q. You think there has been an improvement in that respect ?

A. Yes, I do. I know Mr. Kinyon and I have urged it upon the agents to be more careful in that respect, either have personal examinations or have physicians who were acquainted with them, so as to get a better class of business, and for that matter we have expected, long before the Legislature convened, that there would be legislation this session, and that the probable outcome would be a physical examination, and we were determined to work it in that direction, so that when a change was made we would not be away off from the mark.

Q. Is it any part of your duties to examine an application when it comes into the office ?

A. Yes, to look it over as to the medical part of it particularly.

Q. You approve the applications ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And upon that approval or disapproval rests the fate of the insurance ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. If you disapprove of an application, a certificate would not be issued ?

A. No, sir.

Q. And it requires a very careful examination of the application?

A. Yes, generally pretty careful.

Q. Will you tell us what you understand by an insurable interest?

A. I do not know as I can give a definite idea. I know that question has come up a number of times in discussion by the members of the board, and some would take one view and some another. Mr. Miller, the attorney, has looked up the legal decisions upon it and he finds that they vary a great deal in different localities, but I believe our idea upon that in the main has been that it shall be a relative, and I think the law says "or one possessing an insurable interest." That perhaps has a wide range. Most of ours, however, are on relatives. There are some taken as creditors. More at the beginning than now. In fact, we didn't like it and we changed our policies and applications to that effect, making any attempt to take an insurance as a creditor for a speculative purpose inoperative, that is, that they cannot collect to exceed the amount of the bona fide indebtedness and that the policy any further than that shall be void. I think it would be well if the application in the application stated, and possibly in the policy also, the actual amount of the indebtedness at the time, that that would be a better form than we are now using, so as to state at the beginning just what that indebtedness is and how it arose.

Q. Do you understand that there shall be any pecuniary interest existing between the beneficiary and the person whose life is insured?

A. I should think it would depend upon relationship. For relatives I should consider it so.

Q. To what degree of consanguinity would you go in approving an application of insurance?

A. I don't know what the law is upon that.

Q. Would you insure a nephew upon the life of his aunt or uncle?

A. I think that would be proper. I think that has been done.

Q. Would you insure a son on the life of his father?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And a father upon the life of his son?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. A grand-father for the benefit of a grand-son?

A. Yes, sir, we have done that. In those points the attorney has usually stated what he thought was proper, and in those cases he has decided that there was an insurable interest.

Q. Would you insure a mother-in-law for the benefit of a son-in-law?

A. Yes, sir. That is a point that I raised at one time, and we had quite a little discussion upon it and the attorney looked it up. I held that it was not an insurable interest and I rejected quite a number of applications upon that ground, and the attorney decided that it was an insurable interest, so since then insurance has been granted in that way.

Q. Would you insure a brother for the benefit of his brother?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Or a sister for the benefit of a sister?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Would you insure an uncle for the benefit of a niece where no blood relation exists between the parties?

A. I do not know as to that. I don't know as that question has ever come up.

- Q. Do you know J. L. Kinyon?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. Does he hold an official position with this company?
A. Yes, sir, he is secretary.
Q. Are you acquainted with his hand writing?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. Will you examine that application and see if that was written by J. L. Kinyon?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. It is in his hand writing?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. Examine the signatures to the application, and see if in your judgment, it is in the same hand writing as the body of the application?
A. I should think it was, I could not state positively though.
Q. It appears to be?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. Do you know the party for whom that application for insurance was made?
A. No, sir.
Q. On whose life the application was made?
A. No, sir.
Q. Did you ever see the party?
A. No, sir.
Q. The name is Clara E. King, of East Varick, Seneca county, New York; aged sixty. Do you know the person named as beneficiary in that application?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. It is Mr. J. L. Kinyon's wife?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. The wife of the secretary of this company?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. Do you know the relationship existing between Mrs. Sarah E. Kinyon and Mrs. Clara E. King?
A. I think it states there that it is niece.
Q. Mrs. Kinyon is a niece of Mrs. King?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. Examine the physician's certificate to that application. Is that your hand-writing?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. Is that your signature?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. You state that you never saw the applicant?
A. No, sir.
Q. Still you certify to the condition of her health at the time this application was made?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. You state first that you believe her to be the party insured?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. That you had known the applicant ten years?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. Did you ever see the lady?
A. No, sir. I will tell you how I put that in. The application was taken

in December, and we wanted to get in about a certain number during December, so Mr. Kinyon wrote this up and said he would put it in, and he should not ever carry on it. So I turned to fill it out and I read that question, and says: "How long have I known this party?" He says: "You have known her as long as you have known me." I says: "Ten years?" He says "yes." So I put it in that way.

Q. Still you had never seen the lady?

A. No, sir, that statement of having known her ten years is not so, and it was not put in for the purpose of carrying the insurance.

Q. You state that the applicant is not afflicted with any disease?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You state that the general appearance of the applicant is good?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Still you had no knowledge of her being in good health?

A. It was from the application, was all.

Q. You certify that you consider the risk to be first-class?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. That is an application for two thousand dollars of insurance, number 1476 and 1477 and you state that you, acting in the interest of the association, advise the approval of that application?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. (Showing witness paper) Who filled out that application?

A. Mr. J. L. Kinyon.

Q. Did Mr. Kinyon sign the name of the applicant to the application?

A. I could not state positively; I did not see him sign it.

Q. It is in the same hand-writing as the application, is it not?

A. Practically, yes sir.

Q. The impression would be conveyed that the same party who filled that application also signed the name of the applicant to the application?

A. It might be.

Q. Would not that be the impression likely to be conveyed from an examination of the application and a comparison of the penmanship?

A. Well, the penmanship is not exactly like it, still it resembles it somewhat.

Q. This application is number 1478-9 for two thousand dollars insurance upon the life of Loring G. King, of East Varick, Seneca county, New York, and is made payable to Sarah E. Kinyon, whom you say is the wife of the secretary of this association?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you know what relationship exists between Sarah E. Kinyon and Loring G. King?

A. No. Niece is not given here.

Q. Do you know whether any relationship by marriage or otherwise exists between Clara E. King and Loring G. King?

A. I do not.

Q. Did you ever see Loring G. King?

A. No, sir.

Q. Did you fill out that physician's certificate?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. That is in your hand-writing and your signature?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. In which you state that you believe this is to be the party whose life is to be insured?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. That you have read the answers in the annexed application and they are true to the best of your knowledge. You state that the applicant is not afflicted with any disease. You state that the general appearance of the applicant is healthy. You state that the applicant has no disease of the heart, brain, kidneys or nervous system?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You state that the risk is first class, and that you, acting in the interest of the association, advise its approval?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Still you had never seen the party whose application this purported to be?

A. No, sir.

Q. Did you have any reason to know that Loring G. King was alive at the time this application was made?

A. I took Mr. Kinyon's word for it, that was all.

Q. Mr. Kinyon made the application?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And assured you that the subject was alive?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And you certified?

A. He assured me that it was just as good as it was there. That is the way it was done. Of course this is the same as the other one. I don't claim that this insurance is just the same as in an old line insurance. I don't want you to get that impression.

Q. Well, I rather think that impression would not be conveyed?

A. No, I don't want you to think that we try to cover up anything of that kind, or put on a sanctimonious face about it. We don't try to cover up anything.

Q. That is what we want, we want the facts in the case, and we want them truthfully.

A. You will get them if it is the last fact that we ever express.

Q. I find another application here, number 1186, upon the life of Hannah King, of East Varick, Seneca county, New York, aged 71, for two thousand dollars, payable to Sarah E. Kinyon, niece, of Marshall, Oalhou county, Mich. The medical certificate is filled out and signed I. W. Houston, M. D. Can you tell us anything about that application?

A. That is about the same as those others. It is taken by Mr. Kinyon's son and written by him.

Q. Written by the son of the secretary?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. That son is now acting in what capacity for this company?

A. He has done some work as agent; he has never been employed as clerk.

Q. He is now employed as a special agent?

A. Practically, yes; although he has only been out one trip in that capacity. He was out five weeks, over a month ago, in Monroe county mostly.

Q. You are somewhat familiar with his hand-writing?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. In your judgment did he fill out and sign that application?

A. I could not say whether he signed it or not. He filled it out, that is his signature there.

Q. Is there not a great similarity between the hand-writing in the name of Hannah E. King at the bottom of the application and the same name at the top, and in your judgment are not both names written by the same party in the two places upon the application?

A. There is a similarity, I could not state that in my judgment they were both written by the same party.

Q. The shading would seem to indicate that?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. There is apparently no attempt to disguise the hand?

A. No, sir; if he signed the name there, he signed it without any attempt at disguising it?

Q. Did you ever see Hannah King?

A. No, sir.

Q. You state here that her general appearance is healthy and that you consider the risk first class, and that you, acting in the interest of the association, advise the approval of it?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you have any knowledge that at the time the application was made, on the 13th day of September, 1886, Hannah E. King was alive?

A. Nothing further than the statement made by Mr. Kinyon.

Q. The son of the secretary?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You accepted his word for it?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. It would seem that the officers of this association are somewhat interested in the insurance of their friends in New York?

A. Yes, it would appear that way from these applications. I don't think the insurance has been carried on any of these, but it may have been on this last one.

Q. Do you know a physician in Owosso by the name of R. C. Beckwith?

A. There is a physician there by that name, I am not personally acquainted with him.

Q. Does he act as agent for this company there?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Is he a practising physician?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. How long has he been acting as agent for this company?

A. I think from about the beginning of the company.

Q. He does a considerable business?

A. He has done, yes,

Q. He has had some losses in the company?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You are somewhat familiar with Dr. Beckwith's handwriting, are you?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Examine that application and tell me if he filled it out in your judgment?

A. Dr. Beckwith I should think from the hand-writing filled it out.

Q. Beckwith filled out the application as local agent for the company?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. The application is made upon the life of John Murphy, of Owosso, Shia-

wassee Co., Mich., for the benefit of R. C. Beckwith, relationship to applicant, indebtedness, assessment notices shall be sent to R. C. Beckwith, Owosso, signed John Murphy, applicant, R. C. Beckwith, agent. From your knowledge of the hand-writing of Dr. Beckwith what would you conclude as to the probability of who executed the signature to that application?

A. I could not tell whether that was signed by Dr. Beckwith or not.

Q. John Murphy is said to 56 years old, and the signature apparently is in a very firm hand?

A. Yes, sir; it is probably not written by John Murphy.

Q. Probably not written by John Murphy?

A. No, sir; I should think a man of that age very likely would not write as good a hand as that.

Q. There is a similarity between the signatures?

A. Yes, this may be written by him or by some one else.

Q. Look over the physician's certificate and tell us by whom that was executed?

A. That was by Dr. Beckwith.

Q. That was filled out by Dr. Beckwith?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And signed by Dr. Beckwith?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Then that application was filled out by Dr. Beckwith, the local agent of the company?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. For the benefit of Mr. Beckwith?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. The medical examination was filled out by Dr. Beckwith.

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And signed as medical examiner by Dr. Beckwith?

A. Yes, sir; and right there I would like to make a statement. Of course that don't look very well, and I stated to the officers that I didn't like that way. My expression was that it was too much of a machine business and I wished that a resolution would be passed that no physician could act as agent and make certificates as in that particular case. That was at the time that the matter came up, but no action has been taken upon it however, although I have rather urged it.

Q. Is this John Murphy, whose life was insured by Dr. Beckwith for his own benefit, now living?

A. No sir; that is one on which there has been a loss.

Q. Examine that paper and tell me what that is?

A. That is the death proofs on this same party.

Q. John Murphy?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. By whom is that death proof executed?

A. The claimant's statement here is from R. C. Beckwith, and the physician's the same. He figures in there quite often, but he didn't preach the funeral sermon.

Q. He did everything else?

A. He did all he could. He was probably not to blame for not doing more. Somebody else buried him.

Q. What claim does he make in his proofs of death?

A. Of an indebtedness.

Q. Does he make any statement of what that indebtedness consisted of ?

A. Yes, sir ; I think there is another statement there which was sent in afterwards. He states that he was owing him \$986.00 for medical services rendered wife and children.

Q. John Murphy then was owing the doctor some old accounts ?

A. Yes, sir, I think so from the face of the papers.

Q. And upon that account he himself made application for insurance in this company for his own benefit, acting as local agent and medical examiner and when John Murphy died he executed the proofs of death, certified to them as attending physician, and probably did all that he could to hasten and attend the obsequies and give the party a good send off ?

A. I don't know as to that. Of course he could not do otherwise than to certify as attending physician and claimant if he was such. But as I said before it is a manner of doing business that I don't like.

Q. How much did Dr. Beckwith receive upon this death loss ?

A. I think he received the full amount claimed.

Q. What was the full amount ? A thousand dollars ?

A. No, he does not claim that.

Q. \$880.00 ?

A. Whatever the death proof states. I think it was \$880.00.

Q. He received \$880.00 ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Isn't that a peculiar method of collecting bad debts ?

A. Well, I don't know as for that.

Q. Doctors' bills are not very easy of collection as a rule ?

A. No, not when they run 20 years as that did.

Q. These bills have been accumulating for 20 years ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Most of them had been out-lawed ?

A. I presume so, unless they had been in some way kept up or renewed.

Q. This insurance was written on the 2d of November, 1885, and the subject died November 1st, 1886. Dr. Beckwith has had several losses in this company since he has been acting as agent ?

A. I think not but one other.

Q. Only two ?

A. Only one besides this.

Q. Two others, are there not ?

A. That depends upon how you take it. There is another one that I think he has in the same way that he had this John Murphy, as a creditor, and that we concluded we would look into, and that proof Mr. Kinyon has at present. It is an application—I cannot give the names now, but it is in favor of I think a party name Frane, and Dr. Beckwith, it seems, is the holder of it at present, for an indebtedness, an indebtedness as stated in the proofs, of the party insured. Well, I think that the law is that an indebtedness can only be collected for what he is owning the beneficiary, the original beneficiary. If this man was owing Frane one hundred dollars and Beckwith held the policy when it became a claim, Beckwith could only collect the amount of the indebtedness to this Frane, and he claims an indebtedness from the insured. We think it ought to be the other way. Then, if he has a certain amount of indebtedness, whatever it is can be paid to the party holding the policy, and the balance go according to law, to the heirs of the party.

Q. Will you look over the cash book here and tell us what those items mean, "September 30, R. O. Beckwith, 997."

A. That is the number of his policy, I think, and this other the amount due on it.

Q. \$16.50 is the amount you paid him at that time?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. "January 30, 1887, policy No. 143, \$880 00?"

A. Yes, sir.

Q. That is the payment in the John Murphy case?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Just look a little further.

A. Yes, there is another one, I had forgotten that; No. 1300, \$16.50.

Q. Then the company have, within the last year, paid Dr. Beckwith three losses instead of two?

A. Yes, sir.

(Among the death losses paid by the Peninsula State Mutual Benefit Association, of Ithaca, your committee found the following: Certificate No. 1131, upon the life of John Murphy, of Owosso, Mich., aged 56, for \$5,000, in which the beneficiary named is R. O. Beckwith, of Owosso. This insurance was taken July 13, 1885, and R. C. Beckwith was the examining physician. John Murphy died Nov. 1st, 1886, and Dr. R. O. Beckwith was paid and receipts for \$1,150 to this company.)

Q. Were they all for a creditor interest?

A. I don't know as to that; I thing this was an assigned one.

Q. An assignment of what nature?

A. I don't know as to that either.

Q. Do the company permit assignments from one policy holder to another, or from one beneficiary to another?

A. No, we held this: that the policy is the property of the the party insured during their life, and after that it is the property of the beneficiary and then he can assign it. I have no doubt assignments have been made by beneficiaries, and to check that we have stricken the blank assignments off our policies.

Q. Still assignments are made from time to time?

A. I think they are.

Q. And you settle with the assignees?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Dr. Beckwith holds some other policies in this company, does he not?

A. I cannot state positively whether he does or not.

Q. Could you tell by the examination of the assessment register?

A. I could tell probably by the applications. There are several assessment notices sent to him, whether he holds the policies or not we do not know. And to prevent any action of that kind upon the part of beneficiaries we had the printed blank stricken out. It is on all of these. This is a recent action, within a month or so.

Q. The doctor is paying assessments on quite a number of policies?

A. The notices are sent to him and he is collector there.

Q. Does not he designate in his report to whose credit the assessment should be?

A. I don't know as to that.

Q. How are you able to keep an account of the memberships?

A. It is kept by the number of the policy. I presume it is mentioned as to

whom those notices are sent.

Q. Is it not a fact that the credit is placed to the individual who is the beneficiary under the certificate?

A. Not all of them. As a rule it is.

Q. Apparently the assessments that are paid by Dr. Beckwith are for policies in which he has a personal interest?

A. I would not want to make that statement, because I do not know that it is true.

Q. If the assessment notices are indicated in the report of the collector by the number and name, so that the book-keeper can keep an appropriate account with each member to know when his policy may have lapsed, it would require that the name should be given?

A. Not necessarily of the beneficiary. I think there is one case of that kind that Dr. Beckwith pays of a party who is very apt to be away, and he requested that the notices be sent to Dr. Beckwith. And of course they are sent to him and credited up to the proper member.

Q. The doctor is evidently a sincere believer in the benefit of co-operative insurance?

A. I should imagine so.

Q. And the personal benefit to be derived from insurance of that kind?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. It would appear as if it were a short hand method of collecting old debts?

A. It has that appearance; yes, sir.

Q. Do you know a gentleman named W. G. Parkiss?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Who is he?

A. He is W. G. Parkiss.

Q. What is his business?

A. He is at present superintendent of the poor farm.

Q. How long has he been acting in that capacity?

A. I don't know, I think it is about two years, perhaps longer.

Q. Have you examined this item in the cash-book of Sept. 30, 1886?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. What is the meaning of that entry?

A. It means that he was beneficiary on policy number 673, and upon the death of the party he received five hundred dollars.

Q. He appears charged upon the books of the association, September 30, with having received five hundred dollars as a death loss on policy 673?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. (Showing witness paper.) Is that the policy under which that death loss was paid?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you know the party whose life was insured under that policy?

A. I have seen the party.

Q. What was the name of the party?

A. Tracey.

Q. Where did she reside?

A. With Mr. Parkiss.

Q. Mary Tracey, was it?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. She resided with Mr. Parkiss at the time of her death?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. As a member of his family?

A. I think so.

Q. Was she related to Mr. Parkiss?

A. No, sir; I think not. I think that was the case of a creditor or something of that nature.

Q. Was it not true that Mary Tracey was an inmate of the county poor-house at the time?

A. I don't know whether she was an inmate or a domestic of Mr. Parkiss, I am not positive as to that. But it was a creditor policy, one of the first that we paid, and before we were aware of the nature of such policies. I think it was the first of the kind that we had. We were not aware of the nature of such applications and policies.

Q. Have you any knowledge that she was not a pauper?

A. No, sir, I have no knowledge either way. I think her death was caused by an accident, falling down stairs or something of that sort.

Q. You state that policy number 673, on which you paid five hundred dollars to W. G. Parkiss on the death of Mary Tracey, was in conformity with the plan of the company as to proportionate payments?

A. Yes, I think it was.

Q. That is, that she died within the eight months?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And so he was entitled to receive five hundred dollars?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. I have here the record of certificate number 904, issued upon the life of Charles Waits, for the benefit of Albert and Robert Ward, cousins, assessment notices to be sent to Ward brothers. The insurance was taken out on the 4th of June, 1886, and the insured person died Sept. 27, 1886. That was paid out of the same pool from which the Parkiss claim was paid?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. The policies were for two thousand dollars. Parkiss received five hundred dollars, and the Ward brothers only received \$250.00. Will you explain that discrepancy?

A. We took the record of this policy from the outside, and that is an error. It was a one thousand dollar application. That was an error in the filing. That would be a one-quarter claim on a thousand dollars, or two hundred and fifty dollars.

By Mr. Goodrich:

Q. Are you acquainted with Dr. C. E. Paine?

A. No, sir, not personally.

Q. He is an agent of yours?

A. He has done a little as agent, more as certifying physician.

Q. Where does he reside?

A. I think at Cambria or Frontier, Hillsdale county.

Q. You were stating that you were doing away with the agent's signing the medical certificate and taking the application?

A. Yes, sir. I did not state that we had.

Q. Look at that application. What is the number of that?

A. 1761.

Q. Who is the family physician as stated in that application?

A. C. E. Paine was the last.

Q. Who signs that as agent?

A. C. E. Paine.

Q. Who signs that as applicant there?

A. Olive Sturtevant.

Q. Who signs it as medical examiner?

A. Dr. Paine.

Q. And Dr. Paine gets his commission as agent?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. How much commission would he get out of that as agent?

A. He would be supposed to collect ten dollars on that application?

Q. And how much as examining physician?

A. Usually one dollar; whether he would charge anything in a case of this kind or not—

Q. The supposition is that he gets his fee if he takes an application?

A. Yes, that is the supposition.

Q. If he takes it and it is accepted he gets his fee?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And also his medical examiner's fee?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And he signs this as agent and medical examiner?

A. As agent and the certifying physician. Perhaps you misunderstood me as to what I said upon that; I did not say that we had made that change.

Q. What is the date of that application?

A. That is the second day of April. There has been no action taken upon it yet.

Q. Would not such an application as that lead you to believe that the doctor acting as agent would be more anxious than an outside physician to see the applicant put through on an application by the company?

A. Yes, it might. But until some action is taken by the board of course if they come in apparently right I should accept them. I don't like it myself.

Q. Here is another one of one thousand dollars: Is that the same party?

A. No, sir.

Q. Who is that?

A. That is Elias Lee Sturtevant.

Q. Apparently the husband of the former applicant?

A. It might be so and it might not.

Q. It is the same place?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Signed by the same agent, C. E. Paine?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. The same family physician, C. E. Paine?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. The medical certificate signed by C. E. Paine?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Is that about the same as the application of Oliver Sturtevant?

A. I should say so.

Q. Who is the family physician in that?

A. Dr. Paine.

Q. Who was the agent in that?

A. Dr. Paine.

Q. Who was medical examiner?

A. Dr. Paine. Dr. Paine did not sign it as physician. He filled it out but did not sign his name.

Q. It is not signed by anybody?

A. No, sir.

Q. Yet it is accepted by you?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you accept them where they are not signed by any one?

A. Not if I notice it. If I had noticed that I would have sent it back, but that escaped my notice.

Q. You do not examine them very closely then?

A. I intend to; yes. But occasionally perhaps there is a date left out—as I noticed in one of them you handed me.

Q. Isn't it quite important that some one should sign them as medical examiner?

A. It should be done; yes. That is an oversight upon our part. They should be filled out all the way through.

Q. There is another certificate number 1685. Who is the agent in that?

A. Dr. Paine.

By Mr. Cross:

Q. Will you explain this item in the cash book, March 31, 1886? Amount paid to W. G. Parkiss, upon policy No. 600, \$13.20. Do you remember the circumstances attending that case?

A. I do not particularly. I had nothing to do with it anyway. My impression is that that was a sixty-day loss, and \$13.20 was all he paid actually for that application, and that was all that was paid back to him. That is why it was put in that way. I think it was a sixty-day loss on a two thousand dollar policy, and he did not pay the full membership fee, and we just simply paid back what he paid in.

Q. The person whose life was insured died within sixty days?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you remember on whose life that policy was issued?

A. I do not.

Q. Your membership register shows that it was written upon the life of Joanna Snow. Did you ever know any such party?

A. I think so.

Q. What did you know of her?

A. I think I have prescribed for the party.

Q. Where did she reside?

A. I cannot tell. That is a case that I have no knowledge of.

Q. Did you attend her during her last illness?

A. No, sir.

Q. Did you attend her between the date of her application for insurance and the date of her death?

A. I think not.

Q. Did you make a personal examination of her at the time you approved the certificate?

A. I don't remember.

Q. Do you know where she resided at the time of her death?

A. I do not.

Q. Do you know what relationship existed between W. G. Parkiss and Joanna Snow?

A. I do not.

Dr. Henry L. Joy being duly sworn, testified as follows :

Examined by Mr. Cross.

Q. What is your name in full ?

A. Henry L. Joy.

Q. Your residence ?

A. Marshall. I am a practicing physician and surgeon and have been for over 30 years.

Q. How old are you ?

A. 65 years.

Q. You have practiced here for 30 years ?

A. Yes, thirty-three or four years.

Q. You are pretty well acquainted throughout this vicinity ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you know a gentleman by the name of W. G. Parkiss ?

A. Yes, sir. I don't know his initials.

Q. What is his occupation ?

A. The one that I am acquainted with is the keeper of the county poor-house.

Q. Did you ever know a lady by the name of Mary Tracey ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you ever attend her as a physician ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you attend her during her last illness ?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where did this lady reside ?

A. She was in the poor-house.

Q. As an inmate ?

A. As an inmate.

Q. A county charge ?

A. A county charge.

Q. What was the immediate cause of her death ?

A. I have charge of the paupers and I get them mixed sometimes but my impression is that this Mrs. Tracey met with an accident, fell from a chair and broke her hip and the shock she never recovered from.

Q. Fell from a chair ?

A. I think that is the one.

Q. That is the statement which you make in the death proofs.

A. Then I am right.

Q. Do you remember the age of Mary Tracey ?

A. No, I don't remember it. I should judge she was 70.

Q. Was she in full possession of her mental powers ?

A. She was not a person of vigorous mind but I think she had her mental faculties.

Q. Do you know anything about her past history previous to her becoming a county charge ?

A. No ; I cannot trace her back, although I have an indistinct idea that I was acquainted with her previous to her going to the poor-house.

Q. Do you know how long she had been at the poor-house previous to her death ?

A. I should say five or six years.

Q. Do you know what was the cause of her having to take refuge at the county poor-house ?

A. I do not.

Q. Whether it was sickness or poverty or lack of friends to care for her?

A. I don't know. They are sent to the poor-house without any interference of mine, and I simply find them there, and if they are taken sick I attend them.

Q. You are the regular medical attendant?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. How long have you acted in that capacity?

A. I think I have been the medical attendant for fifteen years.

Q. Did you know that W. G. Parkiss had an insurance upon the life of Mary Tracey?

A. I understood he did.

Q. Do you know whether any relationship existed between them?

A. I do not; I think not.

Q. Do you know what interest Mr. Parkiss had in the life of the pauper under his charge, Mary Tracey?

A. I do not.

Q. Would you suppose that he would have any insurable interest?

A. You mean whether she was indebted to him or anything of that sort?

Q. What is your knowledge of what constitutes an insurable interest at law?

A. I do not know that I have any.

Q. You have no clear idea of it?

A. No.

Q. Do you carry insurance upon your own life?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. For whose benefit?

A. My wife.

Q. For what reason?

A. That she may be provided for after my death.

Q. Because she has an interest in your life?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Because she has an interest in the earnings that you secure in order to get her those luxuries that she is accustomed to receive?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And her necessary support?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Then she has an interest in the continuance of your life?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Is that the true doctrine of life insurance?

A. I think it is.

Q. Unquestionably?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Is there any other rule or plan that would be in harmony with that idea so far as your opinion would go, that is to say, that the theory of life insurance is that the beneficiary must have an interest in the continuance of the life insured,—that is your idea of the doctrine of life insurance?

A. Yes, sir. I can imagine, if life insurance is transferable, for instance, I might sell my life insurance to an individual and he could purchase it as a matter of speculation. For instance, I am insured in the Connecticut Mutual for three thousand dollars, and I might sell it for a thousand dollars, and the sooner I died the better he would like it.

Q. Would such a transaction be in the line of public policy, in your judgment?

A. No, I don't think it would. I have no sympathy with anything of this sort that you are investigating.

Q. With this explanation, do you know of any insurable interest existing between Mary Tracey and W. G. Parkiss?

A. No, I do not.

Q. Considering the relationship existing between the two parties would you suppose that an insurable interest would be likely to exist?

A. No.

Q. Then the nature of the contract between the company and W. G. Parkiss would be that of a wager contract, based upon the death of the person whose life was insured?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. That is, that Mr. Parkiss would profit by the early death of the person whose life he had insured?

A. That would be my understanding of it.

Q. In other words, Mr. Parkiss was betting with this association the amount of the assessments upon this policy against the sum to be paid him in the event of the death of the party insured within a given time?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have you ever known a person named Joanna Snow?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where did she reside?

A. She was in the poor-house.

Q. A common pauper?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. A county charge?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you ever know of W. G. Parkiss having an insurance upon her life?

A. I don't believe I knew that.

Q. About what was her age?

A. I should say she was 68.

Q. Seventy-seven is the age as given in the application. What was the condition of her health prior to her death?

A. She was a person that was broken down; no chronic disease, but her digestive organs were very much impaired, she was subject to severe attacks of indigestion and vomiting, and by the way, I think I did have suspicious of cancerous deposit in her stomach. But I made no post mortem examination.

Q. You attended her?

A. I attended her and gave her all the medical attendance she had.

Q. How long has she been an inmate of the county poor-house?

A. I should think five or six years.

Q. Do you know anything of her history prior to her admission there?

A. No, I do not.

Q. Do you know whether there was any relationship existing between W. G. Parkiss and Joanna Snow?

A. I don't believe there was.

Q. Would you think there was any insurable interest existing between the two parties?

A. Not in the light that you define it.

Q. That you believe to be the true light?

A. I think it is the fair light.

Q. The light that would be in the direction of public policy and sound morals?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. The records of this company show that there was issued to W. G. Parkiss two policies of one thousand dollars each on her life, numbers 599 and 600, and that she died within sixty days after the insurance was affected, and the company adjusted and paid the loss to W. G. Parkiss?

A. Does it state what was the cause of death?

Q. We cannot find the application. It has mysteriously disappeared from the records of the office. The proof of death has also disappeared, and the record only is in the cash-book and in the assessment register.

C. P. Aldrich, recalled:

Examined by Mr. Douglass:

Q. As treasurer of this association you prepared this statement to the insurance department for the year ending December 31st, 1886?

A. Not the first page

Q. Who prepared that?

A. Mr. Kinyon, the secretary.

Q. Did you furnish Mr. Kinyon the information which appears here as to the balance on hand December 31st?

A. I did.

Q. Will you give from that statement the amount of the cash balance on hand December 31st, 1886?

A. \$5,620.46.

Q. Will you state the amount received from the assessment levied in January,

No. 11 ?
\$2,517.80.

Q. Assessment No. 12, levied in February?

A. \$2,687.67.

Q. No. 13, in March?

A. \$2,772.79.

Q. April ?

A. \$114.76.

Q. State the amount of membership fees received in this office from January 1st up to date?

A. \$522.50.

Q. Amount of claims and losses paid from January 1st to date?

A. \$5,700.28.

Q. Expenses of office management etc., from January 1st to date ?

A. \$717.98.

Q. State in detail the other payments taken credit for from that time?

A. President's salary, \$150.00; Secretary, \$235.27; Treasurer, \$235.27; Medical examiner, \$235.27; Attorney, \$235.27.

Q. Please state the amount of your balance cash on hand at this date.

A. \$4,926.64.

Q. Is that the amount remaining in your hands as treasurer?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Is there some proportion of it in the banks?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Give the amounts?

A. National City Bank, \$1,656.40; First National, \$829.80; balance in my hands, \$2,440.44.

The President of this association is paid a salary of \$50.00 per month. The remainder of the expense fund, consisting of 20 per cent of the assessments and 20 per cent of the membership fees, is divided among the other officers of the company as appears in Treasurer's testimony.

Committee Rooms, April 18, 1887.

Horace M. Dresser, being duly sworn, testified that he was 32 years of age; that he resides in Mason; that he was formerly a day laborer, but had been working at insurance for two years; that he had worked for the Mutual Life of Mason, the Old People's Mutual of Benton Harbor, and the Elkhart company; that he presumed he had taken 100 applications for insurance; that he had been paid from 60 to 100 per cent of the membership fee for such work; that as a rule in the transaction of this business the agent writes the application and the beneficiary signs it; that the person whose life is insured is not consulted in more than ten per cent of the cases; that the person insured is not present, and in fact need not be in the State at the time the insurance is taken; that he has a case now where the party is just waiting to go to New York on a visit to find out in regard to the health of a party he wants to insure and then come back and get the insurance; that the medical blank on the applications are usually filled out by the beneficiary, or by the agent, through the instructions of the beneficiary, and as a rule is signed by the beneficiary; that the person insured is not always in good health; that where they have had paralysis or gravel were the only two diseases for which he had had applications sent back; that in fact a majority of cases are sent in as being sound; that the companies do not care anything about rheumatism, a man may be all crippled up and drawn out of shape by rheumatism, so long as there is nothing the matter of the heart. If an application is rejected by one company it is the habit to send it to another, and it is usually accepted by some one of the companies. That it is a standing joke among the agents of this class of companies, that if other companies reject an application "send it to Reading and it will go;" that he thinks there are about twenty thousand old people living in Michigan whose lives are insured in old people's companies, and that probably eighteen thousand of them have no knowledge that they are insured; that in Eaton and Ingham counties and a portion of Clinton county, fully half or two-thirds of the old people are insured; that it has been customary with many of these companies to compromise death claims wherever they can, and that that is a part of the scheme of some of the companies; that the Mason company are in the habit of doing that, and a company that used to do business in Lansing also; that the president of the Mason company is reported to be connected with the Bohemian Oat association, and that the treasurer, Mr. Rogers, and the manager of agents, Mr. Houser, are engaged in selling Bonded Grain, and by Bonded Grain he means German Barley, Bohemian Oats and Bonded Wheat; that it was all the same swindle, but they paid one swindle by springing another on a fellow.

Edward O. Kelley, being duly sworn, testified his age was 57, his residence Lansing, his occupation fire, life and accident insurance, and that he had been engaged in it about four or five years. That he had done business for the Old People's Life of Battle Creek, the Standard Life of Marshall, the Old People's

Life Insurance Co. at Jackson, and the Industrial of Corunna. That he had probably taken 15 or 20 applications for the Battle Creek Co., eight or ten for the Standard of Marshall, possibly 30 for the Jackson Co., 15 or 20 for the Corunna Co., and one or two for the Equable of Lansing. That his commissions were about 80 per cent of the membership fees. That the instructions of the companies are that the insured and beneficiary are to be relatives; that all the companies want a medical examination; that that is generally secured by getting some physician that is acquainted with the party. Where the physicians know the person who is to be insured they do not always go before the physician. That the class of people who are most apt to be insured under this plan are the people in average circumstances, neither very poor or very wealthy, and both the intelligent and the ignorant. That he does not seek or solicit applications in this kind of insurance. That he does not run after it at all, but that parties who want that kind of insurance come to him. That the party who is asking for the insurance dictates what shall be written in the application, and that the person to be insured is not always present, and in one or two cases he has taken applications where the party to be insured lived out of the State. That the beneficiary signs the application for the applicant in most cases. That not more than one-third of the applications for the insurance are made by the person whose life is insured. The medical examination is not always made by a physician. Some persons take applications signed by the beneficiary. That he always writes the condition of the insured in the application as far as he knows it, and when he does not know the person he takes the beneficiary's word for it. That as far as his business goes about one-quarter of the people insured in this class of companies do not know anything about it. That all the companies in the State would insure the same person. That he is carrying insurance upon Louisa Bellingham, who is his sister-in-law; that he has \$1,000 in the Jackson Co. upon her, \$1,000 in Battle Creek, \$1,000 in Corunna, and \$1,000 in the Standard; that most of this insurance is in his wife's name. That there may be one or two policies in his name. That this lady lives with him, that she has an income of \$200 a year, and aside from that he furnishes her everything; that she knows that her life is insured by him, and that he signed the application for her in her name. That he is carrying \$3,000 insurance upon the life of his sister who lives in Missouri; that she knows of it but did not sign the application.

Committee Rooms, April 20, 1887.

William J. Makely, being duly sworn, testified that he resided in Mason and was 51 years old. That his business has been life insurance for a little more than four years; that he had done business for the Detroit Commercial, The Marshall Mutual, the Old People's of Elkhart, the Standard of Fort Wayne, the Mason Mutual, the Lansing Mutual, the Loyal Life of Reading, and the Benton Harbor companies; that he has taken perhaps 75 applications for the Standard, seven or eight hundred for the Elkhart, or perhaps more, a hundred for the Reading Co., may be 50 for the Benton Harbor Co., and about 50 for the Mason Co.; that he averages to take 360 applications in a year; that he works for the membership fee, and that he averages ten dollars a day for his services. That the companies instruct him that the relationship between the beneficiary and the insured may be either by blood or by marriage. That in seeking for an application that he shows parties by the American Expectancy

Table how long an old person may be expected to live and figure what the insurance would cost each year and show them that they will be likely to soon realize upon their investment, and tell them that they have a right to take an insurance upon an uncle or an aunt, or their grand-father or grand-mother, or their wife's relatives, or their cousins, brothers, sisters, mother-in-law or step-mother. That the beneficiaries dictate the answers to the questions in the application and sign the application with the name of the party to be insured. That the person insured is not always within the limits of the State at the time. That the beneficiary signs the medical examination when there is no doctor that knows the party; that he has known parties to be insured that were in poor health; that he has known persons to die within thirty days from the time they were insured. That it is the custom for more than one company to insure the same person. That if an application is sent to one company and rejected, that it is kept passing around from one company to another until it is accepted. Being asked the question if he thought that a system which admits of one person speculating upon the life or death of another should be classed as life insurance, he answered: "I have worked at it so long that it does seem to me as though it should, yes." That he is not aware that a policy obtained upon an application upon which the name of the insured was forged is an illegal transaction. That he does not know what an insurable interest is and does not care. That he would write an insurance upon the life of any person if the company would accept it. That he has written twenty thousand dollars of insurance for Ormond M. Spitzer of Mason. That part of it is upon Mr. Spitzer's father-in-law, part upon his mother and part upon his grand-mother, and that Mr. Spitzer signed the application in each case and the medical certificate. That two of these parties do not live in the State. That he wrote insurance upon Eugene Griffin and Enos Griffin for Lucy M. Shannon of Mason, upon the application of Lucy M. Shannon's husband, and that Mr. Shannon dictated the application and signed them. That he thinks Mrs. Shannon and the Griffins are cousins. That he himself is carrying insurance on the life of his brother, 69 years of age. That he made the application and signed it in his brother's name, and that his brother does not know of it. That the ground upon which he put this insurance was that he worked a great deal for his brother about 25 years ago and never received any pay for it, and thought he had a right to carry this insurance; that it would be a good scheme. That it is customary that the beneficiary should sign the applicant's name to an application. That his instructions have been that the applicant's name must be signed and that if the beneficiary knew the condition of the applicant that he should sign it; that within the last three years he has placed about three hundred applications in the Elkhart Co. That most of the people he approached seemed to want insurance in that company, and that he in those cases would supply them with a blank application and fill it out, they would sign it, he would tell them they would have to be their own agent, he would send the application to the company and the certificate would be sent directly to the beneficiary.

In relation to his manner of soliciting insurance he testified: "I approach a man and tell him I am working the graveyard swindle and ask him if he wants to be beat at it; telling him I am beating somebody at it every day. Sometimes I approach them that way, not always. I tell them that I cannot write for him unless I make something out of it, but that in my judgement it is a good speculation, and that if they go into it there is a chance of their

making something. I tell them that as long as they pay their assessments and each one pay their assessments the members make the company and not the officers, and if they go into it the probabilities are that they will realize largely upon the speculation."

He further testified that most of the people who go into it do so purely as a matter of speculation, that it is a good, fair way of gambling.

THE WESTERN UNION MUTUAL LIFE AND ACCIDENT SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES.

Began business in March, 1880, and has now policies in force upon the lives of over 3,600 people. It issues policies upon the lives of its members, covering the ages of from 17 to 60 years, for \$2,500, \$5,000, \$7,500 or \$10,000. Its assessments or death premiums, as they are called, range from \$8.80 upon persons of the age of 25 or under, to \$13.65 upon persons of the age of 60 for a \$10,000 policy. Briefly, its plans and methods are based upon the actual experience of the business of life insurance, as gathered from the official reports and statistics of the old line companies. Its affairs are conducted upon strict business principles. Its policies take effect when issued. Every member must keep one death premium paid in advance, so that there is always on hand in cash in the death benefit fund at least the aggregate amount of one death premium on every policy in force. Death premiums are not called for on every loss, but a call is made whenever a loss occurs the payment of which would reduce the amount of the death benefit fund below the aggregate sum of one death premium on every policy in force. No portion of the death premiums can be used in the payment of expenses, but the expenses are limited to an annual due of \$2.00 per each \$1,000 of insurance, and all expenses must be paid from this source. Its business is not confined to this State, but it must be all done north of the 37th parallel.

Upon a critical examination of the affairs in its office, your committee find everything there conducted with the same care and attention, to the minutest detail that is used in the most successful business houses. A further statement of the management of its business, and of the principles which, in the opinion of its officers, underlie the whole system of successful life insurance upon the assessment plan, will be found in the testimony of the secretary, which we append:

Lyman M. Thayer, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Examined by Mr. Cross.

Q. Your residence, age and occupation?

A. My residence is Detroit; my age about fifty-four; occupation, insurance. I am the secretary and one of the managers of the Western Union Mutual Life and Accident Society of the United States.

Q. How long have you been connected with that society?

A. From its organization. That was in February, 1880.

Q. Had you any previous knowledge of insurance?

A. Yes, I had been in the life insurance business about twenty-five years.

Q. In what capacity, prior to your connection with this company?

A. I was for a number of years a solicitor, and then after that period I was one of the general agents of the Equitable Life Insurance Society of New York, for the States of Ohio and West Virginia for four years. Then I was general agent of the Michigan Mutual from 1868 up to 1880.

Q. Were you one of the incorporators of the Western Union?

A. One of the associates of the incorporators.

Q. Who are those who were associated with you in organizing the company?

A. James L. Edson, Levi T. Griffin, Don M. Dickinson, Ford D. C. Hinchman, Butler Ives, William L. Brace, William B. McCreary, William H. Dunning, and myself.

Q. What was your general plan of organization?

A. Our general plan of business is set forth in our articles of association. Our system of insurance perhaps I could more fully explain to you.

A. What is your system of insurance?

A. In the first place, the company is a purely mutual company, the policy holders being interested in the affairs of the company, one just as much as another, excepting as to the amount of insurance carried. Of course a man who has a ten thousand dollar policy has four times as much power in voting as a man who has a twenty-five hundred dollar policy.

Q. What is the largest policy you issue.

A. Ten thousand dollars is the largest amount of insurance and twenty-five hundred the smallest amount we carry on any one life. A man may carry four twenty-five hundred dollar policies or one twenty-five hundred dollar policy, or a twenty-five hundred and a five thousand dollar policy, but the largest amount we carry on any one life is ten thousand dollars, and the minimum is twenty-five hundred dollars.

Q. You do your business upon what is known as the assessment plan?

A. We are organized under the law under which assessment insurance is done, but we do not use the word "assessment" in our articles of association or in our business. Our premiums are called premiums, but of course the theory is the assessment plan.

Q. You are organized under the law providing for the organizations of assessment companies?

A. We are organized under the law providing for the organization of companies for doing business on the assessment plan, but simply as a matter of taste, perhaps, more than anything else, we do not use the word "assessment," but we use the term "death premiums" for our premiums that we pay losses from, and "expense premiums" for the premiums we pay expenses from. The theory of the company is that every man carries insurance at just what it costs. Each man pays his share of the losses that occur in proportion to the amount of risk on his life and his age at the time the loss occurs.

Q. At the time the loss occurs?

A. Yes, sir; our death premiums are made up in this way: They are made up on the American table of mortality, loaded with a percentage to cover the contingency of the continuance of policies in force. We add to the mortality rate as laid down by the American table a certain percentage to cover the contingency of the continuance in force of a policy.

Q. Explain that.

A. That is the chance or the length of time, of the chance that the policy would be continued in force.

Q. Are there any statistics upon that question?

A. Yes, sir. The statistics are laid down in the history of any of the old line life insurance companies. That is simply taking out the death rate and the lapse rate. In the plan of the regular life insurance companies, as they are termed, they assume that every man who takes a policy is going to carry it

through until death occurs or until the end of the endowment? Whereas there are a very small number of people ever die while their policies are in force; that is, a small number in proportion to those that are insured. In other words, the statistics show that policies are continued in force in old line companies less than seven years; 6-7 is the exact fraction that expresses the length of time that policies are carried. To explain that a little further, I mean to say that the statistics prove that a policy in the old line companies continues in force 6-7 years; call it in round numbers seven years. In other words, every life insurance company has a new set of policy holders, on an average, every seven years. Of course we know that there are some men insured in the old line companies that have had policies 25 or 30 or 40 years that are still living and keep their policies in force. But when you come to get the average length of time of all the policies carried it is less than seven years. And another point is that only ten out of a thousand really reap the benefit of the insurance that they take. All the others drop out before the contingency of death or term for which they are insured expires. And that you see is where I get at this contingency of continuance. When a man insures his life it is presumed he is going to keep it up until he dies. But when you come to take the other factor, which is the lapse of policies every year, there is the chance that the policy is going to drop away during the first year or the second year, or the third year. So I add to the American table of mortality a certain sum to cover the contingency, assuming that a policy would only be carried seven years. If our experience should prove that our policies are carried an average of more than seven years, then a slight inequity will begin, and it will increase as our policies continue beyond seven years. But if our experience in lapses should prove to be as it has been in the old time companies, there will be no inequity at all between these policy holders.

Q. Do you refer in that to the increase in the average age of your members?

A. No, I do not exactly refer to the average age. I do refer, however, to the increased risk that comes with the increased age of the policy holders.

Q. The inequity that you refer to is in that the cost of carrying the insurance of persistent members will be larger as the years go on?

A. Yes, if our experience should prove that our policies average to continue after seven years there is an inequity that can creep in. If our policies should average to continue in force ten years instead of seven, there will be an inequity creeping in for three years.

Q. Explain how you would do justice by the members?

A. There will be no way in which we can do away with that inequity at all, unless we can accumulate a reserve fund or emergency fund, whichever it may be called. If we can lay aside an emergency fund to a limited extent, then we can do away with that inequity. So far as our experience teaches, so far as we have got now, our lapse is very small, it is so small that our policies will average to continue in force longer than seven years. Of course we cannot tell what the next year will produce. We have been doing business seven years, and we have had a much smaller rate of lapse so far than any old line company that we have any record of.

Q. How do you account for that?

A. I do not know of any way, excepting the class of men we have in our business, the satisfactory manner in which our company has been conducted, the satisfactory results of the management of the company, and in the selection of risks, of course that has brought a low cost of carrying policies.

Q. Between what ages do you confine your membership?

A. We do not write anyone under 16 nor anyone over 60 years of age. A person under 25 years has to pay the same rate as a person of 25 years. We have a very small number under 25 years of age.

Q. What is the average age of your membership?

A. The average of our entire membership on the 31st day of December last was 43.77 years. That was on the total membership, taking each persons age on the 31st of December, the present age of any man that is insured in the company. Not the average age at the issue of the policy, but this is the average age of every man. Some men have been in six years and some five years, and this is the average age of every man insured in the company.

Q. You obtain that by taking the sum of all the ages and dividing by the number of members?

A. Yes, sir. Then we did it in another way, which increased the average about eight-tenths, making it 44 years and something, by multiplying the sum of all the ages by the amount of insurance at each age and getting the average.

Q. That is hardly as accurate as the other method?

A. No, sir; although some actuaries claim it is the true way to get the average age. It is the average liability; it is not really the average age of the members insured.

Q. Has the average age of your members perceptibly increased?

A. The average age of our members at the age of issue was about 42, and the increase has been almost imperceptible. I think it is about seventy-four one-hundredths of a year. The average age of our policies at issue, of all our policies, was about 43, but the average age of our business last year was a little younger than the average rate of issue of all our policies, younger than any year previous to that, and of course that to some extent reduced the age of all our policies.

Q. Will not the tendency be the increasing of the average age of your members in the coming year?

A. Of course that will depend altogether upon the way our policies hold on. If our policies should hold on in the same way they have in the past, unless we can decrease the average age of our new members each year, of course the tendency will be to increase the average age of the members.

Q. And that increases the liability?

A. That increases the liability.

Q. Then you would need an emergency fund in order to provide for that?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Would that, in your judgment, be essential to the perpetuity of the company?

A. I think it will.

Q. The American table of mortality is a uniform table?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Used by all life insurance companies?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And it is thoroughly reliable?

A. It is thoroughly reliable. It is high enough to cover all contingencies. There is no regular life insurance company that exceeds seventy-three per cent of the rate assumed by the American table.

Q. What do you consider to be the necessary qualities of a successful life insurance company?

A. I think to have a successful life insurance company, and particularly in a mutual company, or a company doing business on the assessment plan, as it is usually termed, the foundation rock upon which it must be placed is the selection of risks.

Q. And economy in the administration of its affairs?

A. Of course if the expenses are limited to a certain sum per thousand dollars of insurance, then it may be termed economical or it may be termed expensive. There are some companies that limit the expenses to a certain amount per annum on each thousand dollars of insurance carried. There are other companies that have a certain annual expense premium, and in addition to that they take a certain sum of certain kind of expenses that they have to pay out of the death premiums, thereby opening the door to any kind of expense that they can charge up to that fund. I think that is a very dangerous thing.

Q. The two factors then would be the selection of risks and economy in the administration?

A. Yes, and the conducting of business on business principles. You have to be much more particular about it than you do in old line insurance, because in that you have a binding quality in the higher premium and the reserve, which you have not in a mutual company.

Q. The companies organized upon your plan have to depend upon the confidence of the people?

A. Yes, sir; and the moment a company happens to get a black eye it falls to pieces very rapidly.

Q. Then you depend for the perpetuity of companies organized upon your plan upon an emergency fund?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. To what extent would you suppose that to be necessary?

A. As I said before, I put the figures at five per cent when I spoke about the provisions of a law. I think a limit of five per cent—and in that connection it is well to bear in mind that no company—I do not know of any company that is doing business upon this system that could lay aside more than 25 per cent of their death premiums, their mortality premiums. I have made a calculation of how long it would take us, if we should collect eight death premiums in a year, and lay aside 25 per cent, if we did not touch the reserve fund at all, to pay any excess of mortality, it would take us from 13 to 15 years before we would have three per cent laid aside; that is, before we would have three hundred dollars laid aside on a ten thousand dollar policy. If we had five per cent it would take nearly twenty years before we would get it; that is, not touching it at all, until we have the full limit. My idea of a reserve fund is not only to equalize the losses but to equalize the increased mortality and also to equalize the number of premiums the company should call for in a year. For instance, take my own company; we have during the last four years called six death premiums a year. Now, if during this year we should have a rate of mortality that would make it necessary to call for eight or ten, as might possibly be, it would cause an immense lapse of policies. Men would say, "Now, the time has come, old death has struck them, and now is the time for us to get out and get into a new company, elsewhere," and we should have an immense lapse rate. If we had on hand a reserve fund from which we could pay the excess of losses that year, and only call for six premiums, our policies would go right along just as they now. I think this is a very important

matter in regard to a reserve, that when you have a rate of mortality that exceeds a certain sum, that you can take the reserve fund to pay that and thereby keep the rate of your assessments going right along as before.

Q. What in your opinion would be the desirability of providing a specific sum to be paid by companies organized upon your plan and insist that the company shall pay the full sum named in the certificate?

A. My idea is, that I think it is just the thing that ought to be required. I think every company that issues a policy should issue its policies for a specific amount, and whenever they cannot pay that the sooner they wind up the better, it is going to be better for the public and better for the companies that can pay.

Q. And the less the liability of the public to be deceived?

A. Yes, sir. If a company issues a policy for one thousand dollars they ought to pay one thousand dollars. Not have "FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS" printed in very large type and then have printed in very fine type, that a man cannot read without a magnifying glass, that it will depend upon the men that pay their assessments, how much the association will pay. And if the Western Union gets into a place where it cannot pay its policies in full, I shall be the first man to move to put it into the hands of a receiver and wind it up.

Q. What is the nature of the contract which you execute with your members, or that the members execute with the society, whether it is a mutual contract or not?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. A contract of mutuality?

A. It is.

Q. Is it similar to contracts that are made by mutual fire insurance companies and their members?

A. I could not answer that. I really do not know as I ever saw a fire insurance policy issued by a mutual company.

Q. Your understanding of the nature of your contract is that it is a mutual contract between the members?

A. Yes, purely mutual. One man is just as much interested as another in proportion to the amount of risk we have on his life. That is the governing power.

Q. Then in equity each member should receive as much benefit as any other member?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Ought not the company to enforce the contract so far as relates to its members?

A. We call our premiums in advance. We have our death premiums on hand; so that when a man drops his policy,—I would not say that there would not be any exception to a case of that kind—but in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred when a man drops his policy he has paid for all the insurance he has had up to that time; he has paid for all the losses that have occurred. There might possibly be a case where he would not have paid perhaps within one assessment. It would depend upon the date that the last loss happened to drop in, previous to the premium on which he lapsed his policy.

Q. Circumstances might occur whereby a liability might be created against the company and they have no funds with which to meet it?

A. Yes, where they had not provided for a loss that would occur while that policy was absolutely in force, but not to exceed one out of a hundred.

* Q. In a case of that kind the company would, in your judgment, have a right to enforce the collection of assessments?

A. Of course there never has been anything of that kind tried. What the law might do in case a company got into trouble and the thing lingered along and losses accumulated, and then a receiver should take it, I am not enough of a lawyer to know what might be done with them. I know a great many good lawyers in this State and other States assume that any liability that might occur while a man's policy is in force could be enforced against the policy holder.

Q. What is your general plan of doing business so far as the selection of members is concerned?

A. In the first place, we as managers have nothing to do with who are appointed medical examiners of the company, or the medical director, or with who shall be written or shall not be written. That is placed entirely in the hands of the medical director. The medical director is elected by the board of trustees and paid a salary. He is not interested in the business one way or another, either in having applications rejected or accepted, except to make the very best selection he can. He appoints the medical examiners. The applications come in and are placed on his desk. He looks them over and decides whether they are to be accepted or not, and no policy can be written until his written approval is on the application.

Q. What are your rules with regard to the insurable interests in the certificates?

A. We do not issue a policy to anyone who has not an insurable interest. And by insurable interest I mean we do go so far as to issue a policy to a creditor; that is, a policy is made payable to the executor, administrator or assigns of a member. In order to assign that policy a member has to give us a notice of the assignment of it, and it can only be assigned as the interest of the assignee may appear, and he has to prove his interest under oath when we settle the loss. We have paid some losses in that way.

Q. You pay simply the interest of the insured?

A. Yes, and the balance goes to the beneficiary named in the policy, if not it goes to the estate of the member.

Q. What is your definition of an insurable interest? What is the practice of your company as to insurable interests?

A. If you mean outside of the family, I would say a person who is pecuniarily interested in the continuance of the life of the insured—that is, it might be a creditor. But we do not insure anybody that does not make an application for the insurance himself, and he, for instance, designates that he wants it for the benefit of a certain creditor. We do not allow the creditor to make an application upon a man's life and we issue the policy; the insured is the man we make the contract with and he is the only man we recognize in anything we do. We only send a notice to creditor or beneficiary as a matter of courtesy, and we always send a notice to the person insured. There is not a person insured on our books that does not get a notice of the premium due in advance. Where there is a creditor we put it on the card that we send it as a matter of courtesy so that if the party insured does not pay it he can pay it himself; that is, when the creditor is the assignee of the policy.

Q. Would you recognize an application not signed by the insured as good?

A. We would not recognize it all.

Q. Would you issue a certificate upon it?

A. No, sir; we would not consider it at all. We would not even present it to our medical director.

Q. A certificate issued upon an application not signed by the assured would be null and void?

A. Yes, sir. It could not be issued at all in the first place. We have two separate checks upon that. In the first place we have a witness to the signature of the man to the application, then we have the medical examiner as a witness to the signature of the man to the medical examination. We have that signature in both places. So that we look at the signature on the side of the application, and compare it with the signature to the medical examination. And the medical examiner certifies on the medical examination side of the application that that man is the person who signed the application on the other side of the paper, and the contract is based upon that statement being true. If it is not true his policy would be void. We have thrown around that part of the business all the safeguards that he have thought of thus far.

Q. You do not accept a physician's certificate upon an application as good when made out by the applicant himself?

A. No, sir. Every application must be written in ink, by the medical examiner, in his own handwriting. If it is written up in one handwriting and signed by another, we would not accept it. Doctors will sometimes say, "my clerk or my assistant filled this up and I signed it." We say we do not accept of any such examination. You have got to answer every question in your own handwriting, and put your signature to it and certify that it is all done in your own handwriting, and it must be done in ink.

Q. You prefer to hold your medical examiner responsible for the result of his examination?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You pay him for his examination?

A. Yes, pay for every examination made, whether the application is accepted or not. We pay it out of the advance premium; we do not have the man pay it himself.

Q. Are your medical examiners appointed by the company?

A. They are appointed by the medical director upon a regular certificate issued by the medical director. They have to make application for appointment, giving their age, the length of time they have been in practice, where they graduated, what year they graduated, and all that sort of information, and refer to not less than three other physicians and two prominent persons where they reside, and then when they come before the doctor he looks them up and finds their record to see if they graduated where they say they did, etc. Another thing, we confine our examinations to one or two men, depending upon the size of the place. In a place like Chicago we have four examiners, and all examinations are made by one of those examiners, and we do not go outside of those four. In a place of this size we have two. All our examinations here are made by Dr. Lyster himself.

Q. How many assessments do you make in the course of a year?

A. We have been getting our business in shape so that we have been able to make our collections four times a year, but it has averaged and has been for six assessments made in four collections.

Q. Do you allow any specific number of deaths to accumulate before you make a call?

A. Our basis for making a call is that we must have losses that cannot be

paid out of the amount of money in the death benefit fund and leave at least a single death premium on every policy in force.

Q. Then you make your assessments in advance?

A. Yes, sir; our company was the first company, and until very recently the only company organized that made their members pay for the insurances at the start. Most of the companies now simply ask them to pay an initiation fee and to be assessed whenever a death occurs. Perhaps they may enjoy the benefits of the insurance and even die before an assessment is made. We make them pay one in advance from the start. We never have in the death benefit fund a sum less than one premium on every policy in force in cash in bank to the credit of the corporate name of the company. That cannot be drawn out, excepting upon the check of the president, countersigned by the treasurer and secretary, and payable to the order of the beneficiary of the deceased member. The only exception to it would be if the trustees should order a transfer of the death benefit fund from one bank to another.

Q. Is there any limit to the number of assessments which you can make?

A. No, sir; it is only limited by the deaths we have. We have to make calls to cover all the deaths.

Q. What proportion of the amount of the death premium goes into the death benefit fund?

A. Every cent of it. All expenses, of every name and nature, are paid out of the expense premiums. Every dollar of money that is paid for death premiums goes into the death benefit fund?

Q. How are those expense premiums divided?

A. There is two dollars on a thousand per year on each policy issued, and they come due in advance. The first one is paid in the first premium, and then they come due on the 15th of the month of the issue of the policy in every year. Of the policies in the month of April the annual expense premiums come due every year on the 15th day of April. It is an annual premium. Our policy expressly states that they must pay that amount of money on the 15th of the month in every year during the continuance of the policy, and we notify them 30 days previous to that time just as we do their regular assessments?

Q. From this expense premium is paid the entire expenses?

A. Yes, sir; these premiums are charged to cash when they come in and credited to the expense fund and from these expense premiums all our expenses are paid.

Q. A man of 35 years of age, what would it cost him to insure in your company for five thousand dollars?

A. For five thousand dollars he would pay when he takes the policy thirty-five dollars. Thirty dollars of that would be for expenses; five dollars would be his death premium. When he paid his thirty-five dollars his policy would take effect. That money is handed into our office, we pay the agent's commission, medical examiner, postage, exchange, and the balance of it remains in the fund to pay the expenses for the year. The death benefit premium is paid into the death benefit fund, and when we call on him for his premium he has to pay five dollars. If we call for two it is ten dollars. If we call for three it is fifteen dollars. When we send out a notice we send out a statement of the losses that have occurred since the last call, and also a statement of the money that has been paid into the death benefit fund, the amount of money drawn from the death benefit fund, and a certificate of the bank of the amount of money in the bank to the credit of the Western Union Mutual Life and Accident Society.

Q. You speak of "Accident?"

A. Under our articles of association we had the right to do accident business as well as life insurance business, but we never have done anything under the accident plan.

Q. Do you know what the expectancy under the American Table of Mortality is of a man of 35?

A. It is about 33 years.

Q. What would be, under ordinary circumstances, the average number of assessments for a man of 35?

A. There would be the same number on all the different ages. I was going on to say that we have, during the last four years—at the beginning of the company we did not have any losses the first year and only one or two losses the second year, but during the last four years we have only been obliged to call six premiums a year, and that has been done in four calls. In some we called for two and in some for one. That would be at the age of 35, a cost to him of thirty dollars and his expense premium ten dollars, making just forty dollars that it would cost him to carry a five thousand dollar policy in a year.

Q. Then to carry the 33 years would be how much?

A. Say \$1,300.

Q. Then at the end of the period of expectancy?

A. If he keeps on paying for the 33 years he would get five thousand dollars. If he died in 20 minutes after his policy was in force we would pay him five thousand dollars. Now, the expectancy of life, truly and in fact, has nothing to do with life insurance contracts. The premium is not based on a man's expectation of life, because the expectation of life is constantly changing. Say it is 33 years when he is 35, it will be 32 years and a fraction when he is 36, and when he gets to be 80 or 90 he has still another expectation that carries him on, so that the premiums could not be based upon that. The premiums in old line companies are based on the chances of living a year, and the chances of dying in a year, and that constantly increases. Commencing at the age of ten with a certain number of men, at the age of eleven there is a still other number, and when you get down to the age of 95, they are all gone. They assume that every man is going to die at the end of the year when he is ninety-five years of age.

All of which is most respectfully submitted for the careful consideration of this Legislature, and ask to be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

S. W. WESTGATE,

J. S. GORMAN,

Senate Committee.

J. S. CROSS,

F. A. DOUGLAS,

J. V. GOODRICH,

House Committee.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, April 22, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

[Senate bill No. 99 (file No. 34), being]

An act making an appropriation for the Pioneer Society of the State of Michigan for the years 1887 and 1888;

Also,

[Senate bill No. 147 (file No. 173), being]

An act to amend section 503 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 511 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 134 of the session laws of 1883, being an act relative to the election of county auditors for the county of Wayne;

Also,

[Senate bill No. 115 (file No. 76), being]

An act concerning the testimony of minors;

Also,

[Senate bill No. 301 (file No. 141), being]

An act to authorize the Calhoun county agricultural society to mortgage its real estate;

Also,

[Senate bill No. 248 (file No. 128), being]

An act to legalize the proceedings had in laying out, cleaning out, clearing, deepening and completing a certain ditch or drain in the township of Byron, in the county of Kent, known and designated as "The Buck Creek drain," and to legalize the tax therefor;

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 20, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 65 (file No. 57), entitled

An act to amend section 11 of chapter 4, act No. 164, laws of 1881, relating to the duties of township clerks in apportioning school moneys,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended section 1 of the bill by inserting in line 2 the word "session" before the word "laws."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title by inserting the word "session" before the word "laws," and further by inserting before the word "relating" the words "being section 5088 of Howell's annotated statutes."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, and with the titled so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the Senate to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate did concur, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Westgate,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Raiden,	Willits,	
Barton.	Howell,	Roof,	President	
Crosby,	Mayo,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i>	23
Edwards,	Moon,	Sharp,		
Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,		

NAYS.

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The title as amended was then agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bills:

1. House bill No. 809 (file No. 331), entitled

A bill to amend section 16 of act number 173 of the session laws of 1885, being section 6829 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to justice courts;

2. House bill No. 441 (file No. 328), entitled

A bill to prohibit the employment of children under 14 years of age and of females under sixteen years of age for more than 9 hours a day,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on state affairs.

The President *pro tem* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bills:

1. House bill No. 198 (file No. 332), entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the board of school inspectors of the township of Nottawa, in the county of Isabella, and to establish the boundaries

of school district number two in said township,

2. House bill No. 355 (file No. 342), entitled

A bill to protect children and prevent them from being educated in immorality and crime;

3. House bill No. 216 (file No. 329) entitled

A bill to authorize the trustees, vestrymen, consistory, or other governing body of any religious society incorporated under the laws of this State, to receive money by gift or bequest when the same is to be invested and the income thereof applied in payment or part payment of the salary of their minister, priest, rector, parson or clergyman;

4. House bill No. 429 (file No. 330) entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from graded school district No. 4 of Evergreen, Sidney, Bushnell and Fairplains, and from primary school districts Nos. 1 and 5 of the township of Sidney, and from fractional district No. 6 of the townships of Evergreen and Sidney, in the county of Montcalm, and erect the same into a primary school district, and to provide for the first meeting of said district;

5. House bill No. 670 (file No. 324), entitled

A bill to prohibit the destruction of fish in Hogsett Lake in the township of Portage, and Gourdneck Lake in the townships of Portage and Schoolcraft, in Kalamazoo county,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on education and public schools.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on religious and benevolent societies.

The fourth named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on education and public schools.

The fifth named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on fisheries.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Westgate moved to take from the table the following resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That three thousand copies of the report of the select joint committee on insurance, on their investigation of the life insurance business as conducted in this State, together with the testimony taken before said committee and accompanying the report, be printed in pamphlet form for the use of the legislature,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion to amend by striking out the words "three thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifteen hundred,"

Pending the same,

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The resolution was referred to the committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses.

Mr. W. I. Babcock moved that when the Senate adjourn to-day it adjourn to next Monday, April 25, at 9:30 o'clock p. m.,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sharp moved to take from the table

Senate bill No 381, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the agricultural society and providing for a tax therefor,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Mayo to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 50 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 280, of Howell's annotated statutes, being compiler's section 8137, relative to proceedings by and against corporations in courts of law,

House bill No. 266 (file No. 145), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 9 of act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883;

Senate bill No. 393 (file No. 297), entitled

A bill to amend section 1226, of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to taxes on mining and smelting companies;

Senate bill No. 394 (file No. 208), entitled

A bill to amend section 1225 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the payment of specific taxes to counties in the Upper Peninsula,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The time being 11:45 o'clock A. M.

The executive session closed,

The time being 12 o'clock M.

Mr. Sharp moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate agreed to adjourn until Monday, April 25, at 9.30 P. M.

Pending which,

Mr. Roof moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, Harshaw,	Mr. Moon, O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof, Stark,	Mr. Westgate, Willits,	8
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NAYS.

Mr. Barringer, Barton, Crosby, Edwards,	Mr. Giddings, Holbrook, Mayo,	Mr. Palmer, Potter, Rairden,	Sharp, President <i>pro tem.</i> , 12
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The motion to reconsider then prevailed.

The question being on the motion relative to adjournment to 9:30 o'clock
P. M., Monday, April 25,

Pending the same,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, April 25, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.*
at 2 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by Senator Westgate.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Fox, Howell, Mayo, Moon, Post and Willits.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

All absentees were excused for the day.

Mr. W. I. Babcock asked and obtained indefinite leave of absence for Mr. Willits.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 242 (file No. 171), being House reprint of Senate file No. 78, entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of improving rivers which form in whole or part the boundary between this and any adjoining State, and their tributaries, and for driving, sorting, holding and delivering logs thereon,

2. Senate bill No. 65 (file No. 57), entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 4 of act No. 164, session laws of 1881, being section 5088 of Howell's annotated statutes, relating to the duties of township clerks in apportioning school moneys.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By Mr. Sharp, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 208, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of stenographers in the several judicial circuits of this State, to define their powers and duties, to fix their compensation, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that it be printed for the use of the committee.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The bill was ordered printed for the use of the committee.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon

The President *pro tem.* called Mr. W. I. Babcock to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:
Senate bill No. 169 (file No. 195), entitled

A bill to make it a misdemeanor to remove, destroy, damage, or dispose of any personal property that shall have been seized on an attachment, or levied upon under an execution issued from any court of competent jurisdiction in the State, while such seizure or levy is in force, without first giving the bond or other security therefor, if any required by law, and to provide the punishment therefor,

House bill No. 333 (file No. 287), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and being act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 369 (file No. 129), entitled

A bill to amend act 145, session laws of 1881, being section 8412 Howell's annotated statutes, relative to liens for labor,

Senate bill No. 452 (file No. 185), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 7 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing, and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, being section 1384 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Senate bill No. 222 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the House of the Good Shepherd at Detroit,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 351 (file No. 281), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 177 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act relative to the delivery of grain by railway companies," approved May 31, 1881, being compilers's section 3422 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to Senate, with the recommendation that the bill be committed to the committees on State affairs and railroads jointly.

IV.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 314 (file No. 206), entitled

A bill to amend sections 26, 34, 36, 43 and 46 of act 194 of the public acts of 1877, being compiler's chapter 46, sections 1904, 1912, 1914, 1921 and 1924 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the organization, regulation and management of the asylums for the insane, and effectually to provide for the care, maintenance and recovery of the insane,

And report the same back to the Senate, together with certain tables prepared by Senator Crosby, recommending that the tables be printed in the Journal, and the bill and the tables be recommitted to the committee of the whole.

W. I. BABCOCK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill, and the same was committed to the committees on State affairs and railroads jointly.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the fourth named bill, and the tables were ordered spread at length on the journal, and the bill and tables recommitted to the committee of the whole.

The following are the tables:

ders, Tramps, Children to State Public School, and for Sup-

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CONDENSED STATEMENT by Counties of Loss and Gain in amount paid by Counties from 1879 to 1886 (both inclusive) 8 years, for Coroner's fees, conveying convicts to State Prison, State House of Correction, care of juvenile offenders, transportation of children to State Public School, and support of indigent insane, permanent and non-resident.

Population, 1884.		Taxation Es- caped, Counties which gain for eight Years.	Taxation added, Coun- ties which lose for eight Years.		Population, 1884.
12,717	Alpena.....	\$11,957 67	Alcona.....	\$221 45	4,068
8,790	Antrim.....	3,808 98	Alger.....	675 53	.....
24,217	Barry.....	2,357 38	Allegan.....	12,324 18	33,724
27,514	Berrien.....	15,394 18	Arenac.....	108 93	4,083
9,973	Cheboygan.....	745 90	Baraga.....	398 40	3,040
8,273	Chippewa.....	3,608 76	Bay.....	7,187 95	51,265
9,907	Delta.....	1,646 32	Benzie.....	923 32	4,394
25,825	Genesee.....	7,541 47	Branch.....	4,891 63	27,873
23,151	Houghton.....	29,847 31	Calhoun.....	17,222 93	41,523
24,551	Huron.....	304 50	Cass.....	19,023 15	21,263
10,622	Iosco.....	6,403 29	Charlevoix.....	1,543 78	9,308
.....	Iron.....	413 04	Clare.....	3,143 51	5,496
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45,259	Jackson.....	1,091 35	Crawford.....	1,727 09	2,890
25,447	Kalamazoo.....	18,151 11	Eaton.....	5,571 23	31,929
34,765	Kent.....	11,788 33	Emmet.....	2,209 46	7,945
4,677	Keweenaw.....	6,319 60	Gladwin.....	1,807 34	1,539
7,574	Lake.....	175 21	Grand Traverse.....	380 96	12,111
7,180	Leelanaw.....	2,816 57	Gratiot.....	3,104 44	25,090
5,163	Mackinac.....	60 13	Hillsdale.....	17,044 75	31,985
19,859	Manistee.....	7,329 04	Ingham.....	2,032 37	34,960
31,370	Marquette.....	18,621 21	Ionia.....	3,685 85	31,852
19,129	Menominee.....	6,373 52	Isabella.....	1,702 37	16,077
8,734	Midland.....	2,087 07	Kalkaska.....	4,197 66	4,499
32,244	Monroe.....	5,769 46	Lapeer.....	2,413 26	30,112
25,423	Montcalm.....	3,395 26	Lenawee.....	4,522 33	49,324
27,661	Muskegon.....	30,507 73	Livingston.....	4,599 86	21,573
19,055	Newaygo.....	2,681 50	Macomb.....	7,635 76	31,330
14,537	Oceana.....	1,346 68	Manitou.....	44 93	873
4,293	Ontonagon.....	5,470 96	Mason.....	907 63	13,431
12,939	Osceola.....	5,323 95	Mecosta.....	243 02	20,632
25,208	Ottawa.....	20,397 81	Missaukee.....	2,538 33	3,383
65,513	Saginaw.....	30,339 15	Montmorency.....	1,816 58	346
46,513	St. Clair.....	16,636 20	Oakland.....	758 91	41,167
23,399	St. Joseph.....	1,201 30	Ogemaw.....	1,766 24	3,641

CONDENSED STATEMENT—*Continued.*

Population, 1884.		Taxation Es- caped, Counties which gain for eight years.	Taxation Added, Coun- ties which lose for eight years.		Population, 1884.
29,623	Sanilac	806 91	Oscoda	1,184 81	1,376
30,446	Van Buren	3,843 57	Otsego	1,434 84	3,907
41,704	Washtenaw	30,402 16	Presque Isle	1,850 90	4,087
10,588	Wexford	394 16	Roscommon	1,842 49	2,610
			Schoolcraft	3,068 00	3,853
			Shiawassee	4,832 55	28,086
			Tuscola	7,109 54	29,936
			Wayne	160,526 61	189,343
937,747	Total	\$224,387 96	Totals	\$224,387 96	918,353

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1878	\$1,479 85	\$5,232 15	\$4,709 73	\$1,194 33	\$636 10	\$58 25	\$13,400 46
1879	1,280 93	3,934 95	5,358 73	1,485 75	1,598 40	41,926 20	55,585 10
1880	2,125 60	4,537 16	13,801 88	1,534 56	909 84	94,790 75	117,909 32
1881	2,294 79	3,759 03	13,640 75	2,388 25	1,743 37	128,239 21	152,110 40
1882	2,466 34	3,432 44	22,168 86	2,996 53	1,306 41	142,943 97	181,274 60
1883	2,709 17	3,533 31	17,770 96	3,603 31	1,472 38	168,587 79	197,670 42
1884	1,697 52	4,305 03	26,632 13	3,451 11	1,973 41	185,434 43	223,973 52
1885	1,812 89	5,777 86	20,532 75	3,707 93	1,610 06	169,790 06	203,251 55
1886	2,394 63	5,456 23	12,592 40	3,999 31	2,740 31	223,235 75	255,471 13
.....	\$13,134 72	\$40,631 06	\$137,306 29	\$24,356 15	\$13,890 23	\$1,163,076 50	\$1,400,437 00

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

MICHIGAN STATE LIBRARY, }
Lansing, April 25, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—In compliance with a resolution of the Senate, adopted on the 22d instant, I have the honor to transmit herewith a statement of the number of the several volumes of the supreme court reports that now remain in the

hands of the State librarian, *subject to sale*, stating the number of each *edition* separately.

This statement does not include later volumes of reports that are held by me for *distribution only*.

Very respectfully,

HARRIET A. TENNEY,
State Librarian.

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MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following bill:

Senate bill No. 102 (file No. 123), entitled

A bill to make all debts for labor preferred claims against the estates of debtors becoming insolvent, and give the same precedence over all debts not a lien on such estates prior to the performance of such labor.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Edwards moved that the committee on engrossment and enrollment be instructed to report the bill back to the Senate and that the request of the House be complied with,

Which motion prevailed.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 25, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 611, (file No. 322), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 7 of section 227 of the session laws of 1885, being an act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 102 (file No. 123), entitled

A bill to make all debts for labor preferred claims against the estates of debtors becoming insolvent, and give the same precedence over all debts not a lien on such estates prior to the performance of such labor,

Respectfully report the same back to the Senate in compliance with instructions, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was returned to the House.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, April 26, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 2 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Riley.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Gorman.

Mr. Barringer asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Gorman for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 616. By Mr. Mayo: Petition of R. C. Parker, George Rowell and 46 others asking for the passage of House bill 909 providing for the reduction of the exemption allowed married men in garnishee cases.

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

No. 617. By Mr. Holbrook: Petition of Dexter assembly No. 3871 K. of L. asking for the passage of the Holbrook bill to protect the workmen against wrongful requirements by employers.

Referred to the committee on labor.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on religious and benevolent societies:

The committee on religious and benevolent societies to whom was referred House bill No. 216 (file No. 329), entitled

A bill to authorize the trustees, vestrymen, consistory, or other governing body of any religious society incorporated under the laws of this State, to receive money by gift or bequest when the same is to be invested and the income thereof applied in payment or part payment of the salary of their minister, priest, rector, parson or clergyman,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 102, entitled

A bill to change the name of Arthur W. Gleason to Arthur W. McCarty, and make him the heir at law of Wm. McCarty and Betsy McCarty,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The rules were suspended, two thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Seymour,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Crosby,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Palmer,		23

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Fox moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 771, entitled

A bill to authorize Bay county to borrow money by loan upon its bonds to build a bridge across the Saginaw river at Third street, Bay City,

And the Senate substitute therefor with the same title,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Monroe,	Roof,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barton,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Deyo,	Laing,			22

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,
The Senate took a recess until 7.30 o'clock, P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

7.30 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.
Roll called: quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 618. By Mr. Monroe: Remonstrance of John Kelly, Bernard F. Sweeny, and 169 others of Van Buren Co., against the passage of the Gorman bill.

Referred to the committee on labor.

No. 619. By Mr. Rairden: Petition of Assembly No. 3954 K. of L. of Detroit, asking for the passage of the bill making nine hours a legal work day for women and children.

Referred to the committee on labor.

No. 620. By Mr. Rairden: Petition of Dexter Assembly No. 3871, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 621. By Mr. Rairden: Petition of Thomas Payne Assembly No. 8086, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 622. By Mr. Rairden: Petition of Assembly No. 7606 of Detroit, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 623. By Mr. Rairden: Petition of B. F. Gorey, D. Rivard and 110 others of Detroit, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 624. By Mr. Rairden: Petition of 45 citizens of Northville on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 625. By Mr. Rairden: Petition of Labor Assembly No. 4293, of Detroit on the same subject

Same reference.

No. 626. By Mr. Rairden: Petition of Labor Assembly No. 6369, of Detroit on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 627. By Mr. Seymour: Remonstrance of E. S. B. Sutton and 27 others of Sault Ste. Marie, against the passage of the anti-compact and valued policy bills, relative to insurance.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on soldiers' home:

The committee on soldiers' home, to whom was referred

House bill No. 446 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the current expenses of the Michigan

Soldiers' Home, and other expenses necessary to the maintenance and improvement thereof, for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order.

Whereupon the President called Mr. Deyo to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:
House bill No. 317, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from school districts No. 1 and No. 2 of the township of Echo, county of Antrim, and to organize and incorporate the same into a school district, to be known and designated as school district No. 5, in the said township of Echo,

House bill No. 659 (file No 209), entitled

A bill to amend act 179 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate the width of wagon tires to be used with lumber wagons,"

House bill No. 489, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 222, session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Pierson," approved March 27, 1873, and amended by act No. 322, approved March 14, 1879,

House bill No. 816, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Kalamazoo to purchase grounds, erect buildings thereon, and maintain a city hospital,

House bill No. 246, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of article 3, sections 2 and 4 of article 6, and the acts amendatory thereof, of act 290, of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of St. Johns,"

House bill No. 451, entitled

A bill to amend section 8 of act No. 374, of the session laws of 1869, as amended by act No. 229 of the session laws of 1871, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Portland, Ionia county, Michigan,"

House bill No. 107, entitled

A bill to amend section 58 of chapter 9 of an act entitled, "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being compiler's section 925 of Howell's Annotated Statutes.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 122 (file No. 213) entitled

A bill to provide for the payment of witness fees in criminal cases,

Senate bill No. 453 (file No. 172), entitled

A bill to provide for the publication in newspapers of township proclamations, registration notices, election notices, notices of letting highway and bridge contracts and all other similar notices where the law now requires the posting of written or printed notices, and makes no provision for publishing such notices in newspapers,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

CHARLES I. DEYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to take from the table

House bill No. 163 (file No. 86), entitled

A bill for the prevention and restriction of hydraphobia and glanders,

And that the bill be placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Pending which,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion to take from the table then prevailed.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Seymour moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 277, entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of act No. 39 of the public acts of 1883, entitled
“An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of excavating, constructing, and maintaining water courses with water power appurtenant thereto, for accumulating, storing, conducting, selling, furnishing and supplying, upon an agreed rental, water and water power for mining, milling, manufacturing, domestic, municipal and agricultural purposes.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The bill was referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, April 27, 1887.

The Senate met, and was called to order by the President at 2 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Giddings and Gorman.

Mr. W. I. Babcock asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Giddings for the day.

Mr. Barringer asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Gorman for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 628. By Mr. Moon: Remonstrance of J. R. Magnan, pastor, with 122 members of St. Jean Baptist French Catholic church of Muskegon, against the passage of the so called Gorman bill.

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 198 (file No. 332), entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the board of school inspectors of the township of Nottawa, in the county of Isabella, in establishing the boundaries of school district No. 2 in said township,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that it be referred to the committee on education and public schools, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee on education and public schools.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 209, entitled

A bill to protect the chastity of girls between the ages of 14 and 16 years, and to punish the violation thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 172, entitled

A bill to amend sections 3 and 15 of chapter 293 of Howell's annotated

statutes of the State of Michigan, being sections 8499 and 8511, of said statutes, relative to notices of foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement, and the evidence thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that it be printed for the use of committee.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The bill was ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 423 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to amend section 7423 of chapter 238 of the compiled laws of 1871, and being section 9000 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to taxation of costs,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 257, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 95 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 9191, chapter 318 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to offenses against property,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 265 (file No. 71), entitled

A bill to provide for the confinement of persons who may be found guilty of the violation of a village ordinance or ordinances in incorporated villages in this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 448 (file No. 218), entitled

A bill to amend section 7449 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 135 of the session laws of 1873, being section 9023 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the fees of appraisers, commissioners and others,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill 208 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of stenographers in the several judicial circuits of this State, to define their powers and duties, to fix their compensation, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 251 (file No. 98), entitled

A bill to amend section 22 of chapter 7 of act number 326 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 398 (file 288), entitled

A bill to amend section two of chapter four (4) of act number three hun-

dred and twenty-six of the session laws of 1883 entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, as amended by act approved June 10, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section two, chapter four, and sections two and six of chapter ten of act number three hundred and twenty-six of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, "approved June 7, 1883, as amended by act approved June 10," 1885,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on military affairs:

The committee on military affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 638 (file No. 319, entitled

A bill to amend sections 3 and 7 of act number 37, public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the Grand Army of the Republic," approved April 21, 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 490, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships of Wisner and Gilford, in Tuscola county, to borrow money for the construction of a drain, and to issue bonds therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Porter, in the county of Midland, State of Michigan, to borrow money for the payment of the outstanding township and highway orders, or other indebtedness, and issue its bonds therefor,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute

do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 326, entitled

A bill to legalize proceedings had in laying out a certain highway in the township of Bridgeport, Saginaw county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to authorize the vacation of the township burying ground in the township of Paris, in the county of Kent, located on the east half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, town six north, range eleven west," approved March 1, 1887,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 381 (file No. 222,) entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the State Agricultural Society and providing a tax therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred

House bill No. 355 (file No. 342), entitled

A bill to protect children and prevent them from being educated in immorality and crime,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment,

and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 392 (file No. 192), entitled

A bill to amend section 12 of an act amendatory of the several acts relating to the Weselyn Seminary at Albion, and the Albion Female Collegiate Institute, approved February 25, 1861, as added thereto by act number 91 of the session laws of 1865,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 277, entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of act No. 39 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of excavating, constructing, and maintaining water courses with water power appurtenant thereto, for accumulating, storing, conducting, selling, furnishing and supplying, upon an agreed rental, water and water power for mining, milling, manufacturing, domestic, municipal and agricultural purposes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was re-referred

Senate bill No. 177 (file No. 85), entitled

A bill to provide for the better protection of lives of passengers and employees on railroad trains,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the Senate non-concur in the House amendments thereto, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

The Senate non-concurred, a majority of all the senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Monroe,	Roof,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Post,	Westgate,	
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YEAS.

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By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 483, entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of article 2 of the session laws of 1873, being "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," as amended by act No. 116 of the session laws of 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, be printed for the use of the committee.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committees on judiciary and roads and bridges:

The committees on judiciary and roads and bridges, to whom was jointly referred

Senate bill No. 286 (file No. 144), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 57, public acts 1885, of the State of Michigan, entitled "An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 9 and 14 of chapter number 2, and to add a new section to said chapter to stand as section 15, and to amend sections 4 and 6 of chapter 4, and to amend section 4 of chapter 11 of act No. 243, session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within the State," approved June 8, 1881, and to re-enact said sections so amended,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill relative to the improvement and maintenance of highways, and the repairing and preservation of bridges within the State,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL,
Chairman of Judiciary Committee.
GEO. N. POTTER,
Acting Chairman Roads and Bridges.

Report accepted and committees discharged.

On motion of Mr. Habbell,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committees.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs and railroads:

The committee on State affairs and railroads jointly, to whom was referred House bill No. 351 (file No. 281), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 177 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act relative to the delivery of grain by railway companies," approved May 31, 1881, being compiler's section 3422 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY,
Chairman Committee on State Affairs.
H. W. SEYMOUR,
Chairman Committee on Railroads.

Report accepted and committees discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 360 entitled

A bill to amend section 1, chapter 70, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, being compiler's section number 2247 relative to bounty for killing wolves,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

To the Senate: EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, April 26, 1887. }

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

[Senate bill No. 111 (file No. 81), being]

An act to amend section one of act No. 147 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the introduction and use on all cars owned and operated by any railroad company or other corporation doing business in this State, of some form of automatic car coupling, by means of which all cars may be coupled and uncoupled without the necessity of the brakeman or any other person passing between the cars,"

Also,

[Senate bill No. 163 (file No. 121), being]

An act to amend section 23 of chapter 225 of the compiled laws of 1871, entitled "information in the nature of a quo warranto, and in certain other cases," being compiler's section No. 8657 of Howell's statutes,

Also,

[Senate bill No. 237 (file No. 122), being]

An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide wives with property and maintenance from their husband's estate, when neglected or deserted by them," approved April 24, 1873, being consecutive section six thousand two hundred and ninety-one of the general statutes of Michigan in force, compiled and annotated by Andrew Howell, as amended by act No. 149 of the public acts of the State of Michigan of 1885,

Also,

[Senate bill No. 242 (file No. 171), being]

An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of improving rivers which form, in whole or part, the boundary between this and any adjoining State, and their tributaries, and for driving, sorting, holding and delivering logs thereon,

C. G. LUCE,

Governor.

The message was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, April 27, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

[Senate bill No. 65 (file No. 57), being]

An act to amend section 11 of chapter 4, act No. 164, session laws of 1881, being section 5088 of Howell's annotated statutes, relating to the duties of township clerks in apportioning school moneys.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was laid upon the table.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Westgate moved that

Senate bill No. 114 (file No. 42), entitled

A bill to provide for the organization of township school districts and prescribing the powers and duties of the officers thereof,

Which was made the special order for to-day at 3 o'clock P. M., be taken from the special order and placed upon the general order,

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Sharp to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

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The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 342 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to provide for revising the general statutes of obsolete acts,

Senate bill No. 450 (file No. 202), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 49 of the session laws of 1873, approved March 27, 1873, entitled "An act to amend section 2087 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section one of an act entitled "An act to prevent fishing with seines and pound or trap nets in the small inland lakes and streams in the State of Michigan," approved March 11, 1865, as amended by act No. 208 of the session laws of the State of Michigan for the year 1878, approved May 21, 1879, being section 2195 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan,

House bill No. 586 (file No. 254), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the purchase of books for the State library, and for other purposes pertaining to the State library for the years 1887 and 1888.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 20), entitled

A bill to amend section 10, chapter 343 of act No. 201 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9836 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the State Industrial Home for Girls,

House bill No. 615 (file No. 279), entitled

A bill to require the Erie and Kalamazoo railroad company to operate and maintain, or abandon its line of road between Palmyra Junction and the city of Adrian,

Senate bill No. 188 (file No. 80), entitled

A bill to amend section 5, of act No. 79, of the session laws of 1873, and the acts amendatory thereof, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner of railroads, and to define his powers, duties, and fix his compensation," approved April 10, 1873.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

JOHN C. SHARP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent,
Mr. Moon moved that
House bill No. 548 (file No. 246), entitled
A bill making appropriations for the institution for educating the deaf
and dumb for the years 1887 and 1898,
And
Senate bill No. 217 (file No. 125), entitled
A bill making an appropriation for the State Industrial Home for Girls
for the years 1887 and 1888,
Be reprinted for the use of the committee of the whole,
Which motion prevailed.
On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, April 28, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 2 o'clock
P. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Barringer.

Mr. W. I. Babcock asked and obtained indefinite leave of absence for Mr.
Barringer.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 629. By Mr. Giddings: Petition of Rinaldo Fuller and 16 other citizens
of Mantou for the passage of the anti-compact insurance bill.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

No. 630. By Mr. Giddings: Petition of G. A. Estis and nine other citizens
of Austin, Osceola county, asking for the passage of the Cole insurance
bill.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

No. 631. By Mr. Rairden: Petition of 62 workingmen of Grand Rapids,
asking for the passage of the Rairden bill to preventing blacklisting,

Referred to the committee on labor.

No. 632. By Mr. Westgate: Petition of F. W. Lankenau and others, relative
to institute fee.

On motion of Mr. Westgate the petition was ordered printed in the journal.

The following is the petition:

Grayling, Mich., April 26, 1887.

To the Hon. the Legislature of the State of Michigan, Lansing, Mich.:

GENTLEMEN—Your petitioners, teachers in the county of Crawford, State
of Michigan, would respectfully represent to your honorable body that they
consider the collection from them of an institute fee, so-called, unjust, and,
in many cases, a positive hardship. Other institutes in this State are paid
entirely by the State, whilst institutes for the benefit of our schools are paid

almost entirely from contributions levied upon the teachers. We therefore most respectfully ask that such fee be abolished; and, as in duty bound, your petitioners will ever pray.

F. W. LANKENAN,
JULIA ERB,
FRANK BELL,
JUDITH M. BLAKESLEE.
BELLE CARSON.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 633. By Mr. Post: Petition of G. A. Sharton, Miss Jennie L. Belsher and 60 other men and women asking for the passage of Senate bill No. 134 (file No. 139), relative to text-books of physiology and hygiene.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 634. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of F. L. Westcott and 25 other men and Mrs. F. L. Westcott and 25 other women on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 635. By Mr. Willits: Petition of 107 business houses of Kalamazoo asking the passage of House bill No. 909 relative to exemption allowed married men in garnishee cases.

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 178 (file No. 86), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7 and 36 of article No. 2 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State," approved May 1, 1873, as amended, being compiler's section 3350 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act No. 174 of the session laws of 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying substitute therefor, having the same title.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary (Mr. Palmer dissenting):

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 10 (file No. 57), entitled

A bill to provide for the penalty of death in certain cases of murder.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 416 (file No. 199), entitled

A bill to define the powers and duties of judges, clerks and registers of courts of record in the State of Michigan in certain cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 214, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 108 of the session laws of 1871, as amended, being compiler's sec. 4207 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By Mr. Hubbell for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 474, entitled

A bill relating to judges of courts,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 437 (file No. 189), entitled

A bill to amend sections 16, 17 and 24 of chapter 163 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to sales of lands by executors and administrators,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:
The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 210, entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 5 and 6 of act 200 of the public acts of 1885,
entitled "an act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and
have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommend-
ation that it be printed for the use of the committee.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The bill was ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:
The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 390, entitled

A bill to amend compiler's section No. 6404, chapter 243 of Howell's anno-
tated statutes, relative to the organization and powers of the supreme court,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and
have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment,
and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further
consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:
The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 417, entitled

A bill to better enforce the laws against gaming, lotteries, and violations
of the liquor laws of the State of Michigan, by making it the duty of certain
officials to institute prosecutions for the violation thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and
have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amend-
ment and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the
further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:
The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 299, entitled

A bill to provide district workhouses in this State for short term prisoners
in certain cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and
have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment,
and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further
consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 372 (file No. 214), entitled

A bill to limit the amount below which the supervisors of counties cannot require sheriffs to board prisoners incarcerated in jails,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 298, entitled

A bill to provide for the penalty of death in certain cases of murder,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 22 (file No. 25), entitled

A bill to require security to be given on staying proceedings upon verdicts and judgments in the circuit courts of this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the Senate non-concur in the House amendments thereto, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the Senate to the bill,

The Senate non-concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Post,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Mooroe,	Roof,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Seymour,

Mr. Crosby,
Deyo,
Edwards,

Mr. Howell,
Hubbell,

Mr. O'Reilly,
Palmer,

Mr. Sharp,
Willits,

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Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the bill be re-transmitted to the House with a respectful request that a committee of conference be appointed to whom shall be referred the matters of difference between the two Houses relative to said bill.

Which motion prevailed.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 383, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 177 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the board of control of the Insane Asylum at Traverse City to place the same under the charge of the homœopathic school of medicine," approved June 8, 1883.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 226, entitled

A bill to amend section 20 of chapter 249 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 9296 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan relative to offenses against morality and decency,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 89 (file No. 70), entitled

A bill to prevent gambling in stocks, bonds, petroleum, cotton, grain, provisions and other produce,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to prevent gambling in stocks, bonds, petroleum, cotton, grain, provisions and other produce,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBRELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 403 (file No. 177), entitled

A bill to regulate the foreclosure of chattel mortgages,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*,

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 25 (file No. 17), entitled

A bill to regulate the conditional sale of personal chattels,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation as to the House amendments, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on agricultural interests:

The committee on agricultural interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 49 (file No. 70), entitled

A bill to regulate the sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine, and other articles and substances resembling butter,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to prevent fraud in the sale or use of butter, and to provide a penalty for the same,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN HOLBROOK, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on counties and townships :

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 501, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Gustin and attach the same to the township of Harrisville, in Alcona county, in the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Harrisville, in Alcona county, in the State of Michigan, to organize the township of Gustin, in said county, to provide for the appointment of officers in and for said township of Gustin, and for the assessment and collection of taxes therein,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject, and, in connection with the report and recommendation above given, your committee desire to report the following facts, viz. :

First, The township of Harrisville, consisting of seven surveyed townships, was organized in 1860;

Second, Until within the past few years a very great majority of the electors of said township have resided on or near the shore, in town 26 north, of range 9 east, and as a consequence the management of the affairs of said township has been in the interest of said town 26 north, of range 9 east;

Third, There are 30 sections or thereabouts in town 26 north, range 9 east, and about 50 miles of highways in a good state of repair, within said town 26 north, range 9 east, not including the streets of the village of Harrisville;

Fourth, There are but nine miles of highways in the other six surveyed townships comprising the said township of Harrisville, showing that the highway tax of said township has been very largely expended in making highways in town 26 north, range 9 east;

Fifth, There are 96 resident electors in surveyed town 26 north, range 8 east, many of whom have over 15 miles to travel in order to reach the point where their township, county and State elections are held, and most of whom reside not more than three miles from the village of Killmaster, within the territory proposed to be organized into the township of Gustin;

Sixth, The total assessed valuation of the township of Harrisville as now constituted, is upwards of \$1,000,000, and if the bill, as reported, is passed, the township will still have a valuation of \$570,000 or thereabouts, while Gustin would have a valuation not far from \$417,000;

Seventh, The board of supervisors of Alcona county is composed of four men, one of whom has always resided on or near the shore, in the township of Harrisville, so that it was necessary to get but two more supervisors to cooperate with him, to prevent the organization of a new township by the board of supervisors, which Harrisville has thus far been able to hinder;

Eighth, The township of Harrisville has often promised that a new township should be organized by the board of supervisors, but has as often violated such promise;

Ninth, Parties representing the township of Harrisville promised the Governor that if he would not veto the bill heretofore passed by this Legislature repealing an act organizing the township of Gustin, no objection would be

made to the organization of a new township on a basis of a fair and equal division of territory as regards valuation;

Tenth, Your committee has spent much time and listened to all parties concerned, and feels fully satisfied that the township of Gustin should be organized, as recommended.

FLOYD L. POST,
A. W. WESTGATE,
GEO. N. POTTER,

Committee.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 57 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend sections 13 and 16 of chapter 3, sections 1 2, 4, 18, 22, 24, 25 and 33 of chapter 4, sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 5, section 1 of chapter 6, sections 1, 8, 9, 13, 15, 17, 21, 25 and 65 of chapter 7, section 1 of chapter 8, sections 1, 7 and 8 of chapter 10, sections 9, 20, 24 and 28 of chapter 11, and to repeal sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 66 of chapter 7, and sections 2 and 3 of chapter 8, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, and to add to chapter 8 of said act four new sections to stand as sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, so as to abolish the board of councilmen and to establish a board of estimates in and for the city of Detroit,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, and recommend the amendments be concurred in and the bill be printed for the use of the committee.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill as amended was then ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By the committee on State house of correction:

The committee on State house of correction, to whom was referred

House bill No. 195 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill to amend section 53 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and govern the State house of correction and reformatory at Ionia," as amended by act No. 24 of the session laws of 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

L. G. PALMER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses:

The committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses, to whom was referred the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That three thousand copies of the report of the select joint committee on insurance, on their investigation of the life insurance business as conducted in this State, together with the testimony taken before said committee and accompanying the report, be printed in pamphlet form for the use of the legislature,

Having interviewed the State Printer—who informed your committee, that the cost of 3,000 copies would be \$550.00, and for 1,500 copies about \$475.00, the only additional expense being in press work and paper,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the resolution be adopted, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Sharp moved to strike out the words "together with the testimony taken before said committee and accompanying the report."

On which,

Mr. Crosby demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Sharp,	4
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Post,	Willits,	
Giddings,	Monroe,	Rairden,		19

The question recurring on concurrence in the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Roof,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Laing,	Post,	Willits,	20

NAYS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Sharp,	4
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MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Laing moved to take from the table

made to the organization of a new township on a basis of a fair and equal division of territory as regards valuation;

Tenth, Your committee has spent much time and listened to all parties concerned, and feels fully satisfied that the township of Gustin should be organized, as recommended.

FLOYD L. POST,
A. W. WESTGATE,
GEO. N. POTTER,
Committee.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 57 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend sections 13 and 16 of chapter 3, sections 1 2, 4, 18, 22, 24, 25 and 33 of chapter 4, sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 5, section 1 of chapter 6, sections 1, 8, 9, 13, 15, 17, 21, 25 and 65 of chapter 7, section 1 of chapter 8, sections 1, 7 and 8 of chapter 10, sections 9, 20, 24 and 28 of chapter 11, and to repeal sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 66 of chapter 7, and sections 2 and 3 of chapter 8, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, and to add to chapter 8 of said act four new sections to stand as sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, so as to abolish the board of councilmen and to establish a board of estimates in and for the city of Detroit,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, and recommend the amendments be concurred in and the bill be printed for the use of the committee.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill as amended was then ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By the committee on State house of correction:

The committee on State house of correction, to whom was referred

House bill No. 195 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill to amend section 53 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and govern the State house of correction and reformatory at Ionia," as amended by act No. 24 of the session laws of 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

L. G. PALMER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses:

The committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses, to whom was referred the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That three thousand copies of the report of the select joint committee on insurance, on their investigation of the life insurance business as conducted in this State, together with the testimony taken before said committee and accompanying the report, be printed in pamphlet form for the use of the legislature,

Having interviewed the State Printer—who informed your committee, that the cost of 3,000 copies would be \$550.00, and for 1,500 copies about \$475.00, the only additional expense being in press work and paper,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the resolution be adopted, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Sharp moved to strike out the words "together with the testimony taken before said committee and accompanying the report."

On which,

Mr. Crosby demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Sharp,	4
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Post,	Willits,	
Giddings,	Monroe,	Rairden,		19

The question recurring on concurrence in the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J.W.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Roof,	
Babcock, W.I.	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Laing,	Post,	Willits,	20

NAYS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Sharp,	4
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MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Laing moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 359, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Iron Mountain, in the county of Menominee,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

The bill was referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

Mr. Palmer moved that the further consideration of

House bill No. 10 (file No. 57), entitled

A bill to provide for the penalty of death in certain cases of murder.

Be made the special order for Thursday, May 5, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.,

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

The President called the President *pro tem.* to the chair.

Mr. Harshaw moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 212 (file No. 142), entitled

A bill to authorize suits to be brought at law or in equity against navigation companies organized under the laws of this State for the purpose of engaging in the business of maritime commerce or navigation within this State, or upon the frontier lakes or other navigable waters, natural or artificial connected therewith, in the courts of any county in this State in which the plaintiff resides and the boats of such company call and do business,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The same was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Fox,			<i>pro tem.</i> , 26

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Seymour moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 277 (File No. 230), entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of act No. 39 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of excavating, constructing, and maintaining water courses with water power appurtenant thereto, for accumulating, storing, conducting, selling, furnishing and supplying, upon an agreed rental, water and water power for mining, milling, manufacturing, domestic, municipal and agricultural purposes,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	President,
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem</i>
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	26

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Seymour moved to amend the title so as to read as follows :

A bill to amend and alter section 14 of act No. 39 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of excavating, constructing, and maintaining water courses, with water power appurtenant thereto, for accumulating, storing, conducting, selling, furnishing and supplying, upon an agreed rental, water and water-power for mining, milling, manufacturing, domestic, municipal, and agricultural purposes," and for holding and conveying lands adjacent to said water course, or within convenient distance thereof,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sharp moved that

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to amend section 10, chapter 343 of act No. 201 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9836 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, relative to the State Industrial Home for Girls, and to add four new sections thereto stand as sections 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22,

Be placed upon its immediate passage.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Post asked consent to offer an amendment,

Which consent was not granted.

Mr. Deyo asked consent to offer an amendment,

Which consent was not granted.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Laing,	Roof
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Crosby,	Howell,		18

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Potter,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Post,	Willits,
Giddings,			

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 10, chapter 343 of act No. 201 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9836 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the State Industrial Home for Girls,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Campbell moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 58 (file No. 123), entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road in Bay county, to be known as "The Bay City and Au Sable State Road Extension,"

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Bairden,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	President
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i>

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sharp moved that the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 208 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of stenographers in the several judicial circuits of this State, to define their powers and duties, to fix their compensation, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith,

Be made the special order for Tuesday, May 3, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

Mr. Edwards offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the term of service of D. E. Alward as clerk of the committees on railroads, liquor traffic and education and public schools be consid-

ered as commencing on the first day of the session, and that he receive compensation accordingly.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,
The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, April 29, 1887.

The Senate met, and was called to order by the President at 2 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Ford.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Deyo, Harshaw, and Seymour.

Mr. Giddings asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Harshaw until Tuesday, May 3.

Mr. Crosby asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Deyo for the day.

Mr. Holbrook asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Seymour for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 636. Mr. Gorman presented the following resolutions which were ordered spread at length on the journal:

At a meeting of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Michigan in Detroit, April 5. it was

Resolved, That file 178, House bill No. 518 was inimical to the interests of the homœopathic physicians of the State, the bill being discussed section by section, and it was voted "that a committee of three be appointed by the chair to draft a set of resolutions opposing this act, which shall be forwarded to the Legislature from the College of Physicians and Surgeons."

In accordance with above the undersigned, being the committee appointed, do most earnestly protest against the passage of this bill by the Legislature as being opposed to the interests of a large number of reputable practicing physicians, unjust, and in the interests of a particular class. The objectionable sections are as follows, with the reasons therefor:

SECTION 1.

Objected to on account of the number nine or twelve being better as capable of equal distribution between the three schools.

SECTION 2.

a. Objected to on account of assumption of term "regular," and also to same word wherever appearing in bill, as any physician graduating from a legalized and reputable college is regular.

b. To unjust discrimination in proportions giving a majority to the allopathic school, viz., six (or seven) to four.

c. To the clause that the examiners in anatomy, physiology and chemistry shall not be practicing physicians as tending to throw their appointments into the hands of incumbents of the several chairs in the University, where ~~hostility to homœopathy~~ is well known.

SECTION 4.

a. To the clause requiring a ten years' practice *in this State* as necessary to a certificate from the Board.

b. To the ten year clause in any form as unjust to a large number of reputable physicians.

SECTION 5.

To this section in toto.

SECTION 7.

To the clause requiring a diploma from colleges having courses of instruction at least six months in length, as being unjust to a large number of able practitioners grown gray in medicine (though possibly practicing less than ten years in this state), who graduated previously to 1860, at which date but one medical college in this country had a six months' course, and secondly to very many equally able physicians graduating since then holding diplomas from colleges in good standing, which to-day have courses shorter than six months by varying intervals, the great majority of courses being from four and one-half to five and one-half months in length, and thirdly as being an effort to confine the practice of medicine in this State to graduates of the university with a few exceptions.

SECTIONS 8, 9 AND 10.

To the ten year clause as objected to under section 4.

R. C. OLIN, M. D.,
E. P. GAYLORD, M. D.,
C. F. STERLING, M. D.,
Committee.

C. A. WALSH, M. D., *President.*

PHIL PORTER, *Secretary.*

No. 637. By Mr. Crosby: Petition of E. R. Reed, Louisa Reed, and 110 other residents of the village of Northville, relative to placing text books of physiology and hygiene in the public schools.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 638. By Mr. Atwood. Petition of C. H. Turner, and 40 other citizens, of Fenton, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 639. By Mr. Monroe: Petition of O. W. Rowland, L. H. Blackman, and 86 other citizens, of Paw Paw, Van Buren county, asking for the passage of a local option law and for increased tax and liquor bonds;

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 640. By Mr. Monroe: Petition of A. C. Glidden, D. Woodman, and 39 other men, and Mrs. E. H. Browne, Mrs. Anna Barton, and 48 other women, of Van Buren, asking for the passage of a law granting municipal suffrage for women.

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

No. 641. By Mr. Monroe: Petition of Mrs. E. E. Mitts, Mrs. E. C. Wright, and 23 others, of Port Huron, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 642. By Mr. Monroe: Petition of 60 women and 69 men of Van Buren county on same subject.

Same reference.

No. 643. By Mr. Monroe: Petition of A. G. Blackman and 16 other voters

and Mrs. A. G. Blackman and 28 other women of Van Buren county asking for the passage of substitute for Senate bill No. 134 relative to the teaching of hygiene in public schools.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 644. By Mr. Monroe: Petition of A. H. Draper and 22 other men and Marie C. Jennings and 47 other women of Van Buren county on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 645. By Mr. Rairden: Petition of Local Assembly No. 3954 K. of L., asking for the passage of the Grenell bill making election days legal holidays.

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

No 646. By Mr. Stark: Petition of J. W. Walker, W. L. Merriman and 46 others relative to placing text books on physiology and hygiene in the public schools.

Referred to committee on education and public schools.

No. 647. By Mr. Giddings: Petition of E. Gillett, A. Bennett, Susie Lyle and 100 other citizens of Sherman, Wexford county, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 648. By Mr. Giddings: Petition of W. R. Dennis & Co. and 74 other citizens of Cadillac favoring the passage of the Cole insurance bill.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

No. 649. By Mr. W. I. Babcock: Petition of Hon. J. J. Van Riper, Geo. H. Black and 59 other citizens of Buchanan asking for the passage of the substitute for Senate bill No. 134 relative to placing text-books of physiology and hygiene in the public schools.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 650. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of Mrs. Joel Martin and 2 other ladies and 17 men of Hilldale on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 651. By Mr. Campbell: Petition of 33 citizens of Bay City asking that 9 hours be made a legal workday for women and children.

Referred to the committee on labor.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred

House bill No. 429 (file No. 330), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from graded school district No. 4, of Evergreen, Sidney, Bushnell and Fairplains, and from primary school districts Nos. 1 and 5 of Sidney, and from fractional district No. 6 of the townships of Evergreen and Sidney, in the county of Montcalm, and erect the same into a primary school district, and to provide for election of officers for said district,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 356, entitled

A bill to amend section 16 of chapter 3, of act No. 164, laws of 1881, relating to the duties of district boards and district officers concerning purchase of school books,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 16 of local act No. 316 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the public schools of the township of Maple Ridge, Alpena county,"

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred

House bill No. 857 (file No. 270), entitled

A bill to change the boundaries of school district No. 1 in the township of Fayette and fractional school district No. 12 in the townships of Adam, Moscow and Fayette, in the county of Hillsdale,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 446 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the current expenses of the Michigan Soldiers' Home and other expenses necessary to the maintenance and improvement thereof for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,
The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

Senate joint resolution No. 24, entitled

Joint resolution for the relief of Livonia B. Perrine,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the joint resolution do pass and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The joint resolution was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on asylum for criminal insane:

The committee on asylum for criminal insane, to whom was referred

Senate bill No 260, entitled

A bill to provide for the locating, erection, organization and management of asylum for the dangerous and criminal insane, respectfully report:

That on February 7th, in company with the House committee, they visited and carefully inspected this new institution for the confinement and treatment of criminal and dangerous insane.

Your committee are satisfied that the measure providing for a separate institution for the convict and homicidal insane is a wise one, as these classes in our judgment would interfere with the proper management and treatment of the ordinary insane in the general asylums, and require such constant attention and watchful care as can best be secured in an asylum especially provided for the purpose.

The asylum seems to be under excellent management, the rooms being models of neatness, the patients well clothed and allowed the largest possible liberty, only two of the entire number being restrained, and only one secluded. Showing remarkable control over a class of patients quite difficult to manage.

Thorough system and good order reigned alike in all departments.

There was no complaint of ill treatment from any patient, and so far as your committee could judge there was no reasonable cause for fault finding, so far as efficient means at command was concerned. The system of heating is satisfactory and the ventilation excellent.

The management is greatly crippled in usefulness, however, for want of increased capacity in buildings, and a great number of necessary adjuncts for doing the work of such an institution. Although opened for the reception of patients less than one and a half years, it is already overcrowded, there being at the time of our visit one hundred and six patients, while the building can properly accommodate only about ninety.

This not only requires the use of attics and hallways for dormitories which are neither as comfortable, convenient, nor secure as is desirable, but it also prevents a proper classification of patients, necessitating the placing of the more dangerous patients on nearly all the wards.

Of the 106 patients, 84 had been convicted of crime, ten of whom were

serving life sentences, and 19 having from one to thirty-five years yet to serve. Twelve were transferred from other asylums as manifesting dangerous homicidal tendencies.

At the present rate of increase, in a few years accommodation will be needed for upwards of three hundred patients of classes that can best be cared for in an institution of this kind.

But notwithstanding the necessity for more room, your committee are not in favor of adding to the buildings now in use, for the reason that they consider the site seriously objectionable.

One objection to the present site is the close proximity of the State house of correction, one of the cell blocks being only about fifty feet distant from the patients' building. The noise of disturbed patients is a source of annoyance in the prison, and injuriously affects the prison discipline. The rooms of patients on the upper ward command a view of the entire prison guard, and the windows afford a means of easy verbal communication between the inmates of the two institutions. The roadway on the south side of asylum building is much used by prisoners of the house of correction employed on outside work and affords opportunities for still closer and more dangerous communication. As garden and lawn work is performed by inmates of both institutions under circumstances that render close surveillance of keepers and attendants at times impracticable, the opportunities for communication are still further increased. And it has happened that patients of homicidal tendencies have in this manner procured deadly weapons, making it dangerous to all entrusted with the care of patients.

Another objection to present site is that it would be entirely impracticable to make such additions as will be indispensable within the next ten or twelve years.

The location of the laundry in the basement is very objectionable, as the extremely offensive odors from same cannot be prevented from penetrating the patients' rooms on the upper floors, and it is impossible to provide suitable ventilation for the laundry itself.

The want of proper grounds for outdoor exercise for the patients is seriously felt by the management, and the present site affords no opportunity for arranging such grounds as are desirable. At present, "besides a kind of pen in the rear of main building," there are available for this purpose only the public highways, and where it is impossible to avoid frequently encountering citizens, and where the chances for escape are greatly multiplied.

One of the most serious disadvantages of the present site is the want of a farm, which cannot be obtained within a half mile distance. And your committee are persuaded that a farm is not only of great importance in an economical point of view as a means of making available the labor of patients toward their own support, but is indispensable in the proper treatment of a large number of cases, furnishing precisely the kind of out-door exercise best adapted for curative results, and the only kind of remunerative labor on which a large majority of the patients could be employed.

The universal testimony of all experienced superintendents as to the reduction of expenses resulting from a farm, and the healthful influence of the occupation upon the patients, is so strongly favorable as to render the conclusion irresistible that places it among the indispensable adjuncts of the asylum.

The surplus fund on hand on February 1, 1887, after collection of all bills for maintenance of patients for last previous quarter, was \$6,934.10. This

amount is only sufficient to pay running expenses of the institution for current quarter, and your committee are of the opinion that this surplus should be allowed to remain as at present in the hands of the treasurer for use of asylum.

And as there can be no doubt that before another session of the Legislature there will be enough additional applicants for admission to this asylum to raise the number to 175, and as the committee coincide with the opinion of all officials who have personally investigated and carefully considered the matter that it is not advisable to extend the present building.

And as your committee are unable to agree as to the expediency of erecting a new asylum during the next two years, we therefore report the bill back to the Senate without recommendation as to its passage, but recommending that the bill be printed and referred to the committee on appropriations and finance, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, and referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred House bill No. 637 (file No. 208), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 112, of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to secure the minority of stockholders in corporations organized under laws the power of electing a representative membership in boards of directors," by excepting clubs formed for social, yachting, hunting, boating, fishing, and rowing purposes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on asylums for the insane:

The committee on asylums for the insane, to whom was referred House bill Nos. 212 and 308 (file No. 302), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of land and the erection of buildings for the use and benefit of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the treasurer of said asylum,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and be referred to the committee on appropriations and finance, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. HOWELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on State prison:

The committee on State prison, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 336, entitled

A bill for the relief of Clark Cole,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on State prison:

The committee on State prison, to whom was referred

House bill No. 420 (file No 317), entitled

A bill for the identification of convicts,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 364, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Detroit in regard to the paving of streets and the method of paving for the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, by adding four new sections thereto to stand as secs. 42, 43, 44 and 45.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and when so substituted the same be printed for the use of the committee.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 283 (file 170), entitled

A bill to prevent the carrying of concealed weapons, and to provide punishment therefor.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and

that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

The president called the President *pro tem.* to the chair.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 42 (file No. 22), entitled.

A bill in relation to jurors in courts of record in the county of Wayne; and to revise the laws relative thereto,

Concerning which there was a disagreement between the two Houses, and on which a committee of conference was asked and granted,

Which committee reported as follows:

That the conference committee recommend that the amendment proposed by the House of Representatives to section 5 of the bill by striking out the following words, viz.: "freeholders or owners in their own right of personal property of the value of at least two hundred dollars," occurring in lines 3 and 4 of said section be concurred in by the Senate.

The reason of this recommendation, aside from the desire your joint committee had to reach an agreement upon this bill, is that the joint committee understands that it is the policy of the present executive of this State, as it was that of his two predecessors, that property qualification should not be required as a necessary pre-requisite for the citizens of this State to exercise the functions appertaining to the discharge of any of the duties of citizenship.

The conference committee further recommend that the amendment proposed by the House of Representatives occurring in line 6 of section 25 of the bill, by inserting after the word "colleges" the words "the senior member of any firm of druggists or pharmacist," be not concurred in, and that the House of Representatives recede from such amendment.

The conference committee still further recommend that the proposed amendment by the House of Representatives, being entire section 28, which reads as follows: "Not more than six members of the Board of Jury Commissioners shall be members of the same political party," be not concurred in, and the House of Representatives recede from such amendment, as your conference committee consider that such a provision is directly in conflict with the opinion of our Supreme Court as expressed in the case of "The Attorney General vs. Detroit Common Council," 58 Michigan, 213, which holds that "Matters of individual conscience, including opinions on political subjects, cannot affect a citizen in any of his legal and political rights, and making particular political opinions a condition to holding office is unconstitutional."

Your conference committee express the hope that the foregoing recommen-

dations may be accepted by your honorable body, and that the bill as otherwise prepared may be passed, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK,
JOHN C. SHARP,
C. WISNER,

Conferees on the part of the Senate.

JUDSON GRENNELL,
ERASTUS N. BATES,

Conferees on the part of the House.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on the adoption of the report,

The report of the committee was adopted, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

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Mr. Gorman, Mr. O'Reilly, 2

Mr. Campbell moved that a respectful message be sent to the Governor asking for the return of

Senate bill No. 143 (file No. 114), entitled

A bill to amend section 4345 of the compiled laws of the year 1871, being section 5808 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to wills of real and personal estate,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Wisner moved that the rule relative to time for reconsideration be suspended and that the Senate reconsider the vote by which the title to Senate bill No. 667 was amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw, and to repeal act No. 227 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "Act No. 227, local acts of 1883, entitled 'An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw and to repeal act No. 496 of the laws of 1867, entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw, approved February 5, 1859,'" approved March 16, 1883, and all acts amendatory thereof,

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

The question being on the motion to amend the title,

The motion was withdrawn.

The original title was then agreed to.

Mr. Giddings offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourns to-day it be to meet at 9.30 P. M. Monday, May 2.

Which was adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Pending the third reading of

Senate bill No. 393 (file No. 207), entitled

A bill to amend section 1226 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to taxes on mining and smelting companies;

And

Senate bill No. 394 (file No. 208), entitled

A bill to amend section 1225 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the payment of specific taxes to counties in the Upper Peninsula,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the further consideration of the bills be made the special order for Wednesday, May 4, at 2.30 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

Senate bill No. 50 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 280, of Howell's annotated statutes, being compiler's section 8137, relative to proceedings by and against corporations in courts of law,

Was read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on the judiciary.

House bill No. 266 (file No. 145), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 9 of act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Post,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	Potter,	Westgate,
Barton,	Howell,	Bairden,	Willits,
Campbell,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Crosby,	Mayo,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 25
Edwards,	O'Reilly,		

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 169 (file No. 195), entitled

A bill to make it a misdemeanor to remove, destroy, damage, or dispose of any personal property that shall have been seized on an attachment, or levied upon under an execution issued from any court of competent jurisdiction in the State, while such seizure or levy is in force, without first giving the bond or other security therefor, if any, required by law, and to provide the punishment therefor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Gorman,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Edwards moved that the title be amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to make it a misdemeanor to remove, destroy, damage, or dispose of any personal property that shall have been seized by due process of law issued from any court of competent jurisdiction in the State, while such seizure or levy is in force, without first giving the bond or other security therefor, if any, required by law, and to provide the punishment therefor,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

House bill No. 333 (file No. 287), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and being act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Post,	Stark,
Barringer,	Howell,	Potter,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Roof,	President
Edwards,	Moon,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 26

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the title as follows:

By striking out the words "session laws" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "local acts."

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 452 (file No. 185), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 7 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing, and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, being section 1384 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Was read a third time and pending the taking of the vote thereon,
By unanimous consent,

Mr. Roof moved to amend the bill as follows: By adding at the end of amended section 6 the following words: "in excess of three hundred dollars, and such moneys when collected shall be paid to the treasurer of the townships in which the same are to be expended, and be applied by the commissioners of highways of such township to the purpose for which the same was raised,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,			<i>pro tem,</i> 25

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Mr. Holbrook,	1
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 369 (file No. 129), entitled

A bill to amend act 145, session laws of 1881, being section 8412 Howell's annotated statutes, relative to liens for labor,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Post moved to amend the bill as follows: By adding at the end of amended section 1 the following words, "and the word transit in this act shall be construed to mean from the place where banked or deposited for shipment on the railroad, or for floatage in the stream or streams, or for transportation on the waters of this State,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem,</i> 27

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 145 of the public acts of 1881, "An act establishing a lien for labor and services upon logs, timber, cedar posts, telegraph poles, railroad ties, tan bark, shingle bolts and staves," and to repeal act No. 185 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act establishing a lien for labor and services upon logs and timbers," as amended by act No. 279 and all other acts, being section 8412 Howell's annotated statutes, relative to liens for labor,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Senate bill No. 222 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the House of the Good Shepherd at Detroit,

Was read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The bill was laid upon the table.

House bill No. 163 (file No. 86), entitled

A bill for the prevention of hydrophobia and glanders,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 6, section 1, after the word "misdemeanor" the words "and on conviction thereof shall be liable to a fine not exceeding ten dollars and costs of prosecution or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding ten days, in the discretion of the court,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	President	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	23

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Mr. Babcock, J. W., Mr. Sharp,	0
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take effect thirty days after date of approval by the Governor.

Mr. Sharp gave notice that within the prescribed time he would move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the last above named bill.

House bill No. 317, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from school districts No. 1 and No. 2 of the township of Echo, county of Antrim, and to organize and incorporate the same into a school district, to be known and designated as school district No. 5, in the said township of Echo,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 24

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect

House bill No. 659 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act 179 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate the width of wagon tires to be used with lumber wagons," approved June 8, 1883,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Seymour,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Potter,	Westgate,
Edwards,	O'Reilly,	Rairden,	Willits,
Fox,	Palmer,	Roof,	President
Holbrook,			<i>pro tem.</i> , 17

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Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Stark,
Barton,			

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Holbrook moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect,

Which motion did not prevail, two-thirds of all the members present not voting therefor.

House bill No. 489, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 222, session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Pierson," approved March 27, 1873, and amended by act No. 322, approved March 14, 1879,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Potter,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Laing,	Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Sharp,
Barton,	Gorman,	Moon,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 816, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Kalamazoo to purchase grounds, erect buildings thereon, and maintain a city hospital.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Mayo,	Sharp,
Barton,	Gorman,	Moon,	Stark,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	President,
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Post,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 246, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of article 3, sections 2 and 4 of article 6, and the acts amendatory thereof, of act 290, of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of St. Johns,"

Was read a third time and passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barton,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Post,	Willits,
Edwards,	Laing,	Potter,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 24

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 451, entitled

A bill to amend section 8 of act No. 374, of the session laws of 1869, as amended by act No. 229 of the session laws of 1871, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Portland, Ionia county, Michigan,"

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Roof,

Mr. Barton, Campbell, Crosby, Edwards,	Mr. Holbrook, Howell, Hubbell, Laing,	Mr. O'Reilly, Palmer, Post, Potter,	Mr. Stark, Westgate, Willits, President <i>pro tem.</i> , 24
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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Roof moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 8 of act No. 374 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Portland, Ionia county," approved March 13, 1869, as amended by act number 229, of the session laws of 1871, approved March 18, 1871,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Pending the third reading of

House bill No. 105, entitled

A bill to amend section 58 of chapter 9 of an act entitled, "An act for the re-organization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being compiler's section 925 of Howell's annotated statutes,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate adjourned.

The President *pro tem.* announced that the Senate would stand adjourned until Monday, May 2, at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

Lansing, May 2, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called : a quorum not present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. W. I. Babcock, Barton, Campbell, Deyo, Giddings, Gorman, Holbrook, Howell, Hubbell, Monroe, Moon, Potter, Seymour, Stark and Willits.

Mr. Edwards moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Pending which,

Mr. Palmer moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

Lansing, May 3, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 2 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Howell and Monroe.

Mr. Mayo asked and obtained leave of absence for Messrs. Howell and Monroe for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 652. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of J. C. Richardson, Albert Stiles, Bunnell & Co., and 73 other member of the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association of Jackson, asking for the passage of a law for a uniform rate of two cents per mile for passenger fare.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The petition was ordered spread at length on the Journal.

The following is the petition:

The undersigned, members of the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association of Jackson, respectfully represent that, in their opinion, the interests of the State demand the enactment of a law making a uniform rate of two cents a mile for passenger fares upon all the railroads of the lower peninsula, and they therefore ask for the passage of an appropriate bill for that purpose:

J. C. Richardson,
Charles C. Jenks,
L. H. Field,
D. A. Tinker.
Edwy Knight,
J. B. Oliphant,
E. B. Warner,
T. J. Camp,
C. H. Hadden,
J. H. Wortley,
Anthony Feldher,
Charles F. Binder,
J. B. Timberlake,
W. A. Ernet,
M. Harmon,
W. P. Heaton,
S. W. Miller,
Z. W. Waldron,
A. M. Tinker,
S. J. Wirtz,
Bunnell & Company,
John George, Jr.,
B. L. Carlton,
E. M. Evans,
George W. Kennedy,
Wm. Brown,
R. B. Coltrin,

J. R. Parker,
Clarence H. Bennett,
Shearer & Spalding,
H. C. Ransom,
Barnard & Smith,
G. G. Case,
D. C. Meseroll,
Frank B. Taylor.
Henry Simmons,
R. F. Latimer,
D. M. Conklin,
John L. Parkinson.
D. G. Palmer,
Jas. H. Gallery,
Geo. W. Baker,
B. G. Glasgow,
C. W. Hills,
John H. Bender,
S. Heyser & Sons,
Albert Stiles,
E. M. Foster,
C. W. Paine,
J. R. Reynolds,
E. W. Chapin,
C. H. Higdon,
S. M. Isbell,
Robt. Dillon,

Jerome Shaw,	H. A. Close,
E. K. Webb,	N. S. Potter,
P. B. Loomis, Jr.,	J. F. Sammons,
N. B. Hall,	C. M. Elliott,
T. E. Howard,	N. E. Gridley,
R. H. Emers on,	Z. C. Eldred,
Geo. S. Bennett,	E. Dennis,
S. R. Robinson,	O'Dwyer & Ward,
Henry Hayden,	B. M. DeLamder,
John W. Boardman,	Stephen H. Carroll,
F. W. Hahn,	S. W. Phillips.

Referred to the committee on railroads.

No. 653. By Mr. Roof: Petition of A. O. Hunt and five other members of the Clinton county druggists association, praying that the section in the bill now pending before the legislature requiring druggists to pay a tax on the business of selling intoxicating liquors be stricken out.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 654. By Mr. Holbrook: Petition of James Blackmore, A. C. Calkins and 20 other business men of Leslie, Ingham county, asking for the passage of House bill No. 282 prohibiting combinations among fire insurance companies.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

No. 655. By Mr. Mayo: Petition of Anna L. Dunton and 46 other women and George Stevens and 36 other men in favor of a bill to place text books of physiology and hygiene in our public schools.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The petition was ordered spread at length upon the Journal

The following is the petition:

To the Honorable Members of the Legislature of the State of Michigan:

WHEREAS, The law of our State in reference to placing text books of physiology and hygiene in our public schools, has proven inadequate to accomplish what was intended by its framers, and what is, by a large number of citizens deemed desirable;

THEREFORE, We, the undersigned, most respectfully and earnestly urge your honorable body to pass the substitute for Senate bill No. 134, which is believed to embody a plain and effective guide to the introduction and teaching of the above named science.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 656. By Mr. Campbell: Petition of Mrs. L. F. Rose, Mrs. E. W. Ryan, Addie Holmes and 18 others of Bay City for municipal suffrage for women.

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

No. 657. By Mr. Campbell: Petition of Mrs. M. L. Dawson, Mrs. M. Emma Randall and 30 others of Bay City on the same subject.

Same reference

No. 658. By Mr. O'Reilly: Petition of John Atkinson and several other citizens of Detroit asking for the passage of Senate bill No. 222.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

The petition was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the petition:

The Legislature of Michigan:

The undersigned citizens of Detroit, humbly petition your honorable body to pass the bill now pending before the Senate, authorizing the sending of girls to the House of the Good Shepard.

John Atkinson,	F. H. Chambers.
George S. Swift,	<i>Circuit Judge of Wayne Co.</i>
<i>Recorder of Detroit,</i>	E. F. Culver,
Chas. Breault,	John C. Selle,
Charles B. Andrews,	George A. Wolf,
James E. Pittman,	John Miner,
Edgar O. Durfee,	Isaac Marston,
M. H. Chamberlain,	Joseph B. Moore,
Joseph Nicholson,	J. J. Mulheron.

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

No. 659. By Mr. Palmer: Resolutions of O'Connell assembly No. 4186 K. of L. of Big Rapids relative to the passage of the Grenell purity of election bill.

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

No. 660. By Mr. Palmer: Resolutions of the same assembly in favor of the passage of the Ogg convict labor bill.

Referred to the committee on labor.

No. 661. By Mr. Palmer: Resolution of Northside assembly No. 8132 K. of L. of Big Rapids in favor of the passage of the Grenell bill relative to the purity of elections.

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

No. 662. By Mr. Palmer: Resolutions of the same assembly in regard to the passage of numerous bills relating to labor interests.

Referred to the committee on labor.

No. 663. By Mr. Palmer: Resolution of O'Connell assembly No. 4186 K. of L. of Big Rapids in favor of the passage of the following bills:

Breen bill, forfeiting unearned land grants,

Dillon bill, relative to mine inspectors,

Dillon bill, relative to compulsory education of children,

Grenell bill, relative to legal holidays,

Grenell bill relative to purity of elections and other bills affecting labor interests.

Referred to the committee on labor.

No. 664. By Mr. Palmer: Resolution of North Side Assembly No. 8132 K. of L. of Big Rapids, in favor of the passage of the Ogg convict labor bill, and numerous other bills affecting labor interests.

Referred to the committee on labor.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 526, entitled

A bill to amend sections 7 and 17 of chapter 8 of act No. 245 of local acts of 1883, entitled An act to incorporate the city of Escanaba, in the county of Delta, approved March 27, 1883, and to add to chapter 23 of said act ten new sections to stand as sections 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17 of said chapter,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDW'D E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on religious and benevolent societies:

The committee on religious and benevolent societies to whom was referred Senate bill No. 366, entitled

A bill authorizing the poor commissioners of each county to contract with any institution in the State for the care and maintenance of idiotic and feeble minded children between the ages of eight and sixteen years,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill be printed and placed upon the general order, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on school for the blind:

The committee on the school for the blind, to whom was referred

House bill No. 353 (file 320), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the Michigan school for the blind for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the bill do pass, and that it be referred to the committee on appropriations and finance, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN HOLBROOK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table

House bill No. 587 (file No. 200), entitled

A bill for the incorporation of companies for the purpose of buying and selling brood animals.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out section 26.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Rairden,
Barton,	Gorman,	Moon,	Roof,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Post,	Wisner,
Edwards,			

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred House bill No. 5 (file No. 152), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of land and the erection of buildings for the use and benefit of the Eastern Michigan Asylum, and to make payment of the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the treasurer of said asylum,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, April 29, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

In compliance with the request of your honorable body I have the honor to herewith return

Senate bill No. 143 (file No. 114), entitled

"An act to amend section 4345 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 5808 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to wills of real and personal estate.

Very Respectfully,
C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Campbell,
The bill was laid upon the table.

By unanimous consent,
Mr. Holbrook moved that

House bill No. 659 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 and 2 of act 179 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate the width of wagon tires to be used with lumber wagons, approved June 8, 1883,

Be given immediate effect,

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor.

The president announced that the time of 2:30 o'clock P. M. had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 208 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of stenographers in the several judicial circuits of this State, to define their powers and duties, to fix their compensation, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, with the President in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 208 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of stenographers in the several judicial circuits of this State, to define their powers and duties, to fix their compensation, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith,

But have taken no final action thereon.

JAMES H. McDONALD, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of the bill,

On which

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock,	J. W. Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Seymour,	Mr. Willits,
Fox,	Roof,	Sharp,	Wisner,
Holbrook,			

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Palmer,
Babcock, W. I.,	Deyo,	Laing,	Post,
Barringer,	Edwards,	Mayo,	Potter,
Barton,	Giddings,	Moon,	Rairden,
Campbell,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,

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Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the Senate go into committee of the whole for the further consideration of the above named bill,

On which

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Willits,	
Holbrook,	Post,	Sharp,	Wisner,	8

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Deyo,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	
Barringer,	Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	
Barton,	Fox,	Mayo,	Seymour,	
Campbell,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,	20

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 3, 1887.

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 828 (file No. 344), entitled

A bill to amend section 10, of act 134, of the public acts of 1885, entitled
“An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Michigan,”

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect,
and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on public health.

The President also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 3, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 277 (file No. 230), entitled

A bill to amend and alter section 14 of act 39 of the public acts of 1883, entitled An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of excavating, constructing, and maintaining water courses with water power appurtenant thereto, for accumulating, storing, conducting, selling, furnishing and supplying upon an agreed rental, water and water power for mining, milling, manufacturing, domestic, municipal and agricultural purposes, and for holding and conveying lands adjacent to said water course, or within convenient distance thereof.

In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by :

majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 27, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 324, entitled

A bill to create a fund for and to provide for the payment of certain damages for sheep and lambs killed or wounded by dogs within the city of Lansing, township of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, State of Michigan,

2. Senate bill No. 102 (file No. 123), entitled

A bill to make all debts for labor preferred claims against the estates of debtors becoming insolvent, and give the same precedence over all debts not a lien on such estates prior to the performance of such labor.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 29, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 177 (file No. 85), entitled

A bill to provide for the better protection of lives of passengers and employes on railroad trains,

Which the House, as shown by message of April 22, amended as follows:

1. By inserting at the end of line 2, section 2, the words "not securely fastened."

2. By adding at the end of section 2 the following: "Provided further, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to caboose cars run on any freight train."

In which amendments the Senate non-concurred as shown by message of April 29,

Now to inform the Senate that on said amendments the House insists.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Seymour moved that a committee of conference, consisting of three from the House and three from the Senate, be requested to which committee when appointed shall be referred the matters of difference,

Which motion prevailed.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 29, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate substitute for House bill No. 771 (file No. 274), entitled

A bill to authorize Bay county to borrow money to build and repair bridges across the Saginaw river,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 3, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 42 (file No. 22), entitled,

A bill in relation to jurors in courts of record in the county of Wayne; and to revise the laws relative thereto,

Concerning which there was a disagreement between the two Houses, and on which a committee of conference was asked and granted,

Which committee reported as follows:

That the conference committee recommend that the amendment proposed by the House of Representatives to section 5 of the bill by striking out the following words, viz.: "freeholders or owners in their own right of personal property of the value of at least two hundred dollars," occurring in lines 3 and 4 of said section be concurred in by the Senate.

The reason of this recommendation, aside from the desire your joint committee had to reach an agreement upon this bill, is that the joint committee understands that it is the policy of the present executive of this State, as it was that of his two predecessors, that property qualification should not be required as a necessary pre-requisite for the citizens of this State to exercise the functions appertaining to the discharge of any of the duties of citizenship.

The conference committee further recommend that the amendment proposed by the House of Representatives occurring in line 6 of section 25 of the bill, by inserting after the word "colleges" the words "the senior member of any firm of druggists or pharmacist," be not concurred in, and that the House of Representatives recede from such amendment.

The conference committee still further recommend that the proposed amendment by the House of Representatives, being entire section 28, which reads as follows: "Not more than six members of the Board of Jury Commissioners shall be members of the same political party," be not concurred in, and the House of Representatives recede from such amendment, as your conference committee consider that such a provision is directly in conflict with the opinion of our Supreme Court as expressed in the case of "The Attorney General vs. Detroit Common Council," 58 Michigan, 213, which holds that "Matters of individual conscience, including opinions on political subjects, cannot affect a citizen in any of his legal and political rights, and making particular political opinions a condition to holding office is unconstitutional."

Your conference committee express the hope that the foregoing recommendations may be accepted by your honorable body, and that the bill as otherwise prepared may be passed, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK,
JOHN C. SHARP,
C. WISNER,

Conferees on the part of the Senate.

JUDSON GRENELL,
ERASTUS N. BATES,

Conferees on the part of the House.

And which report was adopted by the Senate as shown by a message to the House.

Now to inform the Senate that in the report of said committee the House concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 29, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate bill No. 320 (file No. 156), entitled

A bill to create a fund for and to provide for the payment of certain damages for sheep and lambs killed or wounded by dogs within the city of Jackson and the townships of Summit and Blackman, in the county of Jackson, State of Michigan,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same by striking out all of section 5 of the bill,

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made to the bill, by the House,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deoy,	Hubbell,		

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 3, 1887.

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills :

1. House bill No. 358 (file No. 297), entitled

A bill to prohibit the use of scrip or store orders in the payment of wages of laborers in mines, mills, shops and factories.

2. House bill No. 94 (file No. 46), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act number 1 of the public acts of 1873, entitled "An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the supreme court pursuant to section 2 of article 6 of the constitution,'" approved February 16, 1857, being compiler's section 6393 of Howell's annotated statutes.

3. House bill No. 766 (file No. 301), entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of sidewalks in townships outside of villages and cities, across drains and ditches and natural water-courses,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on labor.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and Pending its reference to a committee,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on its immediate passage,

Pending which,

Mr. Fox moved that the bill be referred to the committee on the judiciary,

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion to suspend the rules then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor,

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Gorman,	Post,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner.	24

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Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	3
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Title agreed to.

The third named bill was then read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on counties and townships.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 3, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bills:

1. House bill No. 749 (file No. 304), entitled

A bill to authorize Edwin A. Bullard to build and maintain a dam across Cass river.

2. House bill No. 417 (file No. 303), entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to construct a ditch through the townships of Hebron and Mackinaw in the county of Cheboygan.

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very Respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on State affairs.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on counties and townships.

The President also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. }
Lansing, May 3, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 620 (file No. 337), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 15 of act No. 172 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to amend sections 10 and 12 of chapter 268 of the compiled laws of

1871, being compiler's sections 8135 and 8137, as amended by act No. 84, public acts of 1877, relative to the Reform School, being sections 9817 and 9819 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, and to add a new section to stand as section 15.

2. House bill No. 453 (file No. 340), entitled

A bill to provide for the payment of damages by corporations for the loss of life by the carelessness or neglect of corporations or their employes.

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on State reform school.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on railroads.

The President also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 29, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to inform the Senate relative to Senate bill No. 22 (file No. 25), entitled

A bill to require security to be given on staying proceedings upon verdicts and judgments in the circuit courts of this State.

Concerning which there exists a disagreement between the two Houses, upon which disagreement the Senate has asked a committee of conference.

Now to inform the Senate that the House grants such committee and that Messrs. Diekema, Crocker and F. H. Watson have been appointed such committee on the part of the House and that the bill is in their hands.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The President announced that he would name the committee on the part of the Senate hereafter.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 29, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 395, entitled

A bill to provide for the election of a collector of taxes for the several wards of the city of Grand Rapids, and to prescribe the duties of such collector,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 29, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following bill: House bill Mo. 150 (file No. 66), entitled

A bill to provide for an appropriation for the preparation, publication, and distribution of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the Michigan superintendents of the poor, for the years 1887 and '88,

Which the Senate, as shown by message of April 22, amended as follows:

By adding thereto a new section to stand as section three and to read as follows:

Sec. 3. The auditor general shall add to and incorporate in the State tax, for the year 1887, the sum of \$150, and, for the year 1888 the sum of \$150, to be assessed, levied, and collected as other State taxes are assessed, levied and collected, which sums, when collected, shall be placed to the credit of the general fund to reimburse it for the sums appropriated by section one of this act.

And to inform the Senate that in said amendments the House has non-concurred.

Very respectfully,
DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on appropriations and finance.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 3, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 143 (file No. 145), entitled

A bill to amend section 4345 of the compiled laws of the year 1871, being section 5808 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to wills of real and personal estate.

Very respectfully,
DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Campbell moved to take the bill from the table and return the same to the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 3, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 335 (file No. 335), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 45 of the session laws of 1882, entitled An act authorizing the common council of the city of Detroit, with the concurrence of the city council thereof, to make a re-assessment to defray the expense of a public improvement on Jefferson avenue, a street in said city from the east curb line of Beaubien street to the railroad bridge in said city,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 3, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 350 (file No. 183), entitled

A bill to amend section 37 of act No. 135 of the session laws of 1885, approved June 3, 1885, entitled "An act to amend, revise and consolidate the laws organizing asylums for the insane, and regulating the care and management thereof and of the inmates therein, and to repeal act No. 164, laws of 1859; also act 194, laws of 1877; also act 91, laws of 1873, and the acts amendatory thereto; also act 172, laws of 1873,"

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1st. By striking out of line 2, sec. 1 the words "session laws," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "public acts."

2d. By striking out all of sec. 37 of the bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following to stand as section 37:

"Sec. 37. The medical superintendents of the several asylums shall report annually, at the close of each fiscal year, to the judge of probate of each county, the names, ages, circumstances attending the discharge, removal, elopement or death of all persons receiving aid or support at county or State charge."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title by striking out the words "session laws," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "public acts,"

In the passage of which as thus amended and with the title so amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,
The bill was laid upon the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 29, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), that a special joint committee consisting of two of the House and one of the Senate be appointed to investigate the charges and rumors against the management of the State public school and against the character of the superintendent and others in charge, with full authority in the premises to hold sessions, at the school or elsewhere, at such times as shall best suit their convenience, to enforce the attendance of witnesses, administer oaths, taking in full the testimony with clerk and stenographer, as to them may seem desirable, and to perform every act of examination by means of the books and records of the institution, or otherwise, as to them shall seem necessary to a full understanding of the facts in the case, and report their doings to the Legislature at their earliest convenience.

Which has passed the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Palmer moved that the concurrent resolution be laid upon the table.

Pending which,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate adjourn,

On which,

Mr. Palmer demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. O'Reilly, Mr. Post,

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J.W.,	Edwards,	Laing,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate	
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Rairden,		27

The question recurring on the motion to lay the concurrent resolution on the table,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Post,
Babcock, W. I.,	Edwards,	Laing,	Potter,
Barringer,	Fox,	Mayo,	Seymour,

Mr. Barton, Campbell, Crosby,	Mr. Giddings, Gorman, Harshaw,	Mr. O'Reilly, Palmer,	Mr. Sharp, Westgate,	22
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Mr. Babcock, J. W., Hubbell,	Mr. Moon, Rairden,	Mr. Roof, Willits,	Mr. Wisner,	7
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Mr. Sharp moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed House bill No. 163 (file No. 86), entitled
A bill for the prevention and restriction of hydrophobia and glanders,
Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sharp.

The bill was laid upon the table.

Mr. Deyo moved that the Senate adjourn,

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I., Barton, Campbell, Deyo, Edwards, Fox,	Mr. Giddings, Gorman, Harshaw, Holbrook, Hubbell, Laing,	Mr. Mayo, Moon, O'Reilly, Palmer, Post, Potter,	Mr. Rairden, Roof, Seymour, Sharp, Westgate, Willits,	24
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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Wisner,	4
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The Senate then adjourned.

Lansing, May 4, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 2 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by Rev. Mr. Callen.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Senator Howell.

Mr. Deyo asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Howell for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 665. By Mr. Crosby: Memorial of James Vernor and 60 other druggists of the city of Detroit.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 666. By Mr. Monroe: Petition of Hon. J. J. Woodman, O. W. Rowland, Isaac W. Van Fossen and 53 other men, and Mrs. C. A. Butler, M's.

Sarah S. Hoskins, Jennie G. Averill and 60 other women of Paw Paw, Van Buren county, asking for the passage of Senate bill 134, relative to teaching physiology and hygiene in the public schools.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 667. By Mr. Palmer: Petition of Irish Huntley and others, relative to Pierson village charter.

Referred to committee on cities and villages.

No. 668. By Mr. Roof: Petition of Cowman & Townsend and 116 other business men of Hubbardston, Ionia county, favoring the passage of House bill 282, relative to prohibiting combinations among fire insurance companies.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

No. 669. By Mr. Roof: Remonstrance of Cooper & Putney and 50 other business men of Ionia against the passage of any bill to tax druggists for the sale of liquors.

No. 670. By Mr. Roof: Protest of W. R. Cutler and five other druggists of Ionia for same object.

No. 671. By Mr. Roof: Remonstrance of W. and F. Kelsey and 32 other business men and firms of Ionia, for same object.

The remonstrances and protest were referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 672. By Mr. Potter: Petition of numerous business men and firms of Freeport, Barry county, asking for passage of bill to prohibit combinations among fire insurance companies.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on roads and bridges:

The committee on roads and bridges to whom was referred

House bill No. 404 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 11 of act No. 243 of the public acts of 1881, entitled, "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishing, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. J. WILLITS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State prison:

The committee on State prison, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 409, entitled

A bill appropriating money for additional buildings, improvements and general repairs to, and purchasing land for the State prison at Jackson,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill appropriating money for additional buildings, improvements and general repairs at the State prison at Jackson,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Pursuant to your request the committee also beg leave to submit the following relative to the bill :

We find on investigation that there are 805 prisoners now confined in the prison, which is crowded beyond its capacity to such an extent that 120 prisoners are obliged to sleep in the corridors upon cots. This, in the opinion of your committee is hazardous alike to the warden and keepers of the prison and to the State. In view of the large increase in prison population your committee deem the suggestions of the prison board as to the erection of a new prison block eminently wise, and we are of opinion that the block should be built and equipped in accordance with the plans and specifications submitted by the board.

This proposed addition is to contain 300 cells, costing \$89,000, and it is the opinion of your committee that it is good public policy to appropriate that amount for the purpose named rather than to appropriate \$27,000 to cover the cost of putting cells in the east wing of the prison now occupied for school and storage purposes, thus necessitating a large outlay for the construction of other buildings. The building of a new cell block cannot in any event be long delayed, and your committee, for the reasons stated above, recommend the appropriation asked for. The east wing would only contain 90 cells if fitted for that purpose.

The appropriation for the rebuilding of the shops occupied by the Webster Manufacturing Company, is necessary, as the shops are low and dark and in an old and dilapidated condition, and dangerous, as they are liable to fall at any time.

And in accordance with the request of the Senate your committee respectfully submit the following as the itemized statement which is herewith attached of the requirements of the State prison.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

EXHIBIT "A."

Estimated Cost of new cell wing, Michigan State Prison, Jackson, Michigan.

480 cords excavation, at \$2.00.....	\$960 00	
4,820 perches stone, at \$3.00.....	13,860 00	
2,230,000 bricks in walls, at \$12.00.....	26,760 00	
Concrete in cells.....	1,840 00	
Cut stone door and window sills.....	3,760 00	
19,800 superficial feet of stone flagging, at 65 cts.....	12,875 00	
Iron work.....	17,410 00	\$76,965 00
56,000 feet B. M. timber, at \$28.00.....	\$1,624 00	
37,000 feet B. M. roof flooring, at \$26.00.....	702 00	
12,000 feet B. M. flooring in attic, at \$26.00.....	312 00	
12 ventilators, at \$75.00.....	900 00	
31 windows, at \$30.00.....	930 00	
2 gable windows, at \$25.00.....	50 00	
1 exterior door.....	20 00	
2 pair steps, from old wing.....	50 00	4,588 00
220 squares slate roofing, at \$10.00.....	\$2,200 00	2,200 00

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1,000 superficial yards plastering, iron lath, at 65 cts.	650 00	
3,500 superficial yards plastering on walls, at 18 cts.	630 00	1,280 00
60,000 pounds rolled iron I beams for floor, at 5 cts.		3,000 00
Painting and glazing		1,200 00
Total cost		\$99,283 00

SCOTT & COMPANY, Architects,
4 and 5 Wayne Co. Savings Bank Building.

Detroit, Mich., February 19, 1887.

**EXHIBIT "B."—Estimated cost of Shop and Blacksmith Shop Michigan State Prison
Jackson, Michigan.**

198 cords excavation, at \$2.00	\$396 00	
756 perches masonry, at \$2.50	1,890 00	
887 thousand bricks, at \$10.00	8,870 00	
Cut stone	1,008 00	\$11,664 00
127,000 feet B. M. flooring and roofing, at \$26.00	\$3,302 00	
22,500 feet B. M. joists at \$28.00	2,580 00	
28,000 feet B. M. 2x6 joists and wall plates, etc., at \$26.00	676 00	
58,000 feet B. M. timber, at \$28.00	1,682 00	
14,000 pounds iron in trusses, at 5c.	700 00	
8 double doors at \$30.00	180 00	
3 single doors, at \$15.00	45 00	
32 windows, at \$10.00	2,020 00	
24 windows, at \$20.00	480 00	
6 stairways, at \$30.00	180 00	\$11,805 00
2 elevators, at \$400		800 00
126 squares slate roofing, at \$8.00	\$1,088 00	
115 squares gravel roofing, at \$3.50	402 50	1,490 50
Painting and glazing		400 00
Total cost		\$26,159 50

SCOTT & CO., Architects,
4 and 5 Wayne Co. Savings Bank Building.

Detroit, Mich., February 19, 1887.

EXHIBIT "C."

Estimate on basement under wagon shop 56 feet by 240 feet by 11 feet.

1,000 cubic yards excavation at	\$0 50	\$1,500 00
20 perch stone in wall at	2 75	1,017 50
70 thousand brick in wall at	10 00	700 00
65 thousand feet timber, joist, and flooring at	23 00	1,495 00
84 windows at	7 00	588 00
5 doors at	20 00	100 00
Sewerage		250 00
		\$5,650 50
		26,159 50
		\$31,810 00

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on labor :

The committee on labor, to whom was referred

House bill No. 598 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to provide for blowers in establishments where emery wheels or emery belts are used,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. S. LAING, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages :

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 375, entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of act No. 264 of the local acts of 1869, entitled, "An act to revise the charter of the village of Saugatuck," approved March 12, 1869,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the President and Trustees of the village of Saugatuck to vacate the public square, so-called, in said village,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on railroads :

The committee on railroads, to whom was re-referred

Senate bill No. 483 (file 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 9, of article 2, of the session laws of 1873, being "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in the State," as amended by act number 116 of the session laws of 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment and statement, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Following is the statement:

STATEMENT

Showing the Passenger Earnings per mile of road on Michigan Railroads during the year 1886.

Number.	RAILROADS.	Lower Peninsula.			Upper Peninsula.	
		\$2,000 and under per mile.	\$2,000 to \$3,000 per mile.	\$3,000 and over per mile.	\$1,500 or under per mile.	Over \$1,500 per mile.
1	Bay View, Little Traverse & Mackinac.....	* \$500 78	-----	-----	-----	-----
2	Chicago & Canada Southern.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
3	Chicago, Detroit & Canada Grand Trunk Junct.....	-----	\$2,303 76	-----	-----	-----
4	Chicago & Grand Trunk.....	-----	2,475 33	-----	-----	-----
5	Chicago & Northwestern.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	\$1,672 11
6	Chicago & West Michigan.....	1,253 58	-----	-----	-----	-----
7	Cincinnati, Wabash & Michigan.....	1,067 51	-----	-----	-----	-----
8	Detroit, Bay City & Alpena.....	471 17	-----	-----	-----	-----
9	Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee.....	-----	2,734 65	-----	-----	-----
10	Detroit, Lansing & Northern.....	1,517 13	-----	-----	-----	-----
11	Saginaw & Western.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
12	Detroit, Mackinac & Marquette.....	-----	-----	-----	\$361 07	-----
13	Flint & Pere Marquette.....	-----	2,039 00	-----	-----	-----
14	Manistee.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
15	Saginaw & Clare County.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
16	Saginaw & M't Pleasant.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
17	Grand Rapids & Indiana.....	* 1,697 13	-----	-----	-----	-----
18	Lake Shore & Michigan Southern.....	-----	-----	\$5,050 42	-----	-----
19	Detroit, Hillsdale & Southwestern.....	330 66	-----	-----	-----	-----
20	Detroit, Monroe & Toledo.....	1,908 32	-----	-----	-----	-----
21	Fort Wayne & Jackson.....	949 48	-----	-----	-----	-----
22	Kalamazoo, Allegan & Grand Rapids.....	1,185 08	-----	-----	-----	-----
23	Kalamazoo & White Pigeon.....	1,205 11	-----	-----	-----	-----
24	Northern Central Michigan.....	725 54	-----	-----	-----	-----
25	Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagon.....	-----	-----	-----	* 751 48	-----
26	Marquette & Western.....	-----	-----	-----	* 511 68	-----
27	Michigan Air Line Railway.....	375 61	-----	-----	-----	-----
28	Michigan Central.....	-----	-----	7,116 55	-----	-----
29	Canada Southern Bridge.....	153 21	-----	-----	-----	-----
30	Detroit & Bay City.....	1,400 07	-----	-----	-----	-----
31	Grand River Valley.....	1,336 74	-----	-----	-----	-----
32	Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw.....	1,521 52	-----	-----	-----	-----
33	Kalamazoo & South Haven.....	716 23	-----	-----	-----	-----
34	Michigan Air Line Railway.....	598 84	-----	-----	-----	-----
35	Michigan Midland & Canada.....	327 21	-----	-----	-----	-----
36	Saginaw Bay & Northwestern.....	26 83	-----	-----	-----	-----

STATEMENT.—Continued.

Number.	RAILROADS.	Lower Peninsula.			Upper Peninsula.	
		\$2,000 and under per mile.	\$2,000 to \$3,000 per mile.	\$3,000 and over per mile.	\$1,500 or under per mile.	Over \$1,500 per mile.
52	Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific	1,393 63				
53	Wisconsin & Michigan					
54	Detroit Union Railroad Depot & Station Co.					
55	Hancock & Calumet				726 23	
37	Toledo, Canada Southern & Detroit		2,550 73			
38	Michigan & Ohio	375 09				
39	Milwaukee, Lake Shore & Western				997 79	
40	Mineral Range					1,639 34
41	Ontonagon & Brule River					
42	Paw Paw					
43	Pontiac, Oxford & Port Austin	417 04				
44	Port Huron & Northwestern	837 82				
45	Saginaw, Tuscola & Huron	417 15				
46	Saginaw Valley & St. Louis	1,008 58				
47	Saginaw & Grand Rapids					
48	St. Joseph Valley					
49	Toledo, Ann Arbor & North Michigan	* 642 33				
50	Toledo & South Haven	435 36				
51	Traverse City	* 739 99				

* Returns for 1886 not yet in—report for 1885.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Deyo moved to take from the table the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), that a special joint committee consisting of two of the House and one of the Senate be appointed to investigate the charges and rumors against the management of the State public school and against the character of the superintendent and others in charge, with full authority in the premises to hold sessions, at the school or elsewhere, at such times as shall best suit their convenience, to enforce the attendance of witnesses, administer oaths, taking in full the testimony with clerk and stenographer, as to them may seem desirable, and to perform every act of examination by means of the books and records of the institution, or otherwise, as to them shall seem necessary to a full understanding of the facts in the case, and report their doings to the Legislature at their earliest convenience.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. J. W. Babcock submitted certain charges against the management of the school, the reception of which the President ruled should be delayed until after the disposition of the pending question.

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays on the adoption of the resolution.

The concurrent resolution was then not adopted by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.	Hubbell,	Seymour,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Rairden,	Sharp,	Wisner,	
Deyo,				13

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Palmer,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Post,	
Barton,	Gorman,	Moon,	Potter,	
Crosby,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Laing,			18

Mr. Hubbell then offered the following

PROTEST:

As a Senator from the 32d Senatorial district of this State, I hereby respectfully enter my protest against the action of the Senate of this State in refusing to concur in the resolution received from the House of Representatives of this State providing for the appointment of a joint select committee to investigate into the affairs and management of the State Public School at Coldwater, for the reason that in my judgment such action will tend to the injury of said school and impair its usefulness as a State institution.

JAY A. HUBBELL,

Senator 32d Senatorial District.

Mr. J. W. Babcock then withdrew the specific charges and presented the following

PROTEST:

We protest against the action of the Senate because we charge upon information and belief that the management of the Coldwater school has been derelict in duty in this:

First, That said board have, without just cause, discharged certain of the teachers employed in said school;

Second, That certain of the male employes of said school have taken indecent liberties with certain female employes of said school;

Third, That because certain other female employes of said school told the truth concerning said school, they were discharged simply because they told the truth.

J. W. BABCOCK,

Senator Sixteenth District.

CHARLES I. DEYO,

Senator Fourteenth District.

Mr. Edwards moved that the protest as presented be received but not published in the journal of proceedings.

The President ruled the motion not in order, because section 10 of article 4 of the constitution specifies that "Any member of either House may dissent from and protest against any act, proceedings, or resolution which he may deem injurious to any person or the public, *and have the reason of his dissent entered on the journal.*"

Mr. Edwards appealed from the decision of the Chair.

The question being, "Shall the decision of the chair stand as the decision of the Senate?"

Pending the taking of the vote thereon, the appeal was, after some discussion, withdrawn.

The President called the President *pro tem.* to the chair.

The President *pro tem.* announced the arrival of the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being the third reading of

1. Senate bill No. 393 (file No. 207), entitled

A bill to amend section 1226 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to taxes on mining and smelting companies,

2. Senate bill No. 394 (file No. 208), entitled

A bill to amend section 1225 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the payment of specific taxes to counties in the Upper Peninsula.

The first named bill was then read a third time, and

Pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. By striking out of line 16, section 1226, the words "nine-tenths," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "seventy-five per cent;"

2. By striking out of line 17, section 1226, the words "one-tenth," and inserting in lieu thereof thereof the words "twenty-five per cent."

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The second named bill was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate adjourned until 9:30 A. M. to-morrow

Lansing, May 5, 1887.

The Senate met, and was called to order by the President *pro tem.* at 9:30 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by Senator Deyo.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave, Mr. Howell.

Mr. Deyo asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Howell for the day.

Mr. Hubbell gave notice that within the prescribed time he would move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to concur in the adoption of the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That a special joint committee consisting of three of the House and two of the Senate be appointed to investigate the charges and rumors against the management of the State public school, and against the character of the superintendent and others in charge, with full authority in the premises to hold sessions, at the school or elsewhere, at such times as shall best suit their convenience, to enforce the attendance of witnesses, administer oaths, taking in full the testimony with clerk and stenographer, as may to them seem desirable, and to perform every act of examination by means of the books and records of the institution, or otherwise, as to them shall seem necessary to a full understanding of the facts in the case, and report their doings to the Legislature at their earliest convenience.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate resumed the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the further consideration of

1. Senate bill No. 393 (file No. 207), entitled

A bill to amend section 1226 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to taxes on mining and smelting companies,

2. Senate bill No. 394 (file No. 208), entitled

A bill to amend section 1226 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the payment of specific taxes to counties in the Upper Peninsula.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bills were taken from the table.

The question being on the motion to amend the first named bill as follows:

1. By striking out of line 16, section 1226, the words "nine-tenths," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "seventy-five per cent."

2. By striking out of line 17, section 1226, the words "one-tenth," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five per cent.,"

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

Pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Hubbell moved that there be a call of the Senate:

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,
All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.
The motion to amend then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Crosby,	Laing,	Stark,	
Barton,	Deyo,	Roof	Wisner,	12

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,	
Fox,	Mayo,	Potter,	President,	
Giddings,	Moon,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	19

Pending the passage of the bills,
Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the bills be laid on the table,
Which motion prevailed.
Mr. Moon moved that the Senate take a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.,
On which
Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.
The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Moon,			22

NAYS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Stark,	
Edwards,	Holbrook,			6

The Senate then took a recess until 2 o'clock, P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.
Roll called: quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 673. By Mr. Stark: Protest of 11 business firms of the city of Grand Rapids against any extraordinary legislation on the liquor question.

On motion of Mr. Stark,
The protest was ordered spread at length upon the Journal.

The following is the protest:

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 2, 1887

Hon. Geo. P. Stark, Senator, Lansing, Michigan.

DEAR SIR: As you are aware a large majority of your constituents in all parties, and the best business men of Grand Rapids, opposed the prohibition amendment openly and earnestly, and their opposition was enhanced and emphasized by the belief, (which amounted to a certainty,) that such extraordinary measure if carried, would cause an unprecedented upheaval of all business transactions, destroy confidence, and establish precedents which if pursued might result in the absolute destruction of individual rights, through the meddling mischief of unscrupulous fanatics. And we can assure you that the same spirit that incited all the best citizens here to oppose that amendment will incite their earnest hostility to any unusual and extraordinary legislation upon that question.

Pending the uncertainty as to the passage of that amendment, business became stagnant, confidence in a great measure was destroyed and real estate was at a stand-still. Since its defeat, business has revived, confidence has been restored, and to-day real estate is now active, there being as great a number of transfers (at unusually favorable rates) as there ever has been in the history of this city. And when we say that our citizens—your constituents—not only do not desire, but are absolutely opposed to the extraordinary legislation that seems impending against one of the greatest industries of this country, we but state the honest opinion of all sensible men. Having just passed through the one great crisis, our friends are desirous of “*letting well enough alone*,” and the almost universal expression, save of the prohibitionist is, that they hope *this Legislature* will leave the law as it now is, for at least the next two years, until they recover from the throes of the last agony, that has been heaped upon us by those who seek to superintend their neighbor's business.

Respectfully yours,

Kusterer Brewing Co.,	Kottan & Bro ,
Veit & Rathman,	Wm. Hake,
Frey Bros,	Drucke & Kennedy,
Weiluch Brewing Co.,	Brant Brewing Co.,
Tusch Bros,	Kortlander & Gray.
Hart & Amberg,	

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 674. By Mr. Stark: Protest of H. O. Sarbee, Watkins and Bingham, J. F. Roberts, and 21 others against taxing druggists for the sale of liquor for medicinal and mechanical purposes.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 675. By Mr. Westgate: Petition of Cyrus B. Thomas and 75 other citizens of Saginaw county asking for a repeal of the act requiring teachers to pay an institute fee, and providing that the expense of county institutes be paid from the treasury of the State.

On motion of Mr. Westgate

The petition was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the petition:

EAST SAGINAW, MICH., }
April 18, 1887. }

To the Legislature of the State of Michigan:

We, the undersigned teachers in the schools of East Saginaw, respectfully

request that the law requiring teachers, when they apply for certificates, to pay an examination fee, be repealed, and that the expenses of county institutes, now paid by this tax upon teachers, be hereafter defrayed from the treasury of the State.

Cyrus B. Thomas,
J. O. Reed,
Alice Van Hoosen,
Sybil C. Palmer,
Bertha Van Hoosen,
Fanny D. Ball,
May M. Reed,
Isabella H. Hull,
Phoebe Fairchild,
L. J. A. Ibershoff,
Mary S. Blyben,
Mary L. Cooley,
Josephine Miller,
Mary E. Mearns,
Fannie A. Burnham,
Carrie E. Goppelt,
Emila Hesse,
Ella Brown,
Augusta L. Franck,
Sarah Fox,
Lillie Parker,
Grace M. Grenney,
Susanna Maurer,
Lizzie Turck,
Susie Lewis,
Lilla Frey,
W. W. Warner,
H. M. Caughell,
H. E. Millard,
Lillie Forest,
Anna Benn,
Kittie R. Carlisle,
Emma L. Reeney,
Frank A. LeRoy,
M. A. Rose,
Lotta Birdsall,
George Rebec,
Eva Curtis,

Rose LeRoy,
Minnie Hawkins,
Susie Houghton,
Martha Buerle,
Kate Keller,
Emma L. Curtis,
Edith Cornick,
Jessie Liddell,
H. E. Terry,
Zelma Gray,
Minnie A. Erwin,
Jeanie Hamilton,
Maud Forrest,
Minnie Hesse,
Mary Heminger,
Anna Bochlke,
Flora A. LeRoy,
Ida S. Holmes,
Cora E. McEachron,
Jessie Loomis,
C. P. Colvin,
J. C. Brown,
Mary Milligan,
Lelia B. Crabbe,
Ella F. Barton,
Ella A. Milligan,
Hattie M. Turner,
Minnie Miller,
Jennie Pettis,
Kate H. Harford,
Libbie J. Quackenbush,
Vina Deming,
Emilie Christ,
Jennie Rambo,
Lizzie Crispin,
L. O. Broadwell,
C. E. Dyer.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 676. By Mr. Atwood: Remonstrance of Dr. A. A. Thompson and 46 others against taxing druggists for the sale of liquors.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 677. By Mr. Barton: Remonstrance of Frank Hamilton, E. H. Pope, S. E. Wait, Jas. G. Johnson and 25 other business men on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 678. By Mr. Wisner: Remonstrance of Frank Lawrence and 25 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 679. By Mr. Wisner: Remonstrance of E. T. Judd and 40 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 680. By Mr. Willits: Remonstrance of 40 business men of Constantine, St. Joseph county, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 681. By Mr. Willits: Remonstrance of 35 business men of Kalamazoo on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 682. By Mr. Mayo: Remonstrance of Albert Chandler, George Starr and 24 other citizens of Coldwater on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 683. By Mr. Crosby: Petition of certain Detroit manufacturers of lager beer.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The petition was ordered spread at length on the journal.

The following is the petition:

To the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan:

The manufacturers of lager beer in this State would respectfully show:

First, That there are no distilleries in the State of Michigan for the manufacture of spirituous liquors; that there are small quantities of wine and large quantities of lager beer manufactured in the State, and we believe there are not any other kinds of malt, brewed, or fermented liquors manufactured in this State;

Second, That a tax, therefore, upon the manufacture of spirituous and intoxicating, malt, brewed, fermented, or vinous liquors, can only reach and be exacted from the manufacturers of lager beer;

Third, That such manufactures are assessed under the general laws of this State upon all their real and personal property, and pay taxes thereon, in the same manner as owners of all property therein, not subject to the payment of a specific tax;

Fourth, That at the time the payment of such tax was imposed there was also imposed upon non-residents of this State who sold herein, a like tax. That while such provision was declared valid by the supreme court of this State, the supreme court of the United States has recently decided and held the same unconstitutional and void, so that such non-residents are not and cannot be taxed, nor can the Legislature of this State subject such non-resident manufacturers or dealers to the payment of any tax whatever;

Fifth, The result therefore is that the resident manufacturer has to pay a double tax, first upon his property according to the cash value thereof, and secondly, a specific tax as a manufacturer, and compete with a non-resident who does not pay any tax whatever in this State. This we respectfully submit is an unjust discrimination against the resident and in favor of the non-resident, should it be permitted longer to remain in force. Until the decision referred to in the supreme court of the United States, we could not and did not complain.

Sixth, There is but one argument we can conceive of in favor of permitting this unjust discrimination to remain, viz., that the sale and consumption of such liquors may thereby be diminished in this State. We respectfully

submit, however, that such discrimination has no such tendency. So long as there is a public demand for beer and wine, and especially so long as the sale thereof is legal, the taxation of any or all the breweries in this State out of existence would not affect the question. The brewers and dealers in other States would supply the demand, and would be only too happy to do so, and as they are not subject to the demands or regulations of this state, they should not be favored at our expense.

Seventh, The protection of home industries has been the principal plank in the platform of one of the great parties of the State and nation, while the other great party has been in favor of free trade. The law we complain of violates the principles of both parties and proclaims taxation of home industries for the benefit of foreign manufacturers;

We therefore respectfully ask that in view of the decision referred to we may hereafter be relieved from such an unjust discrimination, and your petitions will ever pray, etc.

Ochsenhirt & Co.,
F. Dittmer Brewing Co.,
Ekhardt & Becker,
Props. Mich. Brewery,
Bavarian Brewing Co.,
W. P. Rategan, *Sec. & Tr.*
Jacob C. Mann,
Charles Embriss,
Edward B. Voight,
B. Stroh Brewing Co.,
Julius Stroh, *Sec.*,
A. Goebel & Co.,
Fulda & Bonner,
John Zymber,

Thomas McGrath,
H. Darmstatter & Bro.,
W. E. Moloney,
Union Brewing Co.,
P. Kling & Co.,
George Bloss,
Chas. Ziegace,
Hauck Brewing Co.,
Germania Brewing Co.,
Westphalia Brewing Co.,
F. August, *Tr. & Sec.*,
Jos. S. Clemens,
Augustus Ruoff,
Detroit Brewing Co.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 684. By Mr. Post: Remonstrance of E. D. Wheaton, Wm. H. Elden, and 37 others, against the passage of any bill providing for the taxation of druggists for selling liquor for medicinal or mechanical purposes.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 685. By Mr. Potter: Petition of Hurtley E. Hendrick, A. E. Southwick, and 30 voters, also, Mrs. W. A. Morse, Hattie A. Thomas, and 20 other women, of Middleville, asking for the passage of the substitute for Senate bill No. 134, which is believed to embody a plain and effective guide for the introduction and teaching of physiology and hygiene in our public schools.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 686. By Mr. Campbell: Remonstrance of D. W. Grow, E. T. Bennett, W. D. Richardson and 43 other business men of Bay City against the passage of any law proving for the taxation of druggists for selling liquor for medicinal and mechanical purposes.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 687. By Mr. Gorman: Remonstrance of Prof. V. C. Vaughn, E. H. Scott and 23 other business men and firms of Ann Arbor on the same subject,

Same reference.

No. 688. By Mr. Gorman: Remonstrance of 14 business men of Dexter on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 689. By Mr. Palmer: Remonstrance of several druggists and business men of Stanton on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 690. By Mr. Barringer: Remonstrance of Wm. Springer, J. B. Parker, Wm. Johnson and 22 other business men of Port Huron on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 691. By Mr. Barringer: Remonstrance of S. A. Reade, Chas. M. Coe, John Ford, and 23 other business men of Romeo, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 692. By Mr. Giddings: Remonstrance of F. H. Huntley, J. M. Cloud, H. M. Green, and 100 citizens of Cadillac, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 693. By Mr. Roof: Remonstrance of W. H. Stone, and 9 other business men and firms of Portland, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 694. By Mr. Hubbell: Remonstrance of D. H. Ball, and 10 other business men of Marquette county, against the passage of House bill No. 836.

Referred to the committee on mines, minerals and mining interests.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 863 (file No. 180), entitled

A bill to punish a male person above fourteen years of age for indecent and improper liberties with a female child under fifteen years of age,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and they further recommend that the title to said bill be amended so as to correspond with the said proposed amended sections, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 414 (file No. 164), entitled

A bill to amend Sec. No. 28, of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and powers of the supreme court," approved April 4, 1851, being Sec. 6424 of Howell's compilation,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and they recommend that the

title to said bill be amended so as to conform to said amended Sec. 1, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 171 (file No. 531), entitled

A bill to provide for the punishment of crimes committed by any person while confined, or before the expiration of his sentence in any of the penal institutions of this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 277 (file No. 230), entitled

A bill to amend and alter section 14 of act No. 39 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of excavating, constructing and maintaining water courses with water power appurtenances thereto for accumulating, storing, conducting, selling, furnishing and supplying, upon an agreed rental, water and water power for mining, milling, manufacturing, domestic, municipal and agricultural purposes," and for holding and conveying lands adjacent to said water course or within convenient distance thereof,

2. Senate bill No. 102 (file No. 123), entitled

A bill to make all debts for labor preferred claims against the estates of debtors becoming insolvent, and give the same precedence over all debts not a lien on such estates prior to the performance of such labor,

3. Senate substitute for House bill No. 771 (file No. 274), entitled

A bill to authorize Bay county to borrow money to build and repair bridges across the Saginaw river,

4. Senate bill No. 320 (file No. 156) entitled

A bill to create a fund for and to provide for the payment of certain damages for sheep and lambs killed or wounded by dogs within the city of Jackson and the townships of Summit and Blackman, in the county of Jackson, State of Michigan,

5. Senate bill No. 324, entitled

A bill to create a fund for and to provide for the payment of certain damages for sheep and lambs killed or wounded by dogs within the city of Lansing, township of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, State of Michigan.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 42 (file No. 22), entitled

A bill in relation to jurors in courts of record in the county of Wayne; and to revise the laws relative thereto.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 395, entitled

A bill to provide for the election of a collector of taxes for the several wards of the city of Grand Rapids and to prescribe the duties of such collector,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Stark,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Monroe,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Laing,			30

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the title as follows:

By striking out the words "a collector" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "collectors," and also by striking out the word "collector" at the end of the title and inserting in lieu thereof the word "collectors,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 121, entitled

A bill to amend paragraph 138, section 50, of the charter of the city of Detroit relative to the powers and duties of the common council to include the licensing of conductors, etc.,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

Mr. Hubbell moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to concur in the adoption of the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), that a special joint committee consisting of two of the House and one of the Senate be appointed to investigate the charges and rumors against the management of the State public school and against the character of the superintendent and others in charge, with full authority in the premises to hold sessions, at the school or elsewhere, at such times as shall best suit their convenience, to enforce the attendance of witnesses, administer oaths, taking in full the testimony with clerk and stenographer, as to them may seem desirable, and to perform every act of examination by means of the books and records of the institution, or otherwise, as to them shall seem necessary to a full understanding of the facts in the case, and report their doings to the Legislature at their earliest convenience.

Pending which,

Mr. Palmer moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table.

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Palmer,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Post,	
Barton,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Potter,	
Crosby,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Rairden,	
Edwards,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	20

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	Seymour,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Sharp,	Wisner,	12

Mr. J. W. Babcock rose to a

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE,

And stated that he wished to introduce a resolution calling for an investigation of the State public school; which resolution would be accompanied by formal charges against the management of the school.

The Chair decided that the question was not one of privilege,
Whereupon

Mr. J. W. Babcock appealed from the decision of the Chair,

The question being, "Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the decision of the Senate?"

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The decision of the Chair was then sustained by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Howell,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Laing,	Potter,	Willits,	
Fox,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,	28

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Holbrook,	4
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The Chair announced that the time of 2:30 o'clock had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the further consideration of
House bill No. 10 (file No. 57), entitled

A bill to provide for the penalty of death in certain cases of murder.

Mr. Moon moved that the rules be suspended, and that the special order be deferred, and that the following bills be taken from the table and their consideration resumed:

1. Senate bill No. 393 (file No. 207), entitled

A bill to amend section 1226 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to taxes on mining and smelting companies,

2. Senate bill No. 394 (file No. 208), entitled

A bill to amend section 1225 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the payment of specific taxes to counties in the Upper Peninsula.

On which Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, W. I.	Harshaw,	Moon,	Rairden,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Howell,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Mayo,	Post,	Westgate,	
Edwards,				21

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Willits,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Seymour,	Wisner,	
Fox,				9

Mr. Willits moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to amend the first named bill as follows:

1. By striking out of line 16, section 1226, the words "nine-tenths," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "seventy-five per cent."

2. By striking out of line 17, section 1226, the words "one-tenth," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five per cent."

On which

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to reconsider then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Deyo,				21

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Post,	
Barringer,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Potter,	
Edwards,	Mayo,			10

The question being on the motion to amend,

Mr. Monroe moved to amend the amendment by striking out the words "seventy-five per cent" in the first amendment and inserting in lieu thereof the words "eight-tenths."

Also,

By striking out the words "twenty-five per cent" in the second amendment and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two-tenths."

Which amendment to the amendment was accepted.

The motion to amend as amended then prevailed.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Monroe,	Roof,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,	28

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Title agreed to.

The second named bill having been read a third time, and the question being on its passage,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Moon moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 1, section 1225, the words "one-tenth" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two-tenths,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Monroe,	Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,	28

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Title agreed to.

The Senate then resumed the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the further consideration of

House bill No. 10 (file No. 57), entitled

A bill to provide for the penalty of death in certain cases of murder.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, with the President in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 10 (file No. 57), entitled

A bill to provide for the penalty of death in certain cases of murder.

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause, and report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence in their action.

JAMES H. MACDONALD,
Chairman.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Howell moved that the Senate concur in the action of the committee of the whole in striking out all after the enacting clause,

On which,

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards.	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Palmer,	
Barringer,	Fox,	Howell,	Rairden,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Laing,	Seymour,	
Campbell,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,		19

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Moon,	Roof,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Post,	Sharp,	Wisner,	
Hubbell,				13

Mr. Edwards moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in the action of the committee,

Pending which,

Mr. Palmer moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table.

On which

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Palmer,	
Barringer,	Fox,	Howell,	Rairden,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Laing,	Seymour,	
Campbell,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,		19

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Moon,	Roof,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Post,	Sharp,	Wisner,	
Hubbell,				13

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, May 3, 1887. }

To the Senate :

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

[Senate bill No. 277 File No. 230, being]

An act to amend and alter section 14 of act No. 39 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of excavating, constructing and maintaining water courses with water-power appurtenances thereto, for accumulating, storing, conducting, selling, furnishing and supplying, upon an agreed rental, water and water-power, for mining, milling, manufacturing, domestic, municipal and agricultural purposes," and for holding and conveying lands adjacent to said water courses, or within convenient distance thereof.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 4, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill :
House bill No. 366 (file No. 133), entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road to connect the East Saginaw and Sauble river State road with the Tawas and Manistee State road in the counties of Arenac, Iosco and Ogemaw, and to provide for its construction by an appropriation of swamp lands and the raising and ex-

penditure of certain moneys therefor by the townships through which said road passes.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked,

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 4, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill: House bill No. 692 (file No. 347), entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of article 4 of act No. 198 session laws of 1873 entitled an act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof, being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 234, public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on railroads.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 4, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill: House bill No. 437 (file No. 343), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 57 public acts of 1877, entitled "An act authorizing the mortgagee or his legal representatives to purchase property on sale by foreclosure under chattel mortgage," approved April 20, 1877, being compiler's section 6200 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 4, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

Senate bill No. 55 (file No. 48), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the asylum for insane criminals,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out of line 4 section 1, the words "three hundred and twenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred and fifty."

2. By striking out of line 5 section 1, the word "hair."

3. By striking out of line 6 section 1, the words "three hundred" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred."

4. By striking out of line 9 section 1, the word "skilled."

5. By striking out of section 1, and commencing in line 17, the following: "And that the further sum of one hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the general fund for pillows and bedding for twenty-five beds."

6. By striking out, commencing in line 18, section 1, the following: "And that the further sum of one hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the general fund for pictures for wards."

7. By striking out of line 2, section 2, the words "four hundred and ten dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and thirty-five dollars."

In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

The President called the President *pro tem* to the chair.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 4, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 419 (file No. 188), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 182 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a live stock sanitary commission and a State veterinarian, and to prescribe their powers and duties, and to prevent and suppress contagious and infectious diseases among the live stock of the State," and to repeal section 6 of said act, and to add another section thereto to stand as section 23,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 4, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bills:

1. House bill No. 386, entitled

A bill to authorize the circuit court of Kalamazoo county to appoint a crier.

2. House bill No. 337, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5 and 70 of act No. 346, session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 30, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 4, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 371 (file No. 286), entitled

A bill to regulate the trial of actions for damages arising from negligence,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 4, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 177 (file No. 85), entitled

A bill to provide for the better protection of lives of passengers and employes on railroad trains,

Concerning which there exists a disagreement between the two Houses, and on which the Senate asks a committee of conference. Now to inform the Senate that the House has granted the request for said conference committee, and that Messrs. Holt, Perkins and Killean have been appointed as such committee on the part of the House.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives

The President *pro tem.* announced that he would name the committee on the part of the Senate hereafter.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 5, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bills:

1. House bill No. 560 (file No. 334), entitled

A bill to provide for the straightening, opening, deepening and widening Lit-Sturgeon creek, in Midland county, and making an appropriation of State swamp lands for same,

2. House bill No. 691 (file No. 333), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp land for the purpose of cleaning, dredging, and clearing out the south branch of Black Creek, in the township of Eggleston, and also the township and county drains in the township of Moreland, in Muskegon county, and directing the board of control of State swamp lands to construct the same,

3. House bill No. 580 (file No. 349), entitled

A bill to amend section 23, of act No. 250, of the session laws of 1873, being an act to revise the charter of the city of Coldwater, as amended by act No. 358, of the local acts of the session laws of 1779, by adding a proviso for alternative sentences by justices of the peace,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 5, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 904, entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 87 and 215 of act No. 215, session laws of 1859, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Owosso," approved Feb'y 15, 1859, and all subsequent amendments of said sections,

2. House bill No. 168 (file No. 366), entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp land by means of a ditch from Little Black Lake in Muskegon county to Lake Michigan and to make an appropriation of State swamp land therefor,

3. House bill No. 628 (file No. 350), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 22 and 23 of act No. 321 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to authorize a board of public works in and for the city of Grand Rapids," approved March 22, 1873, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to add to said act a new section to be known and numbered as section 24 of said act.

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 62 (file No. 161), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for continuing and completing the frescoing and decorations of the walls, corridors and rooms of the State capitol,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill as follows: By striking out of line 1, Sec. 1, the word "thirty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty," and by striking out of line 3, Sec. 1, the words "and completing," and by striking out of line 3, Sec. 2, the words "and completion."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows: By striking out of Sec. 2 the following words: "Each member of such commission shall be entitled to and shall receive out of the sum so appropriated the sum of two dollars per day for the time actually spent in the discharge of their duties,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of sec. 2 the following words "and provided further

that no part of the said sum shall be used for the decoration of any of the rooms until the decoration of the walls, corridors and library are completed,"

Which motion did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 7, sec. 2, after the word "Michigan," the words "or a resident or residents of this State who shall have declared his or their intention, according to law, to become such citizen or citizens."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill by striking out the entire proviso at the end of sec. 2,

On which

Mr. Rairden demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Willits,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Roof,		7

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Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,	
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Laing,	Rairden,	President	
Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	16
Harshaw,	O'Reilly,			

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of Sec. 2 the words "and provided further that no person or persons shall be employed upon said work but such as are citizens of the United States or of this State, or residents of this State who have declared their intention to become such citizens,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Barringer.	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	President	
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i>	26
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,		

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Mr. Sharp,

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the title as follows:

By striking out the words "and completing,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Palmer offered the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That the Secretary of State be required to forthwith furnish to the Senate and House a list of all the persons to whom Michigan Manuals of 1887 have been furnished from his office, free or otherwise, and by what authority; also the number of manuals now on hand and the number sold for cash,

Which was adopted.

Mr. J. W. Babcock offered the following preamble and concurrent resolution:

We, the undersigned Senators in the State Legislature make, upon information and belief, the following charges against the management of the State public school at Coldwater:

1st. That the management of said school have dismissed certain of the female employees of said school without just cause, thereby unfairly casting a stain upon the otherwise good name of said employes;

2d. That certain of the male employes of said school have taken indecent liberties with certain of the female employes of said school;

3d. That the management of said school made a pretended investigation with closed doors, and the evidence taken by them has never been made public;

4th. That by the dismissal of certain employes of said school without cause, the management have damaged the school and impaired its influence;

5th. That by such dismissal without cause, the management have improperly disgraced the persons so dismissed;

6th. That besides the above there are other rumors against the management of said school.

The undersigned Senators, therefore, demand an investigation.

J. W. BABCOCK, 16th District.

CHAS. I. DEYO, 14th District.

WHEREAS, certain charges are made against the State public school at Coldwater, Michigan, which charges are hereto attached;

AND WHEREAS, It is believed by many that an investigation should be ordered by the Legislature; therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That a special joint committee consisting of two of the House and one of the Senate be appointed to investigate the charges and rumors against the management of the State public school, and against the character of the superintendent and others in charge, with full authority in the premises to hold sessions, at the school or elsewhere, at such times as shall best suit their convenience, to enforce the attendance of witnesses, administer oaths, taking in full the testimony with clerk and stenographer, as may to them seem desirable, and to perform every act of examination by means of the books and records of the institution, or otherwise, as to them shall seem necessary to a full understanding of the facts in the case, and report their doings to the Legislature at their earliest convenience.

Pending the adoption of the resolution Mr. Giddings moved to lay the preamble and resolution on the table.

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay upon the table then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Palmer,	
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Mayo,	Post,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Rairden,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,			18

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Sharp,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Seymour,	Willits,	
Gorman,				9

Mr. Hubbell gave notice that within the prescribed time he would move to reconsider the vote by which the motion to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass

House bill No. 10 (file No. 57), entitled

A bill to provide for the penalty of death in certain cases of murder,

Was this day laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

The time being 5:20 o'clock P. M.

The executive session closed, the time being 5:25 o'clock P. M.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, May 6, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 2 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Squires.

Roll called: a quorum present.

The President announced as the committee of conference on the part of the Senate, to whom shall be referred the matters of difference between the two houses relative to

Senate bill No. 22 (file No. 25), entitled,

A bill to require security to be given on staying proceedings upon verdicts and judgments in the circuit courts of this State,

Messrs. Sharp, Palmer and Wisner.

The President also announced as the committee of conference on the part of the Senate, to whom shall be referred the matters of difference between the two houses relative to

Senate bill No. 177 (file No. 85), entitled,
 A bill to provide for the better protection of lives of passengers and
 employees on railroad trains,
 Messrs. Seymour, Atwood and Stark.
 The bill was referred to said committee.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 695. By Mr. Rairden: Protest of 61 druggists of Detroit against being taxed as saloon keepers.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 696. By Mr. Atwood: Remonstrance of J. G. Thompson and 20 other business men of Flushing, against the bill taxing druggists for the sale of liquors.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 697. By Mr. Atwood: Petition of Riegler, Rousch & Co., and other business men of Freeport, urging the passage of the Cole bill prohibiting combinations among insurance companies.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

No. 698. By Mr. Hubbell: Petition of E. W. Meddaugh, Alfred Russell and 82 other residents of Detroit, asking for the passage of Senate bill No. 150 (file No. 174), relating to the election of Representatives in the State Legislature in districts having more than two.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The petition was ordered spread at length upon the Journal.

The following is the petition:

To the Honorable, the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Michigan :

We, the undersigned citizens of Detroit, most respectfully call your attention to Senate bill No. 250 (file No. 174), entitled "A bill relating to the election of Representatives in the State Legislature, from districts entitled to more than two," introduced by Senator Hubbell, and favorably reported by the Senate committee on judiciary, and the passage of which we most earnestly desire and petition your honorable body therefor.

The principles of this bill are similar to act 112 of the session laws, 1885, providing for minority representation in the boards of directors of corporations, the passage of which was so largely petitioned for by the labor interests of the State.

A similar provision is and has been for years a part of the constitution of the State of Illinois, is found to be a practical success in its operation and is warmly commended by all parties as being eminently just and fair.

The bill here petitioned for affects only the city of Detroit. Our seven representatives must be elected upon a general city ticket, whereas were it possible to divide our territory into districts corresponding in population with the ratio established for single districts, in other parts of the State, it would always secure to this city that division of representation which would be for the best welfare of its large and diverse interests in legislation.

E. W. Meddaugh,
 Alfred Russell,
 C. A. Kent,
 John Atkinson,
 Dwight C. Rexford,

F. E. Driggs,
 J. W. Donovan,
 J. H. Leshar,
 James V. D. Willcox,
 Allen H. Frazer.

C. C. Yemans,
 James Caplis,
 Henry A. Haigh,
 A. B. Maynard,
 Henry Swan,
 E. C. Walker,
 S. S. Babcock,
 J. C. Chilton,
 Geo. R. Angell,
 J. H. Eakins,
 J. E. Winder,
 A. H. Dey,
 M. Butzel,
 C. S. Heineman,
 E. K. Roberts,
 W. M. Lillibridge,
 Ira Mayhew,
 Jno. B. Corliss,
 S. G. Caskey,
 Jno. F. Fiske,
 A. P. Bacon,
 F. W. Swift,
 J. W. Finney,
 Roscoe B. Wheeler,
 Geo. C. Codd,
 Jos. M. Weiss,
 Jas. C. Smith, jr.,
 Guy F. Hinchman,
 C. C. Blodgett,
 James Cullen,
 Albert J. Chapman,
 H. G. Reed,
 Jno. N. Bagley.

W. L. Carpenter,
 R. E. Frazer,
 Moses W. Field,
 Edgar Weeks,
 Geo. A. Chase,
 S. E. Engle,
 Benj. F. Briscoe,
 I. E. Kimball,
 E. Y. Swift,
 W. R. Morris,
 Wm. Dupont,
 J. S. Lannan,
 Peter J. Ralph,
 F. Raymond,
 Charles L. Latham,
 F. G. Russell,
 A. H. Raynor,
 G. W. Partridge,
 John B. Price,
 Joseph R. Moore,
 Joseph T. Lowry,
 Benj. Vernor,
 C. J. O'Flynn,
 Eber Ward,
 A. P. L. Beniteau,
 D. M. Ferry,
 John A. Baxter,
 John G. Erwin,
 Chas. P. Collins,
 H. Granger,
 Wm. L. Carlisle,
 John T. Gibson,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The petition was laid upon the table.

No. 699. By Mr. Hubbell: Petition of D. H. Servoss and 45 other residents of Gladwin county, asking that said county be detached from the 21st judicial circuit and attached to the 19th judicial circuit.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The petition was ordered spread at length upon the Journal.

The following is the petition:

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan:

We, the undersigned residents of the county of Gladwin, do hereby respectfully ask your honorable body to pass the bill detaching Gladwin county from the 21st judicial circuit and attaching the same to the 18th judicial circuit, for the reason, among others, that the present judge of the 21st judicial circuit resides at Midland City and that the most of the time we have no circuit court commissioner, as those elected to the office do not qualify, and in order to reach the present judge we are obliged to travel twenty miles by wagon and then from twenty to fifty miles by rail if we are lucky enough to

find him; and for the further reason that a railroad is being built to run directly from Gladwin to Bay City where the judge of the 18th judicial district resides, and it will enable litigants to go before the judge upon any matter to be heard before him at Chambery and return home the same day, whereas it now takes two or three days and involves much expense; and for the further reason, that the 21st judicial circuit comprises five counties, and we believe that it would equalize the labor to be performed by the judges of the two circuits above mentioned, respectively. We understand that this measure would be agreeable to both judges and citizens of both circuits generally.

Dated, Gladwin, May 4, 1887.

D. D. Servoss, *Co. Clerk*,
R. E. Finch, M. D.,
Kev. A. Robinson,
M. C. Swafford & Co., *Bankers*,
Wm. F. Wright
H. H. Fuller,
Chas. T. Gibbs,
L. J. Tanphew,
Chas. Robinson,
John Graham,
Hugh McClary,
H. Hoffman & Co.,
T. H. Spencer,
E. C. Diffin, *Co. Treas.*,
Levi H. M. Comstock,
R. P. Holihan,
W. T. Johnson, *J. of P.*,
Daniel W. Shuhan,

W. E. Barber, *Att'y at Law*,
Henry J. Taylor,
Allen Whitman,
Archie Wilson,
Eugene Foster, { *Pubs. Record*,
Isaac Foster, {
B. W. Church,
J. F. Struble,
Richard Moreland,
J. M. Shoffer,
E. J. Ernsberger,
Robt. Croskery,
J. H. Faston,
C. J. Ryman,
Nicholas Wagner,
F. L. Prindle, *Attorney*,
F. E. Atchinson,
James A. Wright.

Gladwin, May 4, 1887.

Hon. J. A. Hubbell:

I send you the foregoing petition and hope you will pass the bill. The sentiment is unanimously in favor. I could get, I think, at least five-sixths of the voters of our county to sign if necessary.

W. E. BARBER.

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

No. 700. By Mr. Roof: Remonstrance of L. W. Robinson and 20 other business men of Hubbardston, Ionia county, against the passage of any law taxing druggists for the sale of liquors, when sold exclusively for medicinal and mechanical purposes.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 701. By Mr. Post: Petition of W. E. Barber, C. C. Fouch and numerous others, asking that the county of Gladwin be detached from the twenty-first judicial district and attached to the eighteenth judicial district.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The petition was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the petition:

To the Hon. the Senate and House of Representatives, Lansing, Mich.:

We, the undersigned citizens and residents of the county of Gladwin, State of Michigan, would respectfully request your honorable body to pass the proposed bill cutting off the county of Gladwin from the twenty-first judicial

circuit and attaching the same to the eighteenth judicial circuit, for the reason, among many others, that the present judge resides at the village of Midland, in Midland county, and to reach that place it becomes necessary to travel by stage over twenty miles to Coleman, on the F. & P. M. R. R., and from Coleman to Midland; while a railroad is now being built from Gladwin village to run directly to Bay City, Bay county, and will make that point where the judge of the eighteenth judicial circuit resides much more convenient and of ready access in the transaction of legal business in the circuit of Gladwin county. And your petitioners will ever pray.

W. E. Barber, <i>Att'y</i> ,	J. M. Shoffer,
H. Hoffman & Co.,	Matthew J. Powley,
Rob't Croskery,	Alfred Rodwell,
C. C. Fouch, <i>Att'y</i> ,	Enoch Robbins,
Wm. Chesser,	Hugh McClary,
James A. Wright,	John Crohun,
H. H. Fuller,	Archie Wilson,
Charles J. Royman.	

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on labor.

The committee on labor, to whom was referred,

House bill No. 358 (file No. 297), entitled,

A bill to prohibit the use of scrip or store orders in the payment of wages of laborers in mines, mills, shops and factories,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. S. LAING, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on labor:

The committee on labor, to whom was referred

House bill No. 492 (file No. 138), entitled,

A bill to amend section one of act one hundred and fifty-seven of the session laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-three, being compiler's section seven thousand ninety-one of Howell's annotated statutes, being an act entitled "An act to protect the rights of laborers,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. S. LAING, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on fisheries:

The committee on fisheries, to whom was referred

House bill No. 670 (file No. 324), entitled

A bill to prohibit the destruction of fish in Hogsett Lake, in the township of Portage and Gourdneck lake in the townships of Portage and Schoolcraft, in Kalamazoo county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on fisheries:

The committee on fisheries, to whom was referred

House bill No. 92 (file No. 325), entitled,

A bill to prevent the destruction of fish in Klinger Lake, White Pigeon township, Middle Lake in Sherman and Sturgis townships, and Thompson Lake in Sherman township, in the county of St. Joseph,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 78, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the present townships of Atioch, Hanover, Wexford and Springville in Wexford county, and to organize the same into a separate township to be known as the township of Logan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that it be referred to the committee on cities and villages, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee on cities and villages.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 127 (file No. 55), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 1 of act 177, session laws of 1859, being compiler's section 80 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the registration of voters,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs to whom was referred

House bill No. 411 (file No. 328), entitled

A bill to prohibit the employment of children under 14 years of age, and females under 16 years of age for more than nine hours a day,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on roads and bridges:

The committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 181 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 8 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement, and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing, and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, being continuous sections 1296 and 1303 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. J. WILLITS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 419 (file No. 188), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 182 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a live stock sanitary commission, and a State Veterinarian, and to prescribe their powers and duties, and to prevent and suppress contagious and infectious diseases among the live stock of the State," and to repeal section 6 of said act, and to add another section thereto to stand as section 23,

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was re-referred

Senate bill No. 55 (file No. 48), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the asylum for insane criminals,

Which the House amended as follows:

1. By striking out of line 4 section 1, the words "three hundred and twenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred and fifty,"

2. By striking out of line 5 section 1, the word "hair,"
 3. By striking out of line 6 section 1, the words "three hundred" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred,"
 4. By striking out of line 9 section 1, the word "skilled,"
 5. By striking out of section 1, and commencing in line 17, the following: "And that the further sum of one hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the general fund for pillows and bedding for twenty-five beds."
 6. By striking out, commencing in line 18, section 1, the following: "And that the further sum of one hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the general fund for pictures for wards,"
 7. By striking out of line 2, section 2, the words, "four hundred and ten dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "and thirty-five dollars."
- Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back the Senate with the recommendation that amendment No. 4 be concurred in, and that the other amendments be not concurred in, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on the adoption of the report,

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate adopted the report, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,		31

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By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 78, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the present townships of Antioch, Hanover, Wexford and Springville, in Wexford county, and to organize the same into a separate township to be known as the township of Logan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Sherman, in the county of Wexford,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 904, entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 87 and 215 of act No. 215, session laws of 1859, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Owosso," approved February 15, 1859, and all subsequent amendments of said sections,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	Willits,
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on rules and joint rules:

The committee on rules and joint rules beg leave to report that they have had under consideration the subject of revising Senate rule 34, and have decided to propose a revision thereof as herewith submitted, and have directed me to report the same to the Senate, and recommend that said rule be revised accordingly.

EDWD. E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The following is the rule proposed:

RULE 34. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but

1. To adjourn;

2. To take a recess;
3. To lay on the table;
4. For the previous question;
5. To postpone to a day certain;
6. To commit;
7. To amend;
8. To postpone indefinitely;

Which several motions shall take precedence in the order in which they stand arranged. When a recess is taken during the pendency of any question, the consideration of such question shall be resumed upon the re-assembling of the Senate, unless otherwise determined.

Pending the adoption of the rule,

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The same was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 6, 1887.

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That the Secretary of State be required to forthwith furnish to the Senate and House a list of all the persons to whom Michigan Manuals of 1887 have been furnished from his office, free or otherwise, and by what authority; also the number of manuals now on hand and the number sold for cash,

In the passage of which the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 6, 1887.

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 660 (file No. 367), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a State marshal, and to prescribe his powers and duties.

2. House bill No. 852 (file No. 376), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of act No. 280 of the local acts of 1879, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Petoskey," approved February 27, 1879, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 8,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and Pending its reference to a committee, Mr. Sharp moved that the bill be referred to the committee on the judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Edwards moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was referred to the committee on judiciary,

On which

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to reconsider then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Post,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Monroe,	Potter,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Howell,	Palmer,	Willits,	20

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Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Seymour,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Sharp,	
Gorman,	Laing,			10

The question being on the motion to refer the bill to the committee on the judiciary,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the motion by striking out the words "the judiciary," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "liquor traffic."

On which,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Mayo,			22

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Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Sharp,	
Gorman,				5

The motion as amended then prevailed, and the bill was referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

Pending its reference to the committee,

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Stark,
Campbell,	Laing,	Potter,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Willits,
Deyo,	Monroe,		

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Westgate moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 134 (file No. 139), entitled

A bill to amend section 15, chapter 3, of an act entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes contravening the provisions of this act," being act No. 164 of the session laws of 1881, as amended by act No. 93 of the public acts of 1883,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 11, section 15, after the word "education," the words "and the State Board of Health,"

Which motion did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out in line 5, section 15, the words "shall be given orally to pupils who are not able to read and,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Post,
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Giddings moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate reprint of House bill No. 548 (file No. 246), being
Senate file No. 235, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the institution for educating the deaf and dumb for the years 1887 and 1888,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Roof,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,
Edwards,	Laing,		

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. O'Reilly moved to take from the table,
Senate bill No. 222 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the House of the Good Shepherd at Detroit,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on the judiciary.

Mr. Westgate moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 179 (file No. 170), entitled

A bill to amend section 16 of chapter 3 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, being section 5068 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the duties of school district boards,

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage,

The same was then not passed, a majority of all the members elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Westgate,
Deyo,	Howell,	Post,	President
Fox,	Laing,		<i>pro tem.</i>

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,		

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Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid upon the table.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 122 (file No. 213) entitled

A bill to provide for the payment of witness fees in criminal cases,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The bill was laid upon the table.

Senate bill No. 453 (file No. 172), entitled

A bill to provide for the publication in newspapers of township proclamations, registration notices, election notices, notices of letting highway and bridge contracts and all other similar notices where the law now requires the posting of written or printed notices and make no provision for publishing such notices in newspapers,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Giddings moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 4, section 1 the words "chattel mortgage sales,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of the bill the following words: "provided that this act shall not apply to sales on execution or other sales or notices which under existing laws, or village or city ordinances require one week's posting or less,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 25
Fox,	Mayo,		

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Giddings moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect,

Which motion did not prevail, two-thirds of all the Senators elect not voting therefor.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take effect thirty days after the adjournment of the Legislature.

Senate bill No. 342 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to provide for relieving the general statutes of obsolete acts,

Was read a third time, and
 Pending the taking of a vote thereon,
 Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that there be a call of the Senate,
 Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Westgate,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Willits,
Crosby,	Moon,	Seymour,	President
Edwards,	Palmer,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 15

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Laing,	Rairden,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Mayo,	Stark,
Deyo,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	15

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid upon the table.

Senate bill No. 450 (file No. 202), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 49 of the session laws of 1873, approved March 27, 1873, entitled "An act to amend section 2087 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section one of an act entitled "An act to prevent fishing with seines and pound or trap nets in the small inland lakes and streams in the State of Michigan," approved March 11, 1865, as amended by act No. 208 of the session laws of the State of Michigan for the year 1879, approved May 21, 1879, being section 2195 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Post,	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Willits,
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Edwards,	Mayo,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 21

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Mr. O'Reilly,

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Roof moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section one of act number 211 of the session laws of 1865, entitled "An act to prevent fishing with seines, and pound or trap nets in the small inland lakes and streams in the State of Michigan," as amended, being compiler's section 2195 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 586 (file No. 254), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the purchase of books for the State library, and for other purposes pertaining to the State library for the years 1887 and 1888,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Deyo,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President
Fox,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem</i> 27

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 615 (file No. 279), entitled

A bill to require the Erie and Kalamazoo railroad company to operate and maintain, or abandon its line of road between Palmyra Junction and the city of Adrian,

Was read a third time and passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 26
Edwards,	Mayo,	Seymour,	

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Howell moved that the title be amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to require the Erie and Kalamazoo railroad company or any lessee thereof having control of or operating the Erie and Kalamazoo Railroad, to

operate and maintain, or to abandon its line of road between Palmyra Junction and the city of Adrian,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect

Senate bill No. 188 (file No. 80), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 79 of the session laws of 1873 and the acts amendatory thereof, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner of railroads and to define his powers, duties, and fix his compensation," approved April 10, 1873,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President,
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 25
Edwards,	Mayo,		

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Mr. Barringer, Mr. Gorman,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that when the Senate adjourn to-day it adjourn until 2 o'clock Monday next,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Moon asked and obtained leave of absence for himself until Wednesday, May 11.

Mr. Hubbell asked and obtained leave of absence for himself for Saturday, May 7.

Mr. Roof asked and obtained leave of absence for himself for Saturday, May 7.

Mr. Deyo asked and obtained leave of absence for himself until Monday, May 10.

Mr. Palmer asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Atwood for Saturday, May 7.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate adjourned.

The President *pro tem.* announced that the Senate would stand adjourned until Monday, May 9, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Lansing, May 9, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem* at 2 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: not a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Atwood, Babcock, J W., Barringer, Barton, Campbell, Deyo, Fox, Giddings, Gorman, Harshaw, Holbrook, Hubbell, O'Reilly, Post, Roof, Sharp, Stark, Westgate, Willits.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, May 10, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem* at 2 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by Senator Westgate.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Barton, Gorman and Harshaw.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. Barton.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

Leave of absence was granted to all absentees for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 702. By Mr. Palmer: Resolution of the board of supervisors of Mecosta county against the passage of the Post tax bill in its present form.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The resolution was ordered spread at length upon the Journal.

The following is the resolution:

Resolution offered by Amos S. Johnson:

WHEREAS, There is now pending before our State Legislature a bill, No. 205 (Senate file No. 152), for the amendment of the present tax law; and

WHEREAS, Certain portions of said bill exempts from assessment all lands described therein as *State tax lands* while so held by the State, which would include at present in Mecosta county about 20,000 acres, the greatest portion of which could be sold for said taxes if purchasers could be assured of obtaining a title thereto without an almost endless litigation; therefore be it

Resolved, That such exemption as contemplated in sec. 63 of said bill is unjust to the newer and sparsely settled counties of this State, and that our members of the State Legislature be and are hereby requested to use all fair means to defeat said clause of said amendment. And that the clerk of this board be and is hereby instructed to at once forward a certified copy of this paper to said Senators and Representatives.

STATE OF MICHIGAM, }
MECOSTA COUNTY. } ss.

I, W. S. Tucker, clerk of the said county, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution as adopted by the board of supervisors of the said county, during the session held in said county, on April 29th, 1887, as appears on record in this office.

W. S. TUCKER,

Clerk of the said Board of Supervisors.

Dated this 2d day of May, 1887.

Referred to the committee on judiciary.

No. 703. By Mr. Mayo: Remonstrance of Jas. Gramer, jr., of Marshall, against the special tax on the business of brewing lager beer.

Referred to committee on liquor traffic.

No. 704. By Mr. Sharp: Remonstrance of C. Hachale & Co., of Jackson, against the discrimination between brewers manufacturing beer within the State and those without the State.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 705. By Mr. Willits: Memorial of the Kalamazoo academy of medicine relative to legislation affecting the State board of health.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The memorial was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the memorial:

Kalamazoo, May 9, 1887.

Senator Willits, Lansing, Mich.,

DEAR SIR:—At a regular meeting of the Kalamazoo academy of medicine held in this city on May 3, the following was proposed by Dr. Hemenway, and unanimously adopted:

“WHEREAS, certain newspapers of the State have sought to belittle our State board of health and its work; and

“WHEREAS, Senator Sharp has introduced a bill to repeal the act of 1881 whereby \$2,000 per year is appropriated for sanitary conventions and other sanitary work;

“Therefore, be it, by the Kalamazoo academy of medicine, a legally incorporated body of regular physicians, and whose membership reside in the various counties of south western Michigan;

“Resolved, That the Michigan State board of health has done and is doing a work which places it among the leading sanitary bureaux of the world, and which has caused it to be regarded as an authority on such subjects in Europe as well as America;

“Resolved, That in holding sanitary conventions in the various localities of the State, not so much to advance sanitary science as to distribute among the people knowledge already gathered, the board has acted very wisely, and that the results of such conventions have been worth many times their cost;

“Resolved, That such conventions are at least as valuable to the community as either teachers’ or farmers’ institutes;

“Resolved, That any action by the Legislature, which should tend to cripple the board, would be a public injury;

Resolved, That we as a society request our members of the Legislature to use their utmost endeavor to aid, not hinder the work of the State board of health;

“Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, signed by the president and

secretary of the academy be sent to Senator Willits and Representative A. L. Lakey, with the request that they present the same to their respective houses."

Please present these as requested, and use your influence to carry out the wish of the society here expressed.

W. MOTTRAM, M. D.,
President Academy of Medicine.

C. VAN ZWALUWENBURG, M. D.,
Secretary.

Referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

No. 706. By Mr. Westgate: Petition of school officers of Port Sanilac and vicinity and teachers, asking for the repeal of the institute fee law.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 707. By Mr. J. W. Babcock: Remonstrance of Purkiss Bros. relative to brewing.

Referred to committee on liquor traffic.

No. 708. By Mr. Howell: Remonstrance of Smead Bros. and 40 others against taxing druggists for the sale of liquor.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 709. By Mr. Roof: Memorial of Philip Endress in relation to the taxation of the manufacture of lager beer in the State of Michigan.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 140, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 11 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to prohibit any person from obstructing the regular operations and conduct of the business of railroad companies or other corporations, firms or individuals," approved February 14, 1877, being sections 9274, 9275 and 9276 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 508, entitled

A bill to revise and amend the charter of the village of Vicksburg in the county of Kalamazoo,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The rules were suspended, two thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Palmer,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Post,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Deyo,	Mayo,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem</i> , 27

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to revise and amend act No. 305 of the local acts of 1883, entitled.

"An act to reincorporate the village of Vicksburg," approved May 18, 1883.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on rules and joint rules:

The committee on rules and joint rules beg leave to report that they have had under consideration the subject of making a complete revision of the rules of the Senate, and, deciding to propose such revision, they have carefully prepared a draft of the said rules as proposed to be revised, which is herewith submitted, and have directed me to report the same to the Senate, and recommend that the same be approved and adopted.

EDWD. E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

Mr. Edwards moved that the rules as reported by the committee, be printed in bill form and that the consideration relative to the adoption of the rules be made the special order for Friday, May 13, 1887, at 3 o'clock p. m.,

Pending which,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the motion by making the time Friday, May 20th.

Which motion to amend did not prevail.

The original motion then prevailed.

By the committee on public health:

The committee on public health, to whom was referred

House bill No. 518 (file No. 178), entitled

A bill to provide for the registration of physicians and surgeons, and to protect the people of the State of Michigan from empiricism and quackery, and to repeal act No. 167 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to promote public health,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, with the same title,

Recommending that the substitute be printed for the use of the committee.

GEORGE HOWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The bill was ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By the committee on appropriations and finance :

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 211 (file No. 62), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the purchase of books for the State Library and other purposes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN C. SHARP, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sharp

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 417 (file No. 303), entitled

A bill to authorize, empower and direct the board of control of State swamp lands to construct a ditch through the townships of Hebron and Mackinac, in the county of Cheboygan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, May 6, 1887. }

To the Senate :

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 102 (file No. 123), entitled

An act to make all debts for labor preferred claims against the estates of debtors becoming insolvent, and give the same precedence over all debts not a lien on such estates prior to the performance of such labor,

Senate bill No. 324, entitled

An act to create a fund for and to provide for the payment of certain damages for sheep and lambs killed or wounded by dogs within the city of Lansing, township of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, State of Michigan,

Senate bill No. 42 (file No. 22), entitled

An act in relation to jurors in courts of record in the county of Wayne; and to revise the laws relative thereto.

Senate bill No. 320 (file No. 73) entitled

An act to create a fund for and to provide for the payment of certain damages for sheep and lambs killed or wounded by dogs within the city of Jackson and the townships of Blackman and Summit, in the county of Jackson, State of Michigan,

Senate substitute for House bill No. 771 (file No. 274), entitled

An act to authorize Bay county to borrow money to build and repair bridges across the Saginaw river.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

The message was laid on the table.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

Lansing, May 9, 1887.

To the Honorable the Senate of the State of Michigan :

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with the instructions of your honorable body as set forth in a concurrent resolution, dated May 5, 1887, I herewith submit a statement of all persons to whom Michigan manuals of 1887 have been furnished, and by what authority they were furnished, also the number sold for cash.

Respectfully,

G. R. OSMUN,

Secretary of State.

Board of control of railroads.....	6
Board of fish commissioners and officers.....	5
State board of health.....	7
“ “ “ corrections and charities and officer.....	5
Advisory board in the matter of pardons and officer.....	5
Michigan board of pharmacy.....	5
State board of examiners in dentistry.....	3
State live stock sanitary commission.....	3
Commissioner to the world's fair, San Francisco.....	1
Commissioner to the American exposition in London.....	1
Commissioners to arrange for celebrating the semi-centennial of the admission of Michigan as a State.....	5
State geologist.....	1
Board of regents of the University and officers.....	11
State board of agriculture and officers.....	8
State board of education.....	4
Michigan mining school, board of control and officers.....	7
State public school, board of control and officers.....	7
Michigan institution for educating the deaf and dumb, board of trustees and officers.....	7
Michigan school for the blind, board of control and officers.....	5
Michigan soldiers' home, board of managers and officers.....	8
Michigan asylum for the insane, board of trustees and officers.....	14
Eastern Michigan asylum, board of managers and officers.....	14
Northern Michigan asylum, board of trustees and officers.....	13

State prison, board of inspectors and officers.....	8
State house of correction and reformatory, board of managers and officers.....	9
Michigan asylum for insane criminals	5
Upper Peninsula prison, board of commissioners and officer.....	7
Detroit House of Correction.....	5
Reform School, board of control and officers.....	8
Industrial Home for Girls, board of control and officers.....	7
Legislature of 1887 and officers.....	158
Governor and executive office employes.....	8
Justices of the Supreme Court and employes.....	19
Circuit Judges.....	28
U. S. Circuit and District Judges.....	6
State officers (elective and appointive).....	19
Senators and Representatives in Congress.....	19
Foreign consuls for Michigan.....	8
Governor's staff.....	7
Military board.....	3
Secretary of State's employes.....	38
Auditor General's employes.....	62
Board of Corrections and Charities' employes.....	2
State Treasurer's employes.....	5
Commissioner of the State Land Office employes.....	10
Military department.....	9
Superintendent of Public Instruction's employes.....	5
Railroad Commissioner's employes.....	3
Insurance Commissioner's employes.....	5
State Librarian and assistants.....	6
Attorney General's employes.....	2
Labor Bureau employes.....	5
Board of Health office employes.....	11
Quartermaster General's office.....	3
Engineer and Superintendent of the Capitol Building and Grounds, employes of.....	25
President and Cabinet.....	9
Secretaries of other States.....	37
Ex-State Officers.....	77
State Library.....	100
Newspapers.....	562
Clerk Board of State Auditors.....	1

The following were given to newspaper reporters, employes of the Senate and House of Representatives and ministers of the gospel officiating at the sessions of the Senate and House of Representatives, under the authority of resolutions passed January 14, March 28 and April 8:

Newspaper reporters.....	12
Employees of Senate.....	18
Employees of House of Representatives.....	37
Ministers of the Gospel.....	9

The following members of the Senate and House of Representatives have drawn the number set opposite their names in advance of the distribution to be made by concurrent resolution of the Legislature:

SENATORS.

Senator Campell	5
“ Crosby	4
“ Giddings	1
“ Monroe	6
“ Rairden	4
“ Roof	4
“ Sharp	15
“ Stark	3
“ Willits	7

REPRESENTATIVES.

Representative Abbott	6
“ Allen	6
“ S. Baker	6
“ Bentley	6
“ Breen	6
“ Brock	6
“ Burr	6
“ Cady	6
“ Chapman	6
“ Cole	6
“ Dickson	6
“ Dillon	6
“ Douglass	6
“ Goodrich	6
“ Green	6
“ Grenell	5
“ Herrington	6
“ Hoaglin	6
“ Hoobler	6
“ Hosford	6
“ Houk	1
“ Hunt	6
“ Killean	6
“ Kirby	6
“ Lincoln	6
“ McGregor	6
“ McKie	6
“ McMillan	6
“ Mulvey	6
“ Ogg	5
“ Preston	6
“ Perkins	6
“ Pettit	6
“ Pierce	6
“ Rentz	6
“ J. W. Robinson	6
“ R. Robinson	4
“ Rouns ville	6

Representative Rumsey.....	6
“ Snow.....	5
“ Spencer.....	6
“ Stuart.....	6
“ Tindall.....	6
“ Washburn.....	6
“ Watts.....	6
“ Wood.....	6
“ Markey.....	6
Sold.....	28
Total number disposed of.....	1,871
Total number printed.....	4,000
“ “ disposed of.....	1,871
Remaining on hand.....	2,129

The communication was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 10, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 528 (file No. 374) entitled

A bill making appropriations for the current expenses and for buildings, etc., for the reform school for the years 1887 and 1888.

2. House bill No. 445 (file No. 356) entitled

A bill to provide additional fire protection at the Michigan soldiers' home at Grand Rapids, and to make an appropriation therefor.

3. House bill No. 68 (file No. 359) entitled

A bill to provide for the re-issue of lost or destroyed certificates of stock of corporations or companies.

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on reform school for girls.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Michigan soldiers' home.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 9, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate bill No. 55 (file No. 48), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the asylum for insane criminals,
 Which the House amended as shown by message of May 4, as follows:

1. By striking out of line 4 section 1, the words "three hundred and twenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred and fifty,"

2. By striking out of line 5 section 1, the word "hair;"

3. By striking out of line 6 section 1, the words "three hundred" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred;"

4. By striking out of line 9 section 1, the word "skilled,"

5. By striking out of section 1, and commencing in line 17, the following:
 "And that the further sum of one hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the general fund for pillows and bedding for twenty-five beds;"

6. By striking out, commencing in line 18, section 1, the following: "And that the further sum of one hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the general fund for pictures for wards;"

7. By striking out of line 2, section 2, the words, "four hundred and ten dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "and thirty-five dollars;"

And in all of which amendments, except the fourth-named, the Senate non-concurred, as shown by message of May 6,

Now to inform the Senate that on all its said amendments the House insists.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Palmer moved that the Senate appoint a committee of conference, and that the House be requested to appoint a like committee to whom, when appointed, shall be referred the matters of difference,

Which motion prevailed.

The President *pro tem.* announced as the committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Palmer, Deyo and Laing.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 482 (file No. 311), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 317 of the session laws of 1883, being an act entitled "An act to organize a public library in West Bay City," by adding a new section thereto numbered section 9, for the purpose of providing a fund for the enlargement and improvement of said public library,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on education and public schools.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate bill No. 344 (file No. 203), entitled

A bill to prevent taking or killing or catching any fish in Kavanaugh Lake, in the township of Sylvan, in the county of Washtenaw, with spears, or by shooting them with fire arms or by the use of dynamite explosives.

In the passage of which, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 10, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills :

1. House bill No. 276, file No. 360, entitled

A bill to amend section 26 of chapter 185 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to "set-offs," being compiler's section 7365 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

2. House bill No. 379, file No. 362, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 184 of the laws of 1859, as amended by act No. 73 of the laws of 1861, the same being compiler's section 9187 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the fraudulent removal or embezzlement of chattel mortgaged property.

3. House bill No. 378 (file No. 363), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 43 of the laws of 1873, the same being compiler's section 9188 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the fraudulent removal or embezzlement of property leased or under contract of purchase, and to repeal section 2 of said act, the same being compiler's section 9189 of Howell's annotated statutes,

4. House bill No. 255 (file No. 375), entitled

A bill to extend and regulate the liability of employers to make compensation for personal injuries suffered by workmen or employes in their service,

5. House bill No. 397 (file No. 353), entitled

A bill to provide for an independent forestry commission of the State of Michigan and to define its duties and powers, and to provide for the expense thereof,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The fourth named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The fifth named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on State officers.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Mayo moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 446 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the current expenses of the Michigan soldiers' home, and other expenses necessary to the maintenance and improvement thereof, for the years 1887 and 1888,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Stark,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Westgate,
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	Wisner,
Fox,			President,
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 25

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	1
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Wisner moved that a respectful message be sent to the House asking for the return of

1. House bill No. 58 (file No. 123), entitled

"A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road in Bay county, to be known as the Bay City and Au Sable State road extension,"

2. House bill No. 61 (file No. 64), entitled

A bill to amend the title of act No. 379 of the local acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan for the year 1885, and to amend section 2 of said act, being an act entitled "An act to authorize the county of Bay to buy and maintain or build a bridge across the Saginaw river."

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table the following preamble and resolution:

We, the undersigned Senators in the State Legislature make, upon information and belief, the following charges against the management of the State public school at Coldwater:

1st. That the management of said school have dismissed certain of the female employees of said school without just cause, thereby unfairly casting a stain upon the otherwise good name of said employees;

2d. That certain of the male employees of said school have taken indecent liberties with certain of the female employees of said school;

3d. That the management of said school made a pretended investigation with closed doors, and the evidence taken by them has never been made public;

4th. That by the dismissal of certain employes of said school without cause, the management have damaged the school and impaired its influence;

5th. That by such dismissal without cause, the management have improperly disgraced the persons so dismissed;

6th. That besides the above there are other rumors against the management of said school.

The undersigned Senators, therefore, demand an investigation.

J. W. BABCOCK, *16th District.*

CHAS. I. DEYO, *14th District.*

WHEREAS, certain charges are made against the State public school at Coldwater, Michigan, which charges are hereto attached;

AND WHEREAS, It is believed by many that an investigation should be ordered by the Legislature; therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), that a special joint committee consisting of two of the House and one of the Senate be appointed to investigate the charges and rumors against the management of the State public school and against the character of the superintendent and others in charge, with full authority in the premises to hold sessions, at the school or elsewhere, at such times as shall best suit their convenience, to enforce the attendance of witnesses, administer oaths, taking in full the testimony with clerk and stenographer, as to them may seem desirable, and to perform every act of examination by means of the books and records of the institution, or otherwise, as to them shall seem necessary to a full understanding of the facts in the case, and report their doings to the Legislature at their earliest convenience.

After some debate on the motion to take from the table,

The motion was withdrawn.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Edwards to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: House bill No. 259, entitled.

A bill to authorize the village of St. Johns to borrow money for the purpose of erection and maintenance of water-works,

House bill No. 70 (file No. 119), entitled

A bill authorizing the board of trustees of the Northern Michigan asylum for the insane to purchase certain lands for the use and benefit of said asylum, and making an appropriation for the payment thereof.

House bill No. 888 (file No. 271), entitled

A bill to change the termination of the fiscal year of the State from September 30th to June 30th.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 896 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to amend sections 6 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to restrict the powers of the commissioner of highways of the township of Republic, in the county of Marquette, and to authorize the township board of said township to provide for maintaining the streets, sidewalks, crosswalks and alleys now or hereafter built in the village of Republic, and to maintain a fire department, and to regulate and license auctioneers and peddlers in said village," approved April 29, 1885,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 132 (file No. 210), entitled

A bill to restrict the power of the common council and board of aldermen of cities, and the board of trustees of villages, to grant the use of public streets, public alleys or public grounds to steam, cable, electric or horse railroad companies,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to Senate, with the recommendation that it be laid on the table.

IV.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 114 (file No. 42) entitled

A bill to provide for the organization of township school districts and prescribing the powers and duties of the officers thereof.

Have made some progress therein, but not having gone through therewith, have directed their chairman to report that fact to the Senate and ask leave to sit again.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill, and the same was laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Westgate

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the fourth named bill, and the committee of the whole was granted leave to sit again for the further consideration of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and

House bill No. 70 (file No. 119), entitled

A bill authorizing the board of trustees of the Northern Michigan asylum for the insane to purchase certain lands for the use and benefit of said asylum, and making an appropriation for the payment thereof,

Was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer.	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Edwards,			<i>pro tem.</i> 25

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	1
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Monday, May 16.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate take a recess until 7:30 o'clock P. M.,

Pending which,

Mr. Edwards moved that the Senate adjourn,

On which,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Seymour,
Campbell,	Laing,	Potter,	Stark,
Edwards,	O'Reilly,	Rairden,	Westgate,
Fox,	Palmer,	Roof,	Wisner,
Giddings,			

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W. L.,	Deyo,	Mayo,	Willits,
Barringer,	Howell,		

And the Senate adjourned.

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Lansing, May 11, 1887.

The Senate met. and was called to order by the President *pro tem.*
at 2 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Roberts.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Harshaw.

Mr. Mayo asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Harshaw for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 710. By Mr. Atwood: Petition of Alex. McPherson and 80 other tax payers of the village of Howell, also a resolution of the common council of the village of Howell, asking for the passage of the bill to authorize the village of Howell to borrow money for public improvements and to issue bonds therefor not to exceed \$25,000.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The resolution was ordered spread at length on the journal.

The following is the resolution:

Resolved, By the common council of the village of Howell, that we ask, and do hereby ask the Honorable the Legislature of the State of Michigan, to pass the act now before the Legislature, entitled "An act to authorize the village of Howell, in the county of Livingston, to raise money to make public improvements in said village."

Dated Howell, May 9, 1887.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original resolution as adopted by the common council of the said village of Howell, on Monday evening, May 9, 1887.

WILLIAM M. FORCE,
Recorder of said Village.

Referred to the committee on cities and villages.

No. 711. By Mr. Westgate: Petition of S. B. Laird and other teachers of Iosco county, asking for the repeal of the act authorizing an institute fee.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate:

The committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the following account:

State of Michigan, Dr.,

To Mrs. Salpaugh. washing 48 towels @ 5c..... \$2 40

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending the allowance of the same, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The report was adopted.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred

House bill No. 482 (file No. 311), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 317 of session laws of 1883, being an act entitled "An act to organize a public library in West Bay City," by adding a new section thereto numbered section nine, for the purpose of providing a fund for the enlargement and improvement of said public library,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 379, entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of chapter 8 of act No. 164, session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all acts contravening the provisions of this act," as amended by act No. 93 of the public acts of 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of act No. 53 of the public acts of 1877, entitled "An act to provide for the better support of teachers' institutes, and to repeal sections 3789, 3790, and 3791 of the compiled laws of 1871," approved April 5, 1877, as amended by act No. 112 of the public acts of 1883,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools and judiciary:

The committee on education and public schools and judiciary to whom was jointly referred

Senate bill No. 408, entitled

A bill to repeal act 376 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to define and constitute school districts Nos. 1 and 4, in the township of Rich, Lapeer county,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE,

Chairman on Education and Public Schools.

JAY A. HUBBELL,

Chairman of Judiciary Committee.

Report accepted and committees discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 364 (file No. 246) entitled

A bill to amend act No. 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, by adding four new sections thereto to stand as secs. 42, 43, 44 and 45,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 628 (file No. 350), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 22 and 23 of act No. 321 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to authorize a board of public works in and for the city of Grand Rapids," approved March 22, 1873, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to add to said act a new section to be known and numbered as section 24 of said act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Stark,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Mr. Post,	Westgate
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	President
			<i>pro tem</i> 28

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 489, entitled

A bill to authorize the townships of Wisner and Gilford in the county of Tuscola to borrow money for the construction of a drain in said townships, and to issue bonds therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 469 (file No. 293) entitled

A bill to amend sections 9 and 10 of chapter 170, of the compiled laws of Michigan of 1871, being compiler's sections 6231 and 6232 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to divorce and to add three new sections to said chapter, to stand as sections 44, 45 and 46,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered reprinted, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State reform school.

The committee on State reform school, to whom was referred

House bills No. 528 and 529 (file No. 374), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the current expenses and for building, etc., for the reform school for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the committee on appropriations and finance, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

House bill No. 692 (file No. 347), entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of art. 4 of act No. 198, session laws of 1873, entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof," being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act 234 public acts of 1885, approved June, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, be re-printed, and that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered re-printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 344 (file No. 203), entitled

A bill to prevent taking, catching, or killing any fish in Kavanaugh Lake in the township of Sylvan, in the county of Washtenaw, with spear or by shooting them with fire arms, or by the use of dynamite explosion.

FLOYD L. POST, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 283 (file No. 89), entitled

A bill to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, relative to the running of passenger trains,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended be re-printed, and that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill then was ordered re-printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, May 11, 1887. }

To the Senate :

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

[Senate bill No. 344, file No. 203, being

An act to prevent taxing, catching, or killing any fish in Kavanaugh lake in the township of Sylvan, in the county of Washtenaw, with spear or by shooting them with fire-arms, or by the use of dynamite.

O. G. LUCE,
Governor.

The message was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 10, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 212 (file No. 142), entitled

A bill to authorize suits to be brought at law or in equity against navigation companies organized under the laws of this State for the purpose of engaging in the business of maritime commerce or navigation within this State, or upon the frontier lakes or other navigable waters, natural or artificial, connected therewith, in the courts of any county in this State in which the plaintiff resides or the boats of such company call and do business,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same so as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That suits may be commenced at law or in equity, tried and disposed of against navigation companies organized under the laws of this State for the purpose of engaging in

the business of maritime commerce or navigation within this State, or upon the frontier lakes or navigable waters, natural or artificial, connected therewith, by any person, in the courts of any county in this State in which the boats of such company call and do business, in the same manner, and with the like effect as if such suits were brought in the county within which the articles of association of such company are filed.

SEC. 2. Process in any such case may be served upon the captain or clerk of any boat of such company or any officer or agent of such company found within the county when such suit is brought.

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to authorize suits to be brought at law or in equity against navigation companies organized under the laws of this State for the purpose of engaging in the business of maritime commerce or navigation within this State, or upon the frontier lakes or other navigable waters, natural or artificial connected therewith, in the courts of any county in this State in which the boats of such company call and do business,

In the passage of which as thus amended and with the title so amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on the judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, May 10, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 146 (file No. 92), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of hospitals and asylums in cases where valuable grants or emoluments have been made to trustees for such purposes," approved March 20, 1863, by adding thereto a new section authorizing amendments of articles of incorporation of corporations organized under said act,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended section 1 of the bill so as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The people of the State of Michigan enact,* That act No 242 of the session laws of 1863, entitled "An act for the incorporation of hospitals and asylums in cases where valuable grants or emoluments have been made to trustees for such purposes," approved March 20, 1863, as amended by act No. 10 of the public acts of 1875, approved Feb. 18, 1875, the same being chapter 166 of Howell's annotated statutes, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section, to stand as section 9 of said act, to read as follows:

And further to inform the Senate that the house has amended the title of the bill so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend act No. 242 session laws of 1863, being an act entitled "An act

for the incorporation of hospitals and asylums in cases where valuable grants or emoluments have been made to trustees for such purposes," approved March 20, 1863, as amended by act No. 10 public acts of 1875, the same being chapter 166, of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding thereto a new section to stand as section 9 of said act authorizing amendments of articles of incorporation of corporations organized under said act.

In the passage of which as thus amended and with the title so amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made to the bill, by the House,

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,			<i>pro tem.</i> , 25

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On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the title.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 11 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to inform the Senate relative to Senate bill No. 55 (file No. 48) entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the asylum for insane criminals, concerning which there exists a disagreement between the two houses, upon which disagreement the Senate asked a committee of conference. Now to inform the Senate that the House grants such committee, and that Messrs. Ramsey, Chapman and Herrington have been appointed as such committee on the part of the House, and that the bill is in their hands.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The message was laid on the table.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 11, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
 House bill No. 79, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State Agricultural College, for the erection and repair of buildings and other improvements at said college for the years 1887 and 1888,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on agricultural college.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 342 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to provide for revising the general statutes of obsolete acts,
 Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on the judiciary.

Mr. W. I. Babcock moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 470, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Niles,
 Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee on cities and villages.

Mr. Post moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 112 (file No. 146), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 228 of the public acts of 1885, being an act to authorize the board of control of swamp lands to cause the removal of jams or rafts of flood-wood, and to clean out and deepen, where necessary, the channel of Swan Creek, in the county of Midland, and appropriate two sections of land therefor,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W. Mr. Giddings,
 Babcock, W. I., Laing,
 Campbell, Moon,
 Edwards, Palmer,
 Fox, Post,

Mr. Potter,
 Seymour,
 Sharp,
 Westgate,

Mr. Willits,
 Wisner,
 President
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Mr. Crosby,
 Gorman,

Mr. Holbrook,
 Howell,

Mr. Hubbell,
 O'Reilly,

Mr. Rairden,
 Roof,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Post,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Senate Journal of May 10th, inst., be corrected so that the endorsement on petition No. 702 shall read, "Post Tax Bill," instead of "Crosby Tax Bill."

Which was adopted.

Mr. Howell offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the daily sessions of the Senate hereafter shall commence at 10 o'clock A. M., until otherwise ordered by the Senate.

Pending the adoption of which,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the resolution be laid upon the table,

On which

Mr. Willits demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay upon the table then prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Edwards,				17

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Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,	Mr. Willits,	
Howell,	Potter,			6

Mr. Atwood moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 432, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Howell, in the county of Livingston, to raise money to make public improvements in said village,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The bill was then referred to the committee on cities and villages.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order.

Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Edwards to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 792 (file No. 196), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 7 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, as amended by act No. 56 of the session laws of 1883, being an act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State,

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 196), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 172 of the compiled laws of 1871 as amended by act No. 7 of the session laws of 1877 and act No. 4 of the public acts of 1883, relative to testamentary guardians,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 114 (file No. 42), entitled

A bill to provide for the organization of township school districts and prescribing the powers and duties of the officers thereof.

But not having completed their consideration of the bill have no recommendation to make as to its passage but ask that the bill be continued on the general order for further consideration.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 364 (file No. 246), entitled

A bill to amend act number 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, by adding four new sections thereto, to stand as sections 42, 43, 44, and 45,

Senate bill No. 345 (file No. 194), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the township of Onota, in the county of Alger,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

IV.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate joint resolution No. 3 (file No. 4), entitled

Joint resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to use their influence and vote for such legislation as will give to the State of Michigan in trust for the University of Michigan, the government lands within the State, together with such other lands as revert to the general government by the forfeiture of land grants.

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause thereof and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the second named bill and the same was continued on the general order.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the third named bills and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Edward,

The Senate concurred in the action of the committee of the whole in striking out all after the enacting clause of the fourth named joint resolution.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The title and enacting clause of the fourth named joint resolution were laid on the table.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Northern asylum for the insane:

The committee on Northern asylum for the insane herewith transmit to the Senate statement of the medical superintendent of that institution in relation to the necessity of appropriations asked for in Senate bill No. 228 (file No. 136), now before the committee of the whole of the Senate, and ask that the said statement be spread at length on the Journal.

W. J. WILLITS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The statement was ordered spread at length on the Journal.

The following is the statement:

NORTHERN MICHIGAN ASYLUM,
TRAVERSE CITY, MICHIGAN, *March 7, 1887.* }

Hon. W. J. Willits:

DEAR SIR—In compliance with your request of the 1st inst., the following estimates of the cost for a cottage for fifty male patients are presented for the consideration of your committee:

I.

Excavating and grading.....	\$40 00
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II.

MATERIAL, ETC.

34 cords of stone, laid in wall, at \$18 per C.....	\$702 00
190 M brick, laid in wall, at \$28 per M.....	2,470 00
Window and door sills.....	260 00
82,000 feet lumber at \$10 per M.....	820 00
12,000 feet flooring, at \$28 per M.....	864 00
15,000 feet finishing lumber, at \$25 per M.....	375 00
15,000 feet dressed lumber, at \$12 per M.....	180 00
4,000 feet wainscoting, at \$30 per M.....	120 00
1,900 feet base, at 10 cts. per ft.....	190 00
5,000 feet shingles, at \$2.50 per M.....	125 00
3,000 yards plastering, at 25 cents per yard.....	750 00
1,420 yards painting, at 25 cents per yard.....	355 00
1.125 yards floor finish.....	45 00
50 windows, at \$9 per window.....	450 00
50 doors, complete, at \$12.00 per door.....	600 00
Two stairways, complete, at \$75 each.....	150 00

Cornice.....	\$100 00
Two mantels and grates, at \$60 each.....	120 00
Hardware, nails, tin and galvanized iron-work	800 00
Carpenter work	1,800 00
Total for material, etc.....	<u>\$9,888 50</u>

III.

Furniture and furnishing for fifty patients, including range and kitchen equipment complete.....	\$2,500 00
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IV.

Heating, plumbing, electric lighting and sewerage.....	2,611 50
Total cost of cottage completely furnished.....	<u><u>\$15,000 00</u></u>

The proposed cottage will consist of a basement, two stories and an attic. The outline of the building will be nearly square. Its length will be 80 feet and width 52 feet, which will give a floor surface to each story of 4,160 square feet. The basement will be ten feet and the first and second stories eleven feet in height. The basement walls will be of stone, fourteen inches in thickness, and the superstructure will be of brick, outside walls twelve inches in thickness, and interior walls from eight to twelve inches in thickness, as may be necessary for strength and the introduction of heating and ventilating flues.

The basement story will be finished into a—

Kitchen,
Dining-room,
Boot and coat room,
Lavatory,
Store-room,
Boiler and coal room,
Hall-way, and
Two stairways.

The first story will contain—

Attendant's room and clothes press,
Clothes-room for patients,
Sitting-room,
Two Dormitories,
Water closet,
Lavatory,
Bath-room,
Hall-way, and
Two stairways.

The second story will contain—

Attendant's room,
Three Dormitories,
One single room,
Lavatory and water-closet,
Hall-way, and
Stairs to attic.

The sitting-room on the first floor and the dormitory immediately above it will be

furnished with fire-places. The attic can be used for a store-room, and will contain the trunk flues for ventilation.

The proposed cottage will be plain and substantial, and will fully meet the needs of a quiet class of patients. The basement and first story will each have three places of ingress and egress, and the second story will have two, which will insure comparative safety to the occupants of the building in case of fire.

The site of the proposed cottage sufficiently slopes to the south and east for much of the basement to be on a level of the ground to the front and to the south of the building. This conformation of the site will make it possible to use the basement for a kitchen, etc., and will also render it practicable to erect a more compact and less expensive building than could otherwise be done.

The water supply of the proposed cottage can be inexpensively furnished by continuing a water main to it from the present asylum building.

The necessity for additional accommodations for the insane in this asylum district is urgent at the present time, and in spite of any crowding to which the asylum may be put without further provisions, many patients must suffer for want of care and treatment before another Legislature can meet. It should also be remembered that many of the counties of this asylum district have no county houses in which to afford even temporary care to insane persons. Therefore, if a case of dangerous insanity arises, and if the patient be excluded from the asylum from lack of room, he must either be placed in jail with criminals or remain at large a constant source of fear and distress to his friends, if not to the whole community in which he resides. There are several counties in Northern Michigan which have neither county houses nor jails, in fact no place other than the asylum in which to care for a dangerous insane person. If it is right for the State to foster these charities it is doubly right that she should provide necessary accommodations for the insane of our new and struggling communities.

During the past five months the net increase in the number of male patients has been about five per month. This is not far from what the average will be for the coming year. The male side of the asylum is now full, and unless the present Legislature affords additional room, at the above rate of increase there will be between one and two hundred male patients in the district who cannot be cared for before we can get legislative aid, and erect the necessary buildings for their accommodation. There are under treatment 249 male patients and six more beds can be put in. Five male patients are promised for this week, so that out of a total of 255 beds on the male side there is but one vacancy left.

The male department is now crowded to such an extent that it is difficult to provide for the proper care of those acutely ill from any cause. There is in an institution of this kind always a certain number of patients suffering from chronic diseases; notably, consumption of the lungs, who require and should have a certain amount of isolation, not only for their own welfare but to protect others from infection. We think enough has been said to demonstrate that it will be impossible for this asylum to care for all the insane citizens of this district without further accommodations being provided by the State. Further, in connection with this question, the importance of early treatment should not be lost sight of, and we believe that the mental life of the recent insane should not be endangered from lack of asylum room for their prompt and early care.

The proposed cottage can be built and equipped for \$300 per capita, which on the score of economy will not fail to favorably commend itself to all.

We still have on the female side, including cottage, thirty-six vacancies. At the

same rate of admission for females as for males the asylum can receive all the female insane of this district for about six months to come.

Yours very respectfully,

THOMAS T. BATES,
President Board of Trustees.
JAMES S. MUNSON,
Medical Superintendent,

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 149 (file No. 252), entitled

A bill to authorize the county of Presque Isle to issue bonds and to create a sinking fund for the payment thereof and of bonds heretofore issued,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in and that the bill be printed for the use of the committee.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered re-printed for the use of the committee.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

The committee of conference of the Senate and House of Representatives to whom was referred the difference between the two houses relative to Senate bill No. 55 (file No. 48), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the asylum for insane criminals,

Which the House amended as shown by message of May 6, as follows:

1. By striking out of line 4, section 1, the words "three hundred and twenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred and fifty,"

2. By striking out of line 5, section 1, the word "hair,"

3. By striking out of line 6, section 1, the words "three hundred" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred,"

4. By striking out of line 9, section 1, the word "skilled,"

5. By striking out of section 1 and commencing in line 17, the following: "And that the further sum of one hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the general fund for pillows and bedding for 25 beds,"

6. By striking out, commencing in line 18, section 1, the following: "And that the further sum of \$100 be and is hereby appropriated out of the general fund for pictures for wards,"

7. By striking out of line 2 section 2; the words "four hundred and ten dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "and thirty-five dollars."

In which 4th named amendment the Senate concurred, but in which several other amendments the Senate non-concurred,

Respectfully report that that they have had the bill and amendments under consideration, and have directed us to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation.

First, That the first named amendment be amended so as to make the amount to be inserted, "three hundred dollars;"

Second, That in the second named amendment the Senate concur;

Third, That from the third named amendment the House recede ;

Fourth, That from the fifth named amendment the House recede ;

Fifth. That the sixth named amendment be so amended as to strike out the words "one hundred dollars," and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five dollars ;"

Sixth, That the seventh named amendment be so amended as to strike out the words "and thirty-five dollars" and to insert in lieu thereof the words "three hundred and ten dollars."

All of which is respectfully submitted, and your committee of conference ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the bill.

L. G. PALMER,

C. I. DEYO,

Members of committee on part of Senate.

M. E. RUMSEY,

A. R. CHAPMAN,

C. E. HERRINGTON,

Members of committee on part of House.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

By the conference committee:

The conference committee, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 177 (file No. 85) entitled

A bill to provide for the better protection of lives of passengers and employees on railroad trains,

Which the House amended as follows:

1st. By inserting at the end of line 2, section 2, the words "not securely fastened."

2d. By adding at the end of section 2 the following: "*Provided further, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to Caboose cars run on any freight train,*"

And in which amendments the Senate non-concurred,

Respectfully report that they have had the bill and amendments under consideration, and have directed us to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation

1. That the House do recede from its said amendments; and

2. That the following substitute be adopted for section 2 of the bill:

SECTION 2. No stove or heater shall be used in any car in which passengers are carried, or in any car which forms a part of a passenger train, unless the same shall be enclosed in a room or closet as provided in section 1 of this act; and the door or other opening of such room or closet, and of such stove or heater shall at all times be kept securely closed: *Provided*, That no heater, method or device shall be adopted or used until approved by the commissioner of railroads. *And provided further*, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to cabooses cars run on any freight train.

And ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR,

W. A. ATWOOD,

GEO. P. STARK.

Members on the part of the Senate.

HENRY H. HOLT,

JOHN KILLEAN,

E. N. PERKINS,

Members on the part of the House.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on the adoption of the report,

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate adopted the report, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Babcock, W. L.	Gorman,	Post,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Deyo,	Moon,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Edwards,			

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By unanimous consent,
The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, May 11, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 55 (file No. 48), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the asylum for insane criminals,

Concerning which there was a disagreement between the two houses and on which a committee of conference was asked and granted, which committee reported as follows:

The committee of conference of the Senate and House of Representatives to whom was referred the differences between the two houses relative to Senate bill No. 55 (file No. 48) entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the asylum for insane criminals,

Which the House amended as shown by message of May 6, as follows :

1. By striking out of line 4, section 1, the words "three hundred and twenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred and fifty;"
2. By striking out of line 5, section 1, the word "hair;"
3. By striking out of line 6, section 1, the words "three hundred and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred;"
4. By striking out of line 9, section 1, the word "skilled;"
5. By striking out of section 1, and commencing in line 17, the following: "And that the further sum of one hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the general fund for pillows and bedding for twenty-five beds;"
6. By striking out, commencing in line 18, section 1, the following: "And that the further sum of one hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the general fund for pictures for wards;"

Seventh, By striking out of line 2, section 2, the words, "four hundred and ten dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "and thirty-five dollars;"

In which fourth named amendment the Senate concurred, but in which several other amendments the Senate non-concurred.

Respectfully report that they have had the bill and amendments under con-

sideration and have directed us to report the same back to the House with the recommendation:

First, That the first named amendment be so amended as to make the amount to be inserted "three hundred dollars,"

Second, That in the second named amendment the Senate concur,

Third, That from the third named amendment the House recede,

Fourth, That from the fifth named amendment the House recede,

Fifth, That the sixth named amendment be so amended as to strike out the words, "one hundred dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words, "twenty-five dollars,"

Sixth, That the seventh named amendment be so amended as to strike out the words, "And thirty-five dollars," and insert in lieu thereof the words "Three hundred and ten dollars."

All of which is respectfully submitted, and your committee of conference ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the bill.

L. G. PALMER,

C. I. DEYO,

On the part of the Senate.

M. E. RUMSEY,

A. R. CHAPMAN,

C. E. HERRINGTON,

On the part of the House.

Now to inform the Senate that in the report of said committee the House concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the report,

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	President
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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

The time being 6 o'clock P. M.

The executive session closed,

The time being 6:05 o'clock P. M.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Seymour offered the following table, which was ordered spread at length on the journal.

25	Kalamazoo & White Pigeon.....	1,305 11	44,071 06	68,074 18	96,145 19	61,306 19	2,689 07	1,761 86
26	Northern Central Michigan.....	755 04	44,380 69	64,047 08	108,407 61	64,780 36	1,773 10	1,069 84
27	Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagon.....							
28	Marquette & Western.....							
29	Michigan Air Line Railway.....	375 61	1,672,767 11	2,468,198 30	4,084,879 41	2,889,625 73	18,267 87	18,075 38
30	Michigan Central.....		7,116 55					
31	Canada Southern Bridge.....							
32	Detroit & Bay City.....	153 31	560 76	115,531 88	155,198 50	115,510 48	1,469 76	1,008 96
33	Grand River Valley.....	1,400 07		421,261 50				
34	Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw.....	1,898 74		171,181 28	338,068 11	232,475 74	2,679 78	2,774 50
35	Kalamazoo & South Haven.....	1,581 68		778,645 24	1,287,646 49	821,671 69	4,160 10	2,784 38
36	Michigan Air Line R. R.....	716 28		28,946 68	57,287 88	62,178 36	1,449 08	1,578 68
37	Michigan, Midland & Canada.....	908 84		76,313 64	141,545 75	165,868 62	1,397 50	1,445 19
38	Saginaw Bay & Northwestern.....	287 21		1,344 27	6,047 80	11,178 15	411 97	760 77
39	Toledo, Canada Southern & Detroit.....	28 88		57,380 49	59,081 34	70,982 88	915 67	1,099 11
40	Michigan & Ohio.....		2,560 78	263,419 31	375,969 52	303,918 08	7,717 61	6,439 40
41	Milwaukee, Lake Shore & Western.....	375 09		108,576 91	222,391 24	168,973 48	1,435 56	1,038 15
42	Mineral Range.....	997 79		58,514 53	2,517,508 08	1,382,601 98	4,136 53	2,364 75
43	Ontonagon & Brule River.....	1,699 24		587,968 64	75,960 53	40,722 68	4,644 78	2,385 48
44	Paw Paw.....							
45	Pontiac, Oxford & Port Austin.....							
46	Port Huron & Northwestern.....	417 04		59,143 68	100,546 71	84,453 16	1,008 47	844 53
47	Saginaw, Tuscola and Huron.....	887 88		127,368 81	310,080 36	214,323 91	1,433 20	968 13
48	Saginaw Valley & St. Louis.....	417 15		38,068 61	59,856 13	46,080 17	899 15	705 26
49	Saginaw & Grand Rapids.....	1,008 58		44,121 08	89,368 51	53,263 81	1,938 09	1,384 45
50	St. Joseph Valley.....							
51	Toledo, Ann Arbor & North Michigan.....							
52	Toledo & South Haven.....							

STATEMENT.—Continued.

RAILROADS.	Earnings per mile.—Passenger.			Total Passenger Earnings.	Total Freight Earnings.	Total Earnings.	Total Expenses.	Total Earnings Per Mile.	Total Expenses Per Mile.
	\$2,000 and Under.	\$2,000 to \$3,000.	\$3,000 and Over.						
51 Traverse City.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
52 Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific.....	1,388 68	.....	.....	110,268 56	371,388 98	481,656 48	371,384 55	6,088 81	4,486 55
53 Wisconsin & Michigan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
54 Detroit Union Railroad Depot & Station Co.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
55 Hancock & Calumet.....	728 23	.....	.....	12,127 96	69,000 06	81,128 01	61,988 54	4,868 00	3,118 08

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the wardens of the State prison and of the house of correction and reformatory at Ionia be requested to furnish, for the use of the Senate, a statement showing the number of convicts respectively in each of said institutions from each of the counties of the Upper Peninsula, and from the counties of Alpena, Antrim, Alcona, Benzie, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Crawford, Emmet, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska, Leelenaw, Montmorency, Oscoda, Otsego and Presque Isle, together with the number received in each of said institutions from said counties, for each of the years 1885 and 1886.

Pending the adoption of which,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend by making the resolution cover all the counties of the State,

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, May 12, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.* at 2 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Beale.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. J. W. Babcock.

Mr. Howell asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. J. W. Babcock the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 712. By Mr. Stark: Petition of six business men of Ada, asking for the passage of House bill No. 909 providing for exception allowed married men in garnishee cases.

On motion of Mr. Stark

The petition was ordered spread at length on the Journal.

The following is the petition:

Hon. Geo. P. Stark:

We, the undersigned, business men of Ada and vicinity, respectfully request you to work and vote for House bill No. 909, providing for the reduction of the exemption allowed married men in garnishee cases, and your petitioners will ever pray.

D. F. Watson, *Miller*,
Cole & Chapel, *Merchants*,
L. B. Chapel, *Merchant*,
Duff & McMurray, *Dealers in Agricultural implements*,
Lawrence Burns, *General Store*,
J. R. Bradfield, *Merchant Miller*,

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

No. 713. By Mr. Stark : Petition of Geo. Brandt & Co., asking for the protection of home manufacturers of lager beer in this state.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 714. By Mr. Stark : Petition of the Kusterer Brewing Co. on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 715. By Mr. Giddings : Remonstrance of E. L. Sprague and 155 other citizens of Traverse City against the passage of the bill to abolish the State Board of Corrections and Charities.

Referred to the committee on state affairs.

No. 716. By Mr. Harshaw : Memorial of John Beak and Monroe Klock, of Alpena, Mich., asking for the protection of home manufacturers of beer in this State.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw

The memorial was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the memorial :

To the Honorable, the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Michigan :

The manufacturers of lager beer in this State would respectfully show :

First, That there are no distilleries in the State of Michigan for the manufacture of spirituous liquors. That there are small quantities of wine and large quantities of lager beer manufactured in this State, and we believe there are not any other kinds of malt, brewed or fermented liquors manufactured in this State ;

Second, That a tax, therefore, upon the manufacture of spirituous and intoxicating, malt, brewed, fermented or vinous liquors, can only reach and be exacted from the manufacturers of lager beer and wines ;

Third, That such manufacturers are assessed under the general laws of this State upon all their real and personal property, and pay taxes thereon, in the same manner as owners of all property therein not subject to the payment of a specific tax ;

Fourth, That at the time the payment of such tax was imposed there was also imposed upon non-residents of this State who sold herein, a like tax. That while such provision was declared valid by the supreme court of this State, the supreme court of the United States has recently decided and held the same unconstitutional and void, so that such non-residents are not and cannot be taxed, nor can the Legislature of this State subject such non-resident manufacturers or dealers to the payment of any tax whatever ;

Fifth, The result therefore is that the resident manufacturer has to pay a double tax, first upon his property according to the cash value thereof, and secondly, a specific tax as a manufacturer, and compete with a non-resident who does not pay any tax whatever in this State. This we respectfully submit is an unjust discrimination against the resident and in favor of the non-resident, should it be permitted longer to remain in force. Until the decision referred to in the Supreme court of the United States, we could not and did not complain ;

Sixth, There is but one argument we can conceive of in favor of permitting this unjust discrimination to remain, viz: That the sale and consumption of such liquors may thereby be diminished in this State. We respectfully submit, however, that such discrimination has no such tendency. So long as there is a public demand for beer and wines, and especially so

long as the sale thereof is legal, the taxation of any or all the breweries in this State out of existence, would not affect the question. The brewers and dealers in other States would supply the demand, and would be only too happy to do so, and as they are not subject to the demands or regulations of this State, they should not be favored at our expense;

Seventh, The protection of home industries have been the principal plank in the platform of one of the great parties of the state and nation, while the other great party has been in favor of free trade. The law we complain of violates the principles of both parties, and proclaims taxation of home industries for the benefit of foreign manufacturers. We therefore respectfully ask that in view of the decision referred to we may hereafter be relieved of such an unjust discrimination; and your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

SIGNED,

JOHN BECK,
MONROE KLOCKER.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 17, (file 316), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 3, of chapter 41, of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's sec. 1594, of chapter 36, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, with reference to interest on money.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and they recommend that the title to said bill be amended so as to correspond with said proposed amended section 1, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 379, file No. 362, entitled

A bill to repeal act number 184 of the laws of 1859 as amended by act No. 73 of the laws of 1861, the same being compiler's section 9187 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the fraudulent removal or embezzlement of chattel mortgaged property,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 450 (file No. 226), entitled

A bill to legalize the proceedings had in laying out and completing a certain ditch or drain in the township of Leroy, in the county of Ingham, and to legalize the tax thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 204 (file No. 158), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto, being act No. 227 of the session laws of 1885, approved June 20, 1885, relative to the appointment of county drain commissioners in certain cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 108 (file No. 294) entitled

A bill to provide for the garnishment of executors and administrators,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 809 (file No. 331), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 16 of act No. 173 of the session laws of 1855, being sec. 6829 of Howell's annotated statutes, relating to justices' courts,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 644 (file No. 250), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 240 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9053 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to fees of officers and ministers of justice in criminal cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 528 and 529 (file No. 374), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the current expenses and for buildings, etc., for the reform school for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 131, entitled

A bill to repeal act 241 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 8, 1881,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriation and finance, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 409, entitled

A bill appropriating money for additional buildings, improvements, and general repairs for the State prison at Jackson,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred House bill No. 198 (file No. 332), entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the board of school inspectors of the township of Nottawa in the county of Isabella in establishing the boundaries of school district No. 2 in said township,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Post,

The rules were suspended, two thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W. L.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Howell,	Seymour,	President,
Edwards,	Laing,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

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Mr. Crosby, Mr. Gorman,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Post,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred
House bill No. 580 (file No. 349), entitled

A bill to amend section 23 of act No. 250 of the session laws of 1873, being an act to revise the charter of the city of Coldwater, as amended by act No. 358 of the local acts of the session laws of 1879, by adding a proviso for alternative sentences by justices of the peace,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages :

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 574, entitled

A bill to extend the corporate limits of the city of Bay City,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWD. E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on cities and villages :

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 337, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5 and 70 of act No. 346, session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 30, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDW'D E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment :

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 146 (file No. 92), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 242, session laws of 1863, being an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of hospitals and asylums in cases where valua-

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriation and finance, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 409, entitled

A bill appropriating money for additional buildings, improvements, and general repairs for the State prison at Jackson,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred House bill No. 198 (file No. 332), entitled

A bill to legalize the action of the board of school inspectors of the township of Nottawa in the county of Isabella in establishing the boundaries of school district No. 2 in said township,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Post,

The rules were suspended, two thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Howell,	Seymour,	President,
Edwards,	Laing,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

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Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Gorman,	2
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Post,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred
House bill No. 580 (file No. 349), entitled

A bill to amend section 23 of act No. 250 of the session laws of 1873, being an act to revise the charter of the city of Coldwater, as amended by act No. 358 of the local acts of the session laws of 1879, by adding a proviso for alternative sentences by justices of the peace,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages :

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 574, entitled

A bill to extend the corporate limits of the city of Bay City,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWD. E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 337, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5 and 70 of act No. 346, session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 30, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDW'D E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 146 (file No. 92), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 242, session laws of 1863, being an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of hospitals and asylums in cases where valua-

ble grants or emoluments have been made to trustees for such purposes," approved March 20, 1863, as amended by act No. 10 public act of 1875, the same being chapter 166 of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding thereto a new section to stand as section 9 of said act authorizing amendments of articles of incorporation of corporations organized under said act.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 55 (file No. 48), entitled

A bill making appropriation for the asylum for insane criminals.

FLOYD L. POST, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, May 11, 1887.

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 509 (file No. 357), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1344 and 1345 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the recording of town plats and the vacations of the same, as amended by act No. 108, session laws of 1873, approved April 17, 1873, being compiler's sections 1473 and 1474 of Howell's annotated statutes as amended by act No. 111 of the public acts of 1885, approved May 21st. 1885,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, May 11, 1887.

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill :
House bill No. 463 (file No. 336), entitled

A bill to amend sections Nos. 26, 31, and 41 of act No. 175 of the session laws of 1851 entitled "An act to provide for holding general and special elections, approved June 27, 1851" being compiler's sections Nos. 162, 167 and 177 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 11, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 394 (file No. 208), entitled

A bill to amend section 1235 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the payment of specific taxes to counties in the upper peninsula,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill by inserting in line one, section one, after the word "That" the following words: "Compiler's section 1175 of compiled laws of 1871, being."

Also to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title by inserting after the word "Amend" the words "Compiler's section 1175 of the compiled laws of 1871, being."

In the passage of which as thus amended and with the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W. L.	Fox,	Moon,	Stark,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Post,	Willits,
Crosby,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President,
			<i>pro tem., 24</i>

NAYS.

Mr. Hubbell, Mr. O'Reilly, 2

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made by the House to the title.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 12, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 195 (file No. 149), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the purchase of material for a school house, for the purchase of machinery and for improvements and repairs at the State house of correction and reformatory at Ionia,

In the passage of which, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 12, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following, entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 344 (file No. 186) entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Flushing, in Genesee county, Michigan, to borrow money to be used in public improvements in and for the benefit of said township, and to issue bonds therefor,

2. House bill No. 827, entitled

A bill to legalize certain drain taxes in the township of Ganges, county of Allegan, and to authorize the supervisor of said township to re-spread the same,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on counties and townships.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 11, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 393, (file No. 207) entitled

A bill to amend section 1226 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to taxes on mining and smelting companies,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended section 1 of the bill by inserting in line 1 after the word "that" the following words: "Section 1176 of the compiled laws of 1871 as amended by act No. 59 of the session laws of 1872, approved March 20, 1872, being,"

And further to inform the Senate that the House amended the title of the

bill by inserting after the word "amended" the following: "Section 1176 of the compiled laws of 1871 as amended by act No. 59 of the session laws of 1872, approved March 20, 1872, being,"

In the passage of which as thus amended and with the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL. L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W.I.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,
Deyo,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Moon,	Roof,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 24

NAYS.

Mr. Hubbell,

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On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made by the House to the title.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 11, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bills:

1. House bill No. 609 (file No. 354) entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for marking by monuments, the places where the 1st, 3d, 4th, 5th, 7th, 16th, and 24th Michigan Infantry, the 1st, 5th, 6th, and 7th Michigan Cavalry, the 9th Battery, "I" Michigan Artillery, and Companies "C," "I" and "K," of the 1st Regiment of U. S. S., and Company "B," 2d Regiment of U. S. S., known as Berdan's Michigan Sharpshooters, or any other command of Michigan volunteers who fought upon the battlefield of Gettysburg, and providing for the erection of the same,

2. House bill No. 346 (file No. 355), entitled

A bill to provide for the completion and furnishing of the State house of correction and branch of the State prison at Marquette, in the Upper Peninsula, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the mem-

bers elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on military affairs.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on house of correction and branch of State prison at Marquette.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Being the further consideration of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the wardens of the State prison and of the house of correction and reformatory at Ionia be requested to furnish, for the use of the Senate, a statement showing the number of convicts respectively in each of said institutions from each of the counties of the Upper Peninsula, and from the counties of Alpena, Antrim, Alcona, Benzie, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Crawford, Emmet, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska, Leelanaw, Montmorency, Oscoda, Otsego and Presque Isle, together with the number received in each of said institutions from said counties for each of the years 1885 and 1886.

The question being on the motion to amend by making the resolution cover all the counties of the State,

Mr. Hubbell withdrew the amendment.

Pending the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend by inserting after the word "Ionia" the words "and the superintendent of the House of Correction at Detroit,"

Which motion prevailed.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Holbrook to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 20 (file No. 2), entitled

A bill to amend section 20 of chapter 244 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 9094 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to offenses against the lives and persons of individuals.

House bill No. 216 (file No. 329), entitled

A bill to authorize the trustees, vestrymen, consistory, or other governing body of any religious society incorporated under the laws of this State, to receive money by gift or bequest when the same is to be invested and the income thereof applied in payment or part payment of the salary of their minister, priest, rector, parson or clergyman,

Senate file No. 223, being

Substitute for House bill No. 123 (file No. 107), entitled

A bill to compensate Alphonzo Button for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty as a member of the gun squad of the Ourtenius Guard (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company organized under the laws of the State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 3d day of July, 1858,

Senate bill No. 174, (file No. 220), entitled

A bill to take away from the Detroit and Saline Plank Road Company, a corporation incorporated under act No. 100 of the session laws of 1848, entitled "An act to incorporate the Detroit and Saline Plank Road Company," all that part of its present road lying west of a public highway crossing it at right angles at a point about seven miles east of the city of Ypsilanti, known as Sheldon's corners,

Senate bill No. 423, (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to amend section seven thousand four hundred and twenty-three (7,423), of chapter two hundred and thirty-eight (238), of the compiled laws of 1871, and being section nine thousand (9,000) of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to taxation of costs,

Senate bill No. 265, (file No. 71), entitled

A bill to provide for the confinement of persons who may be found guilty of the violation of a village ordinance or ordinances in incorporated villages in this State,

Senate bill No. 448, (file No. 218), entitled

A bill to amend section seven thousand four hundred and forty-nine of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act one hundred and thirty-five of the session laws of 1873, being section nine thousand and twenty-three of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the fees of appraisers, commissioners, and others,

House bill No. 251 (file No. 98), entitled

A bill to amend section 22 of chapter 7 of act No. 326, of the session laws of 1883, entitled, An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

JOHN HOLBROOK,

Chairman.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills. By unanimous consent,

The Senate returned to the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 345 (file No. 194), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the township of Onota in the county of Alger,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,
Campbell,

Mr. Holbrook,
Hubbell,

Mr. Post,
Potter,

Mr. Willits,
Wisner,

Mr. Fox,
Giddings,
Harshaw,

Mr. Laing,
Palmer,

Mr. Seymour,
Stark,

Mr. Westgate,
President
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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W. Mr. Crosby,
Barringer, Deyo,

Mr. Gorman,
O'Reilly,

Mr. Rairden,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Monday, May 16th.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Tuesday, May 17.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, May 13, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.* at 2 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by Senator Westgate.

Roll called: a quorum present.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 119 (file No. 164), entitled

A bill to provide for recording deeds and mortgages in separate books for separate assessing districts in counties, and to prescribe the duties of boards of supervisors, registers of deeds, assessing and other officers in relation thereto,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for recording mortgages in separate books for separate assessment districts in counties, and to prescribe the duties of boards of supervisors, registers of deeds, assessing and other officers in relation thereto,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 63, entitled

A bill relative to the concealment of evidence of the commission of crimes and misdemeanors, and falsely assuming to know of evidence in certain cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 343 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to provide for relieving the general statutes of obsolete acts,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

The amendment consists in erasing the following words occurring in line 2 of Sec. 4, viz: "not exceeding that paid to the members of the tax commission of 1881," and inserting in lieu thereof the words in red ink, viz: "of fifteen dollars."

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 190, entitled

A bill to amend sec. 4740, of the compiled laws of 1871, being sec. 6230 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to divorce,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 172, (file 225), entitled

A bill to amend secs. 3 and 15 of chapter 293 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, being secs. 8499 and 8511 of said statutes, relative to notice of foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement and the evidence thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment,

and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 705 (file No. 249), entitled

A bill to amend section 15, of chapter 179, of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to criminal proceedings before justices of the peace, as amended by act No. 169, of the session laws of 1877, being compiler's section 7106 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 704 (file No. 251), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act relative to the costs of proceedings in criminal cases," approved March 13, 1849, being section 7490 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 213, session laws of 1879, being compiler's section 9065, Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 118 (file 51), entitled

A bill to provide for the adoption and change of names of minors, and for making them heirs-at-law of the person or persons adopting them,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompan-

ing amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 128 (file 93), entitled

A bill to repeal sec 7 of act 259 of the session laws of 1881, being compiler's sec. 2276 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to punishment of drunk and intoxicated persons,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 120 (file 53), entitled

A bill to amend section 4366 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 5836 of Howell's statutes, relative to the residuary legatees bonds,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 323 (file 204), entitled

A bill to amend section 4818 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 6310 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the support of minors whose father is living,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 635, (file 207), entitled

A bill to prohibit appeals from orders of probate courts, removing executors, administrators, guardians and trustees in certain cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 322 (file 240), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 5219 of the compiled laws of 1871, being sec. 6782 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to appeals from orders of probate courts,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 324 (file 205), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 4443 of the compiled laws of 1871, being sec 5911 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to appeals from the decisions and report of commissioners on claims against deceased persons,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 119 (file 52), entitled

A bill to provide for the change of name of adults,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 117 (file 50), entitled

A bill to repeal secs. 4854, 4855 and 4856 of the compiled laws of 1871 as amended by act 188 of the laws of 1887 and act 57 of the laws of 1879, being chapter 242 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the adoption and change of name of minors and the change of name of adults,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on insurance:

The committee on insurance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 84 (file No. 166), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 237 of the laws of 1881, entitled, "An act to authorize and regulate within this State the business of plate glass, accident, live stock, steam boiler and fidelity insurance, and to repeal acts No. 42 and 72 of the session laws of 1877," approved June 3, 1881, being section 4325 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on insurance:

The committee on insurance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 216 (file No. 103), entitled

A bill to incorporate and govern mutual, fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on house of correction and branch of state prison at Marquette:

The committee on house of correction and branch of state prison at Marquette, to whom was referred

House bill No. 346 (file No. 355), entitled

A bill to provide for the completion and furnishing of the state house of correction and branch of the state prison at Marquette, in the upper peninsula, and making an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM S. LAING, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bills No. 212 and 308 (file 302), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of land and the erection of buildings for the use and benefit of the Michigan asylum for the insane at Kalamazoo, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the treasurer of said asylum,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The rules were suspended, two thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows: By inserting in line 3, sec. 1, after word "land" the words "known as the Hinds farm,"

Pending which,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on appropriations and finance,

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion to amend then prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J.W.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	President
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem,</i>
Fox,	Laing,	Roof,	26

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Moon,
By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on appropriations and finance,

The committee on appropriations and finance,

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the Michigan school for the blind for the years 1887, and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 10, file No. 35, entitled

A bill to revise an act to incorporate the city of Alpena, approved March 29, 1871, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 5, 9, 18, 19, 38, 43, and 57, of act No. 249 of the session laws of 1871, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Alpena," approved March 29, 1871, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 749 (file 304), entitled

A bill to authorize Edwin A. Bullard to build a dam across Cass river,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs to whom was referred,

House bill No. 685 (file No. 258), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 168, session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 of an act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders," approved April 29, 1873, as amended by an act to amend section 1 of said act, approved March 19, 1875, the same being sections 9894, 9895, 9896, 9897, 9898, and 9899 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 397 (file 353), entitled

A bill to provide for an independent forestry commission of the State of Michigan and to define its duties and powers, and to provide for the expense thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and with the further recommendation that the bill be referred to the committee on appropriations and finance, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 195 (file No. 149), entitled

A bill making appropriation for the purchase of material for a school house, for the purchase of machinery and for improvements and repairs at the State house of correction and reformatory at Ionia,

2. Senate bill No. 393 (file No. 207), entitled

A bill to amend section 1176 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 59 of the session laws of 1872, approved March 20, 1872, being section 1226 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to taxes on mining and smelting companies.

3. Senate bill No. 394 (file No. 208), entitled

A bill to amend compiler's section No. 1175, of the compiled laws of 1871, being section twelve hundred and twenty-five Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the payment of specific taxes to counties in the upper peninsula.

FLOYD L. POST, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The temporary President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, May 13, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 419 (file No. 188), being

An act to amend section 5 of act No. 182 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a live stock sanitary commission and a State veterinarian, and to prescribe their powers and duties, and to prevent and suppress contagious and infectious diseases among the live stock of the State," and to repeal section 6 of said act, and add another section thereto to stand as section 23;

Also,

Senate bill No. 146 (file No. 92), being

An act to amend act No. 242, session laws of 1863, being an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of hospitals and asylums in cases where valuable grants or emoluments have been made to trustees for such purposes," approved March 20, 1863, as amended by act No. 10, public acts of 1875, the same being chapter 166 of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding thereto a new section to stand as section 9 of said act, authorizing amendments of articles of incorporation of corporations organized under said act;

Also,

Senate bill No. 55 (file No. 48), being

An act making an appropriation for the asylum for insane criminals;

Also,

Senate bill No. 394 (file No. 208), being

An act to amend compiler's sec. No. 1175 of the compiled laws of 1871, being sec. 1225 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the payment of specific taxes to counties in the Upper Peninsula.

C. G. LUCE, Governor.

The message was laid on the table.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Seymour moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 526, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An to incorporate the city of Escanaba, in the county of Delta," being act No. 245 of the local acts, session of 1883, and to add ten new sections thereto to stand as sections No. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of chapter 43 of said act,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 24
Fox,			

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

Leave of absence was granted to himself (after to-day), until Monday, May 23.

Mr. Atwood moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 528 and 529 (file No. 374), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the current expenses and for buildings, etc., for the reform school for the years 1887 and 1888,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The President *pro tem.* called Senator Edwards to the chair.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Stark,
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Westgate
Fox,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Giddings,			

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Hubbell offered the following resolution:

Resolved That until otherwise ordered the daily sessions of the Senate shall commence at 10 o'clock a. m. and at 2 o'clock p. m.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Westgate moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 408 (file No. 255), entitled,

A bill to repeal act No. 376, entitled "An act to define and constitute school districts Nos. 1 and 4, in the township of Rich, Lapeer county,"

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The bill was referred to the committee on education and public schools and the judiciary jointly.

The temporary President announced that the hour of 3 o'clock had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being for the further consideration of

Senate file No. 252, being the proposed revision of the Senate rules.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order,

Whereupon the temporary President called Mr. Stark to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate file No. 252, being the proposed revision of the Senate rules,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their adoption.

GEORGE P. STARK, *Chairman*.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the proposed Senate rules.

The question being on the adoption of the rules,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The rules were then adopted, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,
Babcock, W. L.	Giddings,	Hubbell,	Rairden,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	President,
			<i>temporary.</i> 20

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Mr. Monroe moved that 500 copies of the rules be printed in pamphlet form for the use of the present and next succeeding Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 717. By Mr. Roof: Memorial of the section on the practice of medicine of the Michigan State medical society protesting against the passage of Senate bill No. 131.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

The memorial was spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the memorial:

WHEREAS, The Committee of the Senate of the State of Michigan have recommended that Senate bill No. 131 do pass without change;

WHEREAS, This bill is a bill to repeal Act No. 241 of the public acts of 1881, which act appropriates annually the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for the holding of sanitary conventions, publishing pamphlets on general health or sanitary subjects.

Resolved, That it is the opinion of the section on the practice of medicine of the Michigan State Medical Society that this action of the State Legislature would be most unfortunate and seriously detrimental to the public health of the State;

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Senate, and another to the House of Representatives, with the request that they be read before those bodies.

These resolutions were passed unanimously.

Lansing, May 13, 1887.

A. W. ALVORD, *Chairman*,
H. B. HEMENWAY, *Secretary*,
Section on Practice of Medicine.

Referred to the committee on public health.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Giddings moved that when the Senate adjourn to-day it adjourn to meet Monday, May 16, at 9:30 o'clock P. M.,

On which,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Fox,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	Westgate,	12

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Sharp,
Campbell,	Howell,	Mouroe,	President,
Crosby,	Hubbell,		<i>temporary.</i>

On motion of Mr. Roof,

The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

With open doors,

The time being 5:40 o'clock P. M.

The executive session closed,

The time being 5:50 o'clock P. M.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Monday, May 23.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Post and Deyo until Tuesday, May 17.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate adjourned.

The temporary president announced that the Senate would stand adjourned until Monday, May 16, at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

Lansing, May 16, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by temporary President Edwards at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Atwood, J. W. Babcock, W. I. Babcock, Barringer, Giddings, Gorman, Laing, Monroe, Roof and Sharp.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. Laing.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

Leave of absence was granted to all absentees for the session.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 718. Mr. Hubbell presented the following petition which was ordered spread at length on the Journal. -

The following is the petition:

To the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan:

We, the undersigned, business men and taxpayers of the unincorporated village of Ironwood, in the township of Ironwood, Gogebic county and State of Michigan, would respectfully petition you to pass the bill introduced into the Senate of the State of Michigan to incorporate our village.

We would respectfully represent to you that we are a thickly settled community of at least fifteen hundred inhabitants, and are very much in need of greater powers for local government than are granted to townships, and therefore your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

Dated at Ironwood, May 12, 1887.

M. Langillon & Co.,
H. W. Weeden & Co.,
O. E. Natshl,
Gogebic Meal & Prov. Co.,
Charles E. Nelson,
N. A. Brogstrom,
O. H. Carns,
E. A. Darrow,
P. Mullen,
C. J. Laughren,
W. Rothschild,
Val Blatz,
P. T. Baird,
A. B. Hangensen,
A. Lieberthal,
P. C. Miller,
W. L. Pierce,
Wm. Whitesides,
Irving A. Bassett,
O. H. Kirkwood,
Heyman & Aronson,
P. Hawkimore.

Will L. Winalow,
Baighany & Perrin,
S. Katz,

Andro W. Johnson,
J. A. Johnson,
F. H. Stewart,
Jas. Wilder,
Chas. Miller,
R. E. Mase,
Eugene Hammer, Ag't.
W. L. Albrecht,
H. D. Kennedy.
E. Hanson & Co.
Robt. McRae,
J. S. Monroe,
E. L. Bailey,
John J. Boyd,
Louis Getz,
F. D. Stevens,
C. P. Anderson,

Referred to the committee on cities and villages.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 288, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Ironwood, in the county of Gogebic and State of Michigan,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was referred to the committee on cities and villages.

Mr. Campbell moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

House bill No. 337 entitled,

A bill to amend sections 5 and 70 of act No. 346, session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 30, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Rairden,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Willits,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Post,	Wisner
Fox,	Mayo,	Potter,	Temp. Pres't.,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, May 17, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.* at 10 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Barringer, Giddings and Gorman.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

Leave of absence was granted to all absentees for the day.

By unanimous consent,

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the following named bill was ordered to take immediate effect:

House bill number 337, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5 and 70 of act No. 346, sessions laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 30, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on agricultural college:

The committee on agricultural college, to whom was referred

House bill No. 79 (file No. 393), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State agricultural college, for the erection and repair of buildings and other improvements at said college for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 288, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Ironwood, in the county of Gogebic,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS.

MICHIGAN STATE PRISON, }
Jackson, Mich., May 16th, 1887. }

Lewis M. Miller, Sec'y of the Senate,

DEAR SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of May 13th, transmitting Senate resolution of May 12th, relative to number of convicts now here from the Upper Peninsula and certain counties in the Lower Peninsula, also the number received from the same territory during the years 1885 and 1886.

In reply I have the honor to report the whole number now in this prison from the territory mentioned as sixty-six (66), made up as follows, from counties in the Upper Peninsula, 44:

Alpena	county	9
Antrim	"	2
Alcona	"	1
Benzie	"	1
Charlevoix	"	2
Cheboygan	"	1
Crawford	"	1
Emmet	"	0
Grand Traverse	"	0
Kalkaska	"	1
Leelanaw	"	0
Montmorency	"	0
Oscoda	"	0
Otsego	"	3
Presque Isle	"	1
Total		22
Add Upper Peninsula		44
		66

The number received from the lower peninsula counties for the years of 1885 and 1886 were as follows, also total received from upper peninsula for same time:

County.	Year 1885.	Year 1886.	
Alpena,	7	5	
Antrim,	0	1	
Alcona,	0	1	
Benzie,	2	0	
Charlevoix,	0	0	
Crawford,	0	0	
Emmet,	0	0	
Grand Traverse,	0	0	
Kalkaska,	1	0	
Leelenaw,	0	0	
Montmorency,	0	0	
Oscoda,	0	0	
Otsego,	0	1	
Presque Isle,	0	0	
Upper Peninsula,	16	10	
	26	18	Total..... 44

I am very respectfully your obedient servant,
H. F. HATCH, *Warden.*

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 11, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 504 (file No. 371), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor law of this State,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect,
and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

On motion of Mr. Sharp.

The bill was ordered printed and referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 288, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Ironwood, in the county of Gogebic,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barton,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,
Deyo,	Mayo,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,			<i>pro tem.</i> , 21

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 437, (file No. 189), entitled

A bill to amend sections 12, 16, 17 and 24 of chapter 163 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to sales of lands by executors and administrators,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was re-committed to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Fox moved that the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 409, (file No. 261), entitled

A bill appropriating money for additional buildings, improvements and general repairs for the state prison at Jackson,

Be made the special order for Thursday, May 19, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Edwards moved that the Senate rules as revised and adopted May 13, 1887, be printed in the journal,

Which motion prevailed.

The following are the rules:

PRESIDENT.

RULE 1. The president of the Senate having taken the chair and a quorum being present, the journal of the preceding day shall be corrected and approved.

RULE 2. The president, or in his absence the President *pro tempore*, shall have the right to name any member to perform the duties of the chair, who is hereby invested during the time specified with all the powers of the President.

RULE 3. The president shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal, which appeal shall be determined by a majority of the Senators present and voting.

RULE 4. The President, unless otherwise directed, shall appoint all committees.

SECRETARY.

RULE 5. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Senate to keep a correct journal of each day's proceedings, and to have the same printed and copies thereof placed upon the files of the President, Senators and reporters.

RULE 6. The assistant secretary and bill clerk shall perform such duties as may from time to time be required by the Secretary of the Senate.

RULE 7. The Secretary of the Senate shall make a list of all bills, resolutions, reports of committees and other proceedings of the Senate. Those referred to the Committee of the Whole and not made a special order shall constitute the general orders, and be considered in the order of their reference, unless the Senate or Committee of the Whole shall otherwise determine.

RULE 8. He shall each day make a file of all bills and joint resolutions ordered to a third reading, and they shall be placed on such file in the order in which they were so ordered.

RULE 9. He shall number every bill and joint resolution in the order of its introduction. The numbers so given shall be known as the Senate bill numbers. When bills or joint resolutions are ordered printed, he shall give to each another number, in the order in which printed. Such numbers shall be known as the file numbers. He shall also cause to be printed at the head of every bill or joint resolution ordered printed the number of the same, the file number, the name of the introducer, the date of introduction, the committee reporting, and the character of the report.

RULE 10. He shall keep a record of all Senate bills and joint resolutions, and of all House bills and joint resolutions transmitted to the Senate, in which record he shall enter the title, numbers and introducer of each such bill or resolution, and the committee to whom the same is referred. He shall also make an entry therein of every disposition made of each bill or joint resolution and the date thereof. He shall also make an index of all bills and joint resolutions introduced in the Senate, referring to the same by their numbers.

DUTIES OF MEMBERS.

RULE 11. No member shall absent himself from the Senate without leave first obtained.

RULE 12. No person shall speak to another, or otherwise interrupt the business of the Senate, or read any newspaper, while the journals or public

papers are being read; and when the President is putting a question, no Senator shall walk out of or across the chamber, nor when a Senator is speaking pass between him and the Chair.

RULE 13. Every member when he speaks shall address the Chair, standing in his place. No member shall speak more than twice in any one debate on the same day, without leave of the Senate, except chairmen of committees upon matters reported by them.

RULE 14. When two or more members rise at once, the President shall name the member who is first to speak.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

RULE 15. After the correction and approval of the journal, the order of business shall be as follows:

1. Presentation of Petitions.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reports of Select Committees.
4. Messages from the Governor.
5. Communications from State Officers.
6. Messages from the House.
7. Notices.
8. Motions and Resolutions.
9. Introduction of Bills.
10. Third Reading of Bills.
11. Unfinished Business.
12. Special Orders of the day.
13. General Orders.

COMMITTEES.

RULE 16. The following standing committees shall be appointed at the commencement of each regular session, the first named member to be the chairman:

Agricultural College.
Agricultural Interests.
Asylum for the Criminal Insane.
Asylums for the Insane.
Banks and Incorporations.
Cities and Villages.
Claims and Public Accounts.
Constitutional Amendments.
Counties and Townships.
Education and Public Schools.
Engrossment and Enrollment.
Executive Business.
Federal Relations.
Finance and Appropriations.
Fisheries.
Geological Survey.
Horticulture.
House of Correction at Marquette.
Immigration.
Industrial Home for Girls.
Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.

Insurance.
Judiciary.
Labor Interests.
Liquor Traffic.
Lumber Interests.
Mechanical Interests.
Military Affairs.
Mining School and Mining Interests
Normal School.
Printing.
Public Buildings.
Public Health.
Public Improvements.
Public Lands.
Railroads.
Reform School.
Reformatory at Ionia.
Religious and Benevolent Societies.
Roads and Bridges.
Rules and Joint Rules.
Saline Interests.
School for the Blind.
Soldiers' Home.
State Affairs.
State Library.
State Prison.
State Public Schools.
Supplies and Expenses.
University.

The following committees shall consist of five members, viz: Finance and Appropriations, Judiciary, Railroads, Cities and Villages, Labor Interests, Executive Business and Asylums for the Insane. All other committees shall consist of three members unless the Senate shall otherwise direct. No committee shall sit during the sessions of the Senate, unless with leave granted; nor employ clerks, nor incur any public expense, unless authorized by resolution of the Senate. The committees shall report upon all matters referred to them without unnecessary delay, and shall return all petitions and other papers referred to them to the Secretary of the Senate. All nominations to office submitted by the Governor, and all other executive business shall be referred to the committee on Executive Business, and shall be reported upon by such committee with all convenient speed. The committee on Engrossment and Enrollment of Bills shall examine all bills originating in the Senate, and which have passed both Houses, see that they are correctly enrolled, and signed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives, and presented to the Governor. The committee on Supplies and Expenses of the Senate shall examine and audit all bills for supplies and expense of members and committees for stationery, clerk hire, and other purposes not provided for by existing laws, and certify to the correctness of the same, and no such bill shall be audited or paid by any officer of the Senate, or by any board or officer of the State, unless so certified by the chairman or other member of the committee. They shall make such recom-

mendations and reports as they may from time to time deem necessary or the Senate may require. The committees on Finance and Appropriations, on Engrossment and Enrollment of Bills, and on Supplies and Expenses, shall have leave to report at any time during the sessions of the Senate.

RULE 17. All bills or resolutions appropriating money shall first be referred to the particular committee on the State institution or department; and, when reported back to the Senate, they shall then be referred to the committee on Finance and Appropriations. No member of said committees on State Institutions or Departments shall be a member of said committee on Finance and Appropriations.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

RULE 18. When the Senate shall have arrived at the "General Orders of the Day," it shall go into the Committee of the Whole upon such orders, or a particular order designated by the Senate, and no business shall be in order unless the whole are considered or passed, or the committee rise; and unless a particular bill is ordered up, the Committee of the Whole shall consider, act upon or pass the general orders, according to the order of their reference.

RULE 19. In forming a committee of the whole Senate, a Chairman, to be named by the President, unless otherwise ordered, shall preside.

RULE 20. The rules of the Senate shall be observed in Committee of the Whole, so far as they may be applicable, except limiting debate, ordering the previous question, and taking the yeas and nays. The motion to lay on the table shall only have the effect to recommend that action to the Senate. A motion that the committee rise shall always be in order and shall be decided without debate. Motions recommending action by the Senate shall take precedence in the same order as analogous motions in the Senate.

BILLS.

RULE 21. In all bills amending any part of the last compilation of the laws, the section or sections amended shall be referred to in the title of the bill, by the compiler's numbers, and the object of the bill shall be expressed in its title. The title of any bill amending any act, if not compiled, shall refer to the section or sections amended, state the number of the act, recite the title thereof, and specify the date of its approval. In addition to the above, if the law proposed to be amended is contained in Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, the same shall be referred to by the compiler's numbering of the sections thereof.

RULE 22. Every bill shall be introduced by motion for leave, or by a standing or select committee, and one day's notice, at least, shall be given of an intended motion for leave to bring in a bill; and this rule shall not be suspended in relation to bills amending acts of incorporation.

RULE 23. Every bill shall receive three readings previous to its being passed, and the President shall give notice of each, whether it be the first, second or third; and the second and third readings shall be on different days, unless two-thirds of the Senators present shall direct otherwise. No bill shall be amended or committed until it shall have been twice read; and all joint resolutions which direct the payment of money, or the incurring any expense, or which propose any amendment to the constitution, shall be treated as bills.

RULE 24. All bills shall be printed in the order in which they are reported from the committees unless otherwise ordered by the Senate.

RULE 25. The Committee of the Whole shall not be discharged from the further consideration of any bill referred thereto, except in the regular order of business.

RULE 26. All bills recommended for passage by the Committee of the Whole shall be considered as ordered to a third reading without further action; but no bill appropriating money out of the treasury shall be ordered to a third reading until it shall have been considered in Committee of the Whole and been recommended for passage, and it shall not be in order to entertain a motion to suspend the rules for that purpose.

RULE 27. All bills shall be put upon their final passage in the same order in which they were ordered to a third reading, unless the Senate shall otherwise direct.

RULE 28. The final vote on the passage of all bills shall be taken by yeas and nays and entered on the journal.

RULE 29. The question on the final passage of all bills and joint resolutions, which, by the constitution, require the assent of two-thirds of the Senators elect, shall be taken by yeas and nays, and entered on the journal, and unless two-thirds of all the Senators elect vote in the affirmative, the bill or joint resolution shall be declared lost. And whenever such bill or joint resolution shall receive such assent of two-thirds as aforesaid, the fact thereof shall be certified upon said bill or joint resolution. The president shall certify the passage of all bills and joint resolutions to the Governor.

RULE 30. No amendment shall be received for discussion at the third reading of any bill, resolution or proposed amendment of the constitution, recommended for passage by Committee of the Whole, unless seconded by a majority of the Senate; but it shall at all times be in order, before the final passage of the bill, resolution or proposed constitutional amendment, to move its commitment or recommitment.

RULE 31. When a proposed amendment to the constitution, or any bill requiring the concurrence of two-thirds of the Senators elect, is under consideration, the concurrence of such two-thirds shall not be requisite to decide any question for amendment, or relating to the merits, being short of the final question, except on amendments to bills that are returned from the House of Representatives to the Senate for final action.

RULE 32. When a bill or joint resolution originating in either House, shall have been lost in the Senate, neither the same nor any other bill or joint resolution on the same subject and containing similar provisions, shall be subsequently introduced into the Senate during the same session, unless by consent of two-thirds of the members elected to the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

RULE 33. No motion or resolution shall be debated until the same is stated by the Chair, and it shall be reduced to writing if required by the President or any member, and shall be delivered in at the table and read by the President or Secretary before the same shall be debated; but the same may be withdrawn at any time before decision or amendment.

RULE 34. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but

1. To adjourn;
2. To take a recess;
3. To lay on the table;

4. For the previous question ;
5. To postpone to a day certain ;
6. To commit ;
7. To amend ;
8. To postpone indefinitely ;

Which several motions shall take precedence in the order in which they stand arranged. When a recess is taken during the pendency of any question, the consideration of such question shall be resumed upon the re-assembling of the Senate, unless otherwise determined.

RULE 35. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order; that and the motion to lay on the table shall be decided without debate. A motion for recess, pending the consideration of other business, shall not be debatable.

RULE 36. If the question in debate contain several points, any member may have the same divided.

RULE 37. When the motion is made to amend by striking out and inserting other words, the same shall be deemed indivisible, but either the words proposed to be struck out, or to be inserted, may be amended before the question to strike out and insert is put.

RULE 38. When a blank is to be filled, and different sums or times shall be proposed, the question shall be first taken on the highest sum or the longest time.

RULE 39. A decision to lay upon the table shall carry with it all questions to which it is attached, except in the case of laying an appeal on the table.

RULE 40. When a question has been once put and decided, it shall be in order for any member to move the reconsideration thereof; but no motion for the reconsideration of any vote shall be in order unless the bill, resolution, message, report, amendment, or motion upon which the vote was taken shall be in the possession of the Senate; nor shall any motion for reconsideration be in order, unless made on the same day the vote was taken, or within the next two days of the actual session of the Senate thereafter, nor shall any question be reconsidered more than once.

YEAS AND NAYS.

RULE 41. Upon any question, the names of those who voted for or against the same shall be entered alphabetically on the journal, if one member require it, and each member called upon, unless for special reasons he be excused by the Senate before the roll call begins, shall declare openly and without debate his assent or dissent to the question.

RULE 42. After the yeas and nays are called upon any question, and after the question is stated from the Chair, and the Secretary directed to call the roll, and the first vote given, no member shall be entitled to speak on the question, nor shall any motion be in order until such roll call is finished and the result declared.

CALL OF THE SENATE.

RULE 43. A call of the Senate may be ordered by a majority of the members present, whether a quorum or not, and in pursuance thereof the Sergeant-at-arms or any other person or persons duly empowered by a majority of the members present and voting, may be dispatched for and arrest any or all members absent without leave, as said majority shall agree (at the expense of such absent members respectively, unless such excuse shall be made for non-

attendance as the Senate, when a quorum is convened, shall judge sufficient; in which case the same shall be paid as incidental expenses of the Senate). And any such member or members absent without sufficient excuse shall not be entitled to per diem allowance during the time of absence, in case the Senate shall so determine by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

PREVIOUS QUESTION.

RULE 44. The mode of ordering the previous question shall be as follows: Any member may move the previous question. This being seconded by at least one other member, the Chair shall submit the question in this form, "Shall the main question now be put?" This shall be ordered only by a majority of the members present and voting. The effect of ordering the previous question shall be to instantly close debate and bring the Senate to an immediate vote on the pending question or questions in their regular order. The motion for the previous question may be limited by the mover to one or more of the questions preceding the main question itself, in which case the form shall be, "Shall the question, as limited, be now put?" The yeas and nays may be demanded on any vote under this rule, and a motion for a call of the Senate shall be in order at any time prior to the ordering of the previous question. Any question of order, or appeal from the decision of the Chair pending the previous question, shall be decided without debate. When the question is on a motion to reconsider, under the operation of the previous question and is decided in the affirmative, the previous question shall have no operation upon the question to be reconsidered. If the Senate refuses to order the previous question, the consideration of the subject shall be resumed, as if no motion therefor had been made.

APPEALS.

RULE 45. Any member may appeal from any decision of the Chair. On all appeals the question shall be, "Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the Senate?" Appeals shall be debatable except when the Senate is under the operation of the previous question, or the decision appealed from relates to priority of business.

RULE 46. An appeal may be laid on the table, but shall not carry with it the subject matter before the Senate at the time such appeal is taken.

RULE 47. On a motion made and carried to shut the doors of the Senate on the discussion of any business which may, in the opinion of any member, require secrecy, or on motion made and carried, that the Senate go into executive session, the President shall direct all persons, excepting the members and the Secretaries and Sergeant-at-arms, to withdraw; and during the executive session and the discussion of said motion, the doors shall remain shut, and every member and officer shall keep secret all such matters, proceedings and things whereof the secrecy shall be enjoined by order of the Senate.

RULE 48. Whenever the Senate shall go into consideration of executive business, the proceedings of the Senate in such business shall be kept in a separate journal, which shall not be inspected by any others than members of the Senate unless otherwise ordered. Such journal shall be published after the close of the session, at the end of the regular journal of the proceedings of the Senate, unless otherwise ordered.

RULE 49. When nominations to office shall be made by the Governor, a

future day for taking them into consideration shall be assigned, unless the Senate direct otherwise.

CONTESTED ELECTIONS.

RULE 50. In cases of contested elections, notice setting forth the grounds of such contest shall be given by the contestant to the Senate within three days of actual session after the Senate first convenes; and in such case the contest shall be determined as speedily as reasonably possible and neither the contestee nor contestant shall have the right to draw any per diem, mileage, or other allowance until such contest shall be determined, and then only the person decided to be entitled to the seat shall be paid per diem, mileage or other allowance.

MISCELLANEOUS.

RULE 51. Before any petition or memorial, addressed to the Senate, shall be received or read, a brief statement of the contents thereof shall be endorsed on the same, with the name of the member introducing it.

RULE 52. All questions relating to the priority of business shall be decided without debate.

RULE 53. When a member shall be called to order he shall sit down until the President shall have determined whether he is in order or not; and every question of order shall be decided by the President, subject to an appeal to the Senate by any member; and if a member be called to order for words spoken, the exceptional words shall be immediately taken down in writing.

RULE 54. No person shall be admitted within the bar of the Senate, unless by invitation of the President, or some of the members—except the Governor, State officers, Senators and Representatives in Congress, members of the House, ex-Senators, or any former incumbents of said offices respectively.

RULE 55. No standing rule or order of the Senate shall be rescinded, changed or suspended without the consent of two-thirds of all the members present.

Mr. Hubbell offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That all appropriation bills whether now in the general order or hereafter to be reported, be placed at the head of the calendar on the general order,

Which was adopted, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 259, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of St. Johns to borrow money for the purpose of erection and maintenance of water works,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Deyo,	Mayo,		

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 888 (file No. 271), entitled

A bill to change the termination of the fiscal year of the State from September 30th to June 30th,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Roof,	President,
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 20

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 896 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to amend sections six and nine of an act entitled "An act to restrict the powers of the commissioner of highways of the township of Republic, in the county of Marquette, and to authorize the township board of said township to provide for maintaining the streets, sidewalks, crosswalks and alleys now or hereafter built in the village of Republic, and to maintain a fire department and to regulate and license auctioneers and peddlers in said village," approved April 29, 1885,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out in line 3, sec. 9 the word "made" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "brought."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Moon,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> 23

NAYS

Mr. Mayo,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 196) entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 172 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 7 of the session laws of 1877, and act No. 4 of the public acts of 1883, relative to testamentary guardians,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 16, section 10, before the word "custody" the word "lawful," and by inserting in line 17, section 10, before the word "custody" the word "lawful," and by inserting in line 19, section 10, before the word "control" the word "such."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,			<i>pro tem.</i> , 21

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 792 (file No. 196), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 7 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, as amended by act No. 56 of the session laws of 1883, being an act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Sharp,	

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 364 (file No. 246) entitled

A bill to amend act No. 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts

in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, by adding four new sections thereto to stand as secs. 42, 43, 44 and 45,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Rairden moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out the words "quarter" and "quarters" wherever they occur in the bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fourth" and "fourths,"

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,			<i>pro tem.</i> , 25

NAYS.

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. O'Reilly moved to amend the title as follows: By inserting after the word "amend" the words "chapter 11 of,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 216 (file No. 329), entitled

A bill to authorize the trustees, vestrymen, consistory, or other governing body of any religious society incorporated under the laws of this State, to receive money by gift or bequest when the same is to be invested and the income thereof applied in payment or part payment of the salary of their minister, priest, rector, parson or clergyman,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 25
Deyo,	Mayo,		

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 20 (file No. 2), entitled

A bill to amend section 20 of chapter 244 of the compiled laws of 1871,

being compiler's section 9094 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to offenses against the lives and persons of individuals.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof.
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Campbell	Howell,	Potter,	President
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem</i>
Deyo,			24

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 174 (file No. 220), entitled

A bill to take away from the Detroit and Saline Plank Road company, a corporation incorporated under act No. 100 of the session laws of 1848, entitled "An act to incorporate the Detroit and Saline Plank Road Company," all that part of its present road lying west of a public highway crossing it at right angles at a point about seven miles east of the city of Ypsilanti, known as Shelton's corners,

Was read a third time and passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	President
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	22

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Mr. Edwards moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill by adding at the end of the bill the following words:

Provided, That this act shall not take effect until said plank road company shall file with Secretary of State consent in writing thereto; and

"Provided further, That the State shall in no case be liable in any amount therefor."

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The bill was laid upon the table.

Senate file No. 223, being

Substitute for House bill No. 123 (file No. 107), entitled

A bill to compensate Alphonzo Button for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance

of his duty as a member of the gun squad of the Curtenius Guard (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company organized under the laws of the State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 3d day of July, 1858,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Howell	Mr Palmer,	
Babcock, J.W.,	Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter	
Babcock, W.I.	Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	
Barton,	Fox,	Moon,	Roof,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Westgate	20

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Moon gave notice that within the prescribed time he would move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill.

Senate bill No. 423, (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to amend section 7423 of chapter 238 of the compiled laws of 1871, and being section 9000 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to taxation of costs,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J.W.	Fox,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Babcock, W.I.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	President,	
Campbell,	Howell.	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	22
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,		

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate then took a recess until 2 o'clock, P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

The Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 265, (file No. 71), entitled

A bill to provide for the confinement of persons who may be found guilty of the violation of a village ordinance or ordinances in incorporated villages in this State,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,
By unanimous consent,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the bill by adding at the end thereof
the following words:

Provided, That none of the provisions of this act shall apply to the villages
in the 22d Senatorial district of this State,

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not vot-
ing therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,	13
Barton,				

NAYS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Westgate,	
Campbell,	Giddings,	Moon,	President	
Deyo,	Holbrook,	Post,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	
Edwards,	Howell,	Potter,		14

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate
refused to pass the bill,

Pending which,

Mr. Deyo moved to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table,

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay on the table did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Post,	
Campbell,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Potter,	
Deyo,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Edwards,				13

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Roof,		15

The question recurring on the motion to reconsider,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to reconsider then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Roof,		15

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Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	
Campbell,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Harshaw,	Post,	President,	
Edwards,	Holbrook,		<i>pro tem.</i> ,	14

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid upon the table.

Senate bill No. 448, (file No. 218), entitled

A bill to amend section seven thousand four hundred and forty-nine of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act one hundred and thirty-five of the session laws of 1873, being section nine thousand and twenty-three of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the fees of appraisers, commissioners, and others,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Deyo,	Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. L.,	Mr. Fox,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Gorman,	Post,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Potter,	President
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> 27

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 251 (file No. 98), entitled

A bill to amend section 22 of chapter 7 of act No. 326, of the session laws of 1883, entitled, An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883.

Was read a third time and

Pending the taking of a vote thereon,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the bill be referred to the committee on the judiciary with instructions to report an amendment providing for a submission of the question to the electors of the city of Detroit,

Pending which,

Mr. Edwards moved that the bill be laid upon the table,

Which motion did not prevail,

The motion to refer then prevailed.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the general order of business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 297, entitled

A bill to amend section number 1 of act 349 of the local acts of 1875, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Fremont in the county of Newaygo," approved April 23, 1875, as amended by act No. 359 of the local acts of 1879, entitled "An act to amend section 1 of act No. 349 of the session laws of 1875," approved April 23, 1875, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Fremont in the county of Newaygo,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section one of act No. 349 of the local acts of 1875, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Fremont, in the county of New-aygo," approved April 23, 1875, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

Pending the reference of the bill to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	<i>Pro tem.</i> , 27

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 358, entitled

A bill to amend section 2, act 205, local acts, 1873, relative to election of trustees and marshal, sect on 12, act 351 local acts, 1881, giving council power to make contracts for lighting streets in the village of Three Rivers,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 12 of Act No. 161 of the session laws of 1855, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Three Rivers," approved February 13, 1855, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, by adding thereto a new subdivision to stand as No. 60,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

Pending the reference of the bill to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	President
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Crosby,	Howell,		25

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages to whom was referred

House bill No. 57 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend sections 13 and 16 of chapter 3, sections 1 2, 4, 18, 22, 24, 25 and 33 of chapter 4, sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 5, section 1 of chapter 6, sections 1, 8, 9, 13, 15, 17, 21, 25 and 65 of chapter 7, section 1 of chapter 8, sections 1, 7 and 8 of chapter 10, sections 9, 20, 24 and 28 of chapter 11, and to repeal sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 66 of chapter 7, and sections 2 and 3 of chapter 8, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, and to add to chapter 8 of said act four new sections to stand as sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, so as to abolish the board of councilmen and to establish a board of estimates in and for the city of Detroit,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate as the same has been heretofore amended by the Senate recommending that the bill as amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, May 17, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

[Senate bill No. 195 (file No. 149), being]

An act making appropriation for the purchase of material for a school house, for the purchase of machinery and for improvements and repairs at the State house of correction and reformatory at Ionia,

Also:

[Senate bill No. 393 (file No. 207), being]

An act to amend section 1176 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 59 of the session laws of 1872, approved March 20, 1872, being section 1226 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to taxes on mining and smelting companies.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

The message was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 871 (file No. 372), entitled

A bill to amend section 8218 of Howell's compilation, being section 6630 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 63, of the session laws of 1883, relative to proceedings by and against public bodies, having certain corporate powers, and by and against officers representing them,

2. House bill No. 174 (file No. 364), entitled

A bill to amend section 7 of article 2 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State," approved May 1, 1873, as amended, being compiler's section 3350 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act No. 174, of the session laws of 1883,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on railroads.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following, entitled bill:

House bills No. 212 and 308 (file No. 302), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of land and the erection of buildings for the use and benefit of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the treasurer of said asylum,

Which the Senate amended as shown by their message as follows:

First, Amend section 1 by inserting in line 3 after the word "land" the following, "known as the Hinds farm."

Second, Amend section 1 by striking out the word "eighteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seventeen."

Third, Amend section 2 by striking out of line 3 the word "thirty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty."

Fourth, Amend section 2 by striking out of line 5 the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirteen."

Fifth, Amend section 2 by striking out all of said section after the word "each" in line 6 and inserting in lieu of the matter stricken out the following: "When completely furnished and finished and ready for occupancy."

And to inform the Senate that in the said amendments the House non-concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives

Mr. Howell moved that the Senate insist and ask that a committee of conference be appointed to whom shall be referred the matter of difference.

Which motion prevailed.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 314 (file No. 361), entitled

A bill to prevent judges of probate from serving as trustees of any of the asylums for the insane in the State of Michigan,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on asylums for the insane.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 287, (file No. 248), entitled

A bill to cede jurisdiction to the United States of America, over land now occupied and to be occupied in the enlargement and improvement of "The

Lake Superior Ship Canal Railway and Iron Company," and "The Portage Lake and River Improvement Company," Michigan.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table
Senate bill No. 484, entitled

A bill to detach the county of Arenac from the 18th judicial district and attach the same to the 23d judicial district,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee on the judiciary.

Mr. Mayo moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 107, entitled

A bill to amend section 18 of chapter 9 of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being compiler's section 925 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Mayo moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of the bill the following words: "The military staff of each of said general officers in addition to those named above shall consist of an assistant adjutant general, one assistant inspector general and one assistant quartermaster general, each with the rank of lieutenant colonel, to be commissioned on the recommendation of said general officers respectively,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i>
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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Mayo moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 2 of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," as amended, being section 877 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sharp moved that the last bill passed be printed before being transmitted to the House,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Holbrook moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 292, entitled

A bill for the relief of James Hitchcock,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The bill was referred to the committee on State affairs.

Mr. Rairden moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 140, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 11 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to prohibit any person from obstructing the regular operations and conduct of the business of railroad companies or other corporations, firms or individuals," approved February 14, 1877, being sections 9274, 9275 and 9276 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

On which,

Mr. Rairden demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to take from the table then prevailed, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Post,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Rairden,
Deyo,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Roof,
Fox,	Howell,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Wisner,			

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Potter,	Willits,
Babcock, J. W.			

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On motion of Mr. Rairden,

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

Mr. Sharp moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 217 (file No. 234), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the State Industrial Home for Girls for the years 1887 and 1888,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on appropriations and finance.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Howell.

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order.

Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Harshaw to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:
Senate bill No 228 (file No. 136), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for completing and furnishing the attics of the Northern Michigan Asylum for the Insane and building a detached cottage therefor,

House bill No. 5 (file No. 152), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of land and the erection of buildings for the use and benefit of the Eastern Michigan Asylum, and to make payment of the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the treasurer of said asylum,

Senate bill No. 392 (file No. 192), entitled

A bill to amend section 12 of an act amendatory of the several acts relating to the Wesleyan Seminary at Albion, and the Albion Female Collegiate Institute, approved February 25, 1861, as added thereto by act number 91 of the session laws of 1865,

House bill No. 353 (File No. 320), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the Michigan School for the Blind for the years 1887 and 1888.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 355 (file No. 342), entitled

A bill to protect children and prevent them from being educated in immorality and crime,

House bill No. 351 (file No. 281), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 177 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act relative to the delivery of grain by railway companies," approved May 31, 1881, being compiler's section 3422 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 381 (file No. 222), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the State Agricultural Society and providing a tax therefor,

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause thereof and ask the concurrence of the Senate in their action.

IV.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

1. House bill No. 346 (file No. 355) entitled

A bill to provide for the completion and furnishing the State House of Correction and branch of the State prison at Marquette, in the Upper Peninsula, and to make an appropriation therefor,

2. House bill No. 565 (file No. 192), entitled

A bill to amend section 28 of chapter 17 of Howells annotated statutes, relative to laying out, altering or discontinuing highways.

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to Senate, with the recommendation that the first bill be referred to the committee on appropriations and finance, and the second named bill be referred to the committee on the judiciary.

ANDREW HARSHAW, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The Senate concurred in the action of the committee of the whole in striking out all after the enacting clause of the third named bill.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The title and enacting clause of the third named bill were laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the fourth named bills, and the same were referred to the committee as recommended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That no Senator while the Senate is in the committee of the whole on the general order shall speak more than five minutes on any pending amendment to a bill or resolution under discussion, nor more than once on the same amendment.

Pending which.

Mr. Edwards moved to amend by making the time two minutes,

Which motion did not prevail.

The resolution was then adopted.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 287 (file No. 248), entitled

A bill to cede jurisdiction to the United States of America over lands now occupied and to be occupied in the enlargement and improvement of the "Lake Superior Ship Canal Railway and Iron Company" and "The Portage Lake and River Improvement Company," Michigan.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 754, entitled

A bill to amend Sec. 2 of title 23 of act No. 302 of the session laws of 1875, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled an act to revise the charter of the city of Holland, being amendatory to an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Holland, approved March 25, 1867, approved March 23, 1871, which became a law April 2, 1873, approved April 1, 1875, as amended by act No. 268 of the session laws of 1877, approved March 22, 1877, as amended by act No. 337 of the session laws of 1885, approved April 29, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD. E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending its reference of the bill to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	President
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Potter,	<i>Pro tem.</i> , 27

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, May 18, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.* at 10 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by Mr. Hamilton,

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Moon and Post,

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Moon and Post, for the day,

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 720 by Mr. Hubbell:

Remonstrance of F. C. Chamberlain and 36 others against the passage of the bill to prevent unjust agreements in leases and licenses.

Referred to the committee on mines, minerals and mining interests.

No. 721. By Mr. Hubbell: Remonstrance of August Menge and 46 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 432, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Howell, in the county of Livingston, to raise money to make public improvements in said village,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Howell, in the county of Livingston, to raise money to make public improvements in said village,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on mines, minerals and mining interests:

The committee on mines, minerals and mining interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 836 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to prohibit unjust and oppressive agreements in leases and licenses and other instruments or conveyances hereafter granted for mining iron ore, and to protect and secure lessees, licensees, grantees, or vendees in such leases, license, or other instruments of conveyances from the operation and effect of such agreements, and to define the rights, duties and liabilities of the parties to such leases, licenses and other instruments and conveyances,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 439, entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the board of control of state swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed lands in Jackson county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 438, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 190 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act making an appropriation of swamp land to aid the county of Jackson in straightening and opening a channel for Portage lake, and to repeal act No. 132 of the session laws of 1881, entitled 'An act to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp land to make an appropriation of swamp land to drain certain overflowed land in Jackson county, approved May 10, 1881, approved June 16, 1885,' "

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 251, entitled

A bill to change the boundary line of the village of Au Sable and to amend section one of act No. 330 of the local acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1885, being an act to reincorporate the village of Au Sable in Iosco county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 441, entitled

A bill to authorize the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp land to remove bars and obstructions in Maple river in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred,

House bill No. 203 (file No. 77), entitled

A bill to amend section 2198 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan relative to the protection of game.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on state affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 21, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 251, of the session laws of 1881, being section 2198 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the protection of game,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 440, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 94 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Gratiot in improving the channel of Maple river and to authorize a tax to complete the same, and to repeal act No 50 of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act to authorize the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to remove bars and obstructions in Maple river in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot, approved March 26, 1881, approved May 13, 1885,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 470 entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Niles,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 22 of act No. 134 of the session laws of 1859, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Niles," approved February 12th, 1859, as amended by the several acts supplemental or amendatory thereto, and to add three new sections thereto to stand as sections 54, 55 and 56 of said act,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

Pending the reference of the bill to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The rules were suspended, two thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows: .

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Howell.	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Hubbell,	Sharp,

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Westgate,
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Potter,	President,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 27

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS.

*Detroit, May 16, 1887.**Lewis M. Miller, Secretary, Senate Chamber, Lansing, Mich :*

DEAR SIR—In obedience to a resolution of the Senate, sent me in yours of 14th inst., I herewith inclose you a statement as requested by resolution you sent me.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH NICHOLSON,
Superintendent.

The following is the statement:

Number received during 1885 and 1886 in Detroit house of correction:

Alpena county, 12, justice courts.

Antrim county, 1, circuit court.

Houghton county, 4, circuit courts; 1, justice court.

Menominee county, 2, justice courts; 8, circuit courts.

Marquette county, 8, justice courts.

Oscoda county, 2, justice courts.

Presque Isle county, 2, justice courts.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, May 17 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Certain grave charges of intimidation and fraud are made and of record in our Journals in connection with the vote on the constitutional amendment as to prohibition in the city of Detroit; and

WHEREAS, Notwithstanding the lateness in the session, and the extent of the vote covered by such charges, the magnitude of the charges themselves seem to demand that they should have proper consideration at the hands of some authority fully competent to consider them, and report to this Legislature their recommendations in the matter; therefore

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the judiciary committees of the Senate and House be and they are hereby authorized, acting jointly, to take the matters relating to intimidation, fraud or irregularities in the city of Detroit, or elsewhere, in connection with the late vote upon the prohibitory amendment under advisement, and report their recommendations to this Legislature

Which has been adopted by the House and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The preamble and resolution were referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following-entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 377 (file No. 120), entitled

A bill to amend sections 107, 109 and 111 of chapter 10 of the compiled laws of 1871, being sections 626, 628 and 630 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the appointment and qualification of notaries public and the duties of county clerks relative thereto,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

First, Amend recited section 1, so as to read as follows:

"The Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Senate may appoint one or more persons Notaries Public in each county, who shall hold their offices respectively for four years, unless sooner removed by the Governor, and no person shall be eligible to receive such appointment unless he or she shall be, at the time of making such application, a citizen of this State. The person desiring to be appointed shall make a written application, which shall be indorsed by a member of the Legislature or some circuit or probate judge and be presented to the Governor, accompanied by a fee of one dollar, which shall be paid to the state treasurer on the last day of Dec., March and Sept. of each year and placed to the credit of the general fund."

Second, Amend sec. 2 by striking out of line 2 the word "twenty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ninety."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The bill was laid upon the table.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Westgate moved to take from the table

House bills Nos. 138 and 203 (file No. 77), entitled

A bill to amend section 2198 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relating to the protection of game,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

Mr. Giddings moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 78 (file No. 251), entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Sherman, in the county of Wexford,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on cities and villages.

Mr. Harshaw moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 251, entitled

A bill to change the boundary line of the village of Au Sable, and to amend section 1 of act No. 330 of the local acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1885, being an act to re-incorporate the village of Au Sable, in Iosco county.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Mayo,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Potter,	President
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem,</i> 26
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The question being on agreeing to the title.

Mr. Harshaw moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section one of act No. 330 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Au Sable, in Iosco county, approved April 24th, 1885.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Wisner moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 126 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to prevent crime and punish truancy,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Wisner moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 2, section 2, the word "minor" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "girl;" also by striking out the words "seven and eighteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "ten and seventeen;" also by inserting after the word "years" the words "or by any boy between ten and sixteen years of age."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Wisner moved to further amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of lines 7 and 8, section 2, the words "for a period not exceeding five years: *Provided*, That in no case shall the sentence of this court extend beyond the minority of the person so convicted;" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "boys until 17 years of age and girls until 21 years of age, unless sooner discharged according to law."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Deyo moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 5, section 1, the words "walking or,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Wisner moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 2, section 1, the words "seven and sixteen," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "ten and seventeen,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 3, section 2, after the word "village," the words "if the said minor has no parents or guardian residing in said township, village or city."

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on the judiciary.

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 77, (file No. 120), entitled

A bill to amend sections 107, 109 and 111 of chapter 10 of the compiled laws of 1871, being sections 626, 628 and 630 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the appointment and qualification of notaries public and the duties of county clerks relative thereto,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> 24
Deyo,	Howell,		

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 392 (file No. 192), entitled

A bill to amend section 12 of an act amendatory of the several acts relating to the Wesleyan Seminary at Albion, and the Albion Female Collegiate Institute, approved February 25, 1861, as added thereto by act number 91 of the session laws of 1865,

Was read a third time and passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Mayo,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Gorman,	Potter,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Holbrook,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 26

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 353 (file No. 320), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the Michigan school for the blind for the years 1887 and 1888,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Holbrook moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of lines 2 and 3, section 1, the words "twenty-eight thousand seven hundred and twelve dollars and seven cents," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-seven thousand eight hundred dollars;" also by inserting in line 1, section 2, after the word "the" the word "further;" also by inserting in the same line after the word "be" the words "and is hereby;" also by inserting in the same line, after the word "appropriated" the words "from the general fund;" also by striking out of line 3, section 2, the word "twelve" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty-six;" also by inserting in line 6, section 3, after the word "one" the words "and two,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Hubbell,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Potter,	President,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> 27

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 228 (file No. 136), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for completing and furnishing the attics of the Northern Michigan Asylum for the insane and building a detached cottage therefor,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the bill as follows: By inserting in line 3, section 1, after the word "attics" the words "of the northern Michigan asylum for the insane,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out all of line 2, section 2, after the words "auditor general,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Fox moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 3, section 1, after the words "1887," the words, "and the sum of thirteen thousand dollars for the building of a detached cottage,"

On which,

Mr. Crosby demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Westgate,	
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Potter,	Willits,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Campbell,	Howell,			14

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	President	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i>	
Deyo,	Mayo,			13

Pending the passage of the bill,

Mr. Willits moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on appropriations and finance, with instructions to perfect the bill as amended,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: a quorum present.

The Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 5 (file No. 152), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of land and the erection of buildings for the use and benefit of the Eastern Michigan Asylum, and to make payment of the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the treasurer of said asylum,

Was read a third time and pending the taking of the vote thereon.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows: By striking out of the Senate amendment to sec. 2 the words "furnished and,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows: By inserting in the Senate amendment to sec. 1 before the words "one hundred" the words "an average of,"

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Barton,	Gorman,	Post,	Wisner,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	President	
Crosby,	Howell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i>	25
Deyo,	Hubbell,			

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 355 (file No. 342), entitled

A bill to protect children and prevent them from being educated in immorality and crime,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Mayo,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Post,	Willits,	
Barton,	Gorman,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	President	
Crosby,	Howell,		<i>pro tem.,</i>	26

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Mr. O'Reilly,

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 351, (file No. 281), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 177 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act relative to the delivery of grain by railway companies," approved May 31, 1881, being compiler's section 3422 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Sharp,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,	Wisner,	17
Gorman,				

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Barton,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Palmer,	
Babcock, J.W.,	Deyo,	O'Reilly,		7
Title agreed to.				
By unanimous consent,				
The Senate returned to the order of				

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 484, entitled

A bill to detach the county of Arenac from the 18th judicial district and attach the same to the 23d judicial district,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass; and they recommend that the title to said bill be amended so as to correspond with said proposed amended section 1, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committees on education and public schools and judiciary:

The committees on education and public schools and judiciary, jointly, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 408 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to repeal act 376 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to define and constitute school districts number one and four in the township of Rich, Lapeer county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE,

Chairman Committee on Education and Public Schools.

JAY A. HUBBELL,

Chairman Committee on Judiciary.

Report accepted and committees discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Gorman to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 305 (file No. 200), entitled

A bill to provide for the collection of costs in addition to fines and penalties, and for the enforcement of the payment of fines, penalties, and costs, in cases cognizable by justices of the peace.

House bill No. 283 (file No. 170), entitled

A bill to prevent the carrying of concealed weapons and to provide punishment therefor.

House bill No. 420 (file No. 317), entitled

A bill for the identification of convicts.

House bill No. 429 (file No. 330), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from graded school district No. 4, of the townships of Evergreen, Sidney, Bushnell and Fairplains, and from primary school districts Nos. 1 and 5 of Sidney, and from fractional district No. 6 of the townships of Evergreen and Sidney, in the county of Montcalm, and to erect and make the same into a primary school district, and to provide for the first meeting of said district,

Senate file No. 249, being Senate substitute for House bill No. 375, entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the president and trustees of the village of Saugatuck to vacate the public square, so called, in said village.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 208 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of stenographers in the several judicial circuits of this State, to define their powers and duties, to fix their compensation, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith.

House bill No. 195 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill to amend section fifty-three of an act entitled "An act to regulate and govern the State house of correction and reformatory at Ionia," as amended by act No. 24 of the session laws of 1885.

Senate file No. 217, being Senate substitute for House bill No. 19 (file No. 70), entitled

A bill to prevent fraud in the sale and use of butter, and to provide a penalty for the same.

Senate bill No. 209 (file No. 226), entitled

A bill to protect the chastity of girls between the ages of fourteen and sixteen years and to punish the violation thereof.

Senate file No. 227, being

Senate substitute for House bill No. 398 (file No. 288), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 4, and sections 2 and 6 of chapter 10, of act number 326 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, as amended by act approved June 10, 1885.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 637 (file No. 208), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled, An act to secure the minority of stock holders in corporations organized under general laws, the power of electing a representative membership in boards of directors, by excepting clubs formed for social, yachting, hunting, boating, fishing, and rowing purposes,

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause thereof and ask the concurrence of the Senate in their action.

JAMES S. GORMAN,
Chairman.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

The Senate concurred in the action of the committee of the whole in striking out all after the enacting clause of the third named bill.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

The title and enacting clause of the third named bill were laid on the table.

By unanimous consent

The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, May 18, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

Senate bill No. 287 (file No. 248), entitled

An act to cede jurisdiction to the United States of America over lands now

occupied and to be occupied in the enlargement and improvements of the "Lake Superior Ship Canal Railway and Iron Company," and "The Portage Lake and River Improvement Company," Michigan.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was laid upon the table.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS.

STATE HOUSE OF CORRECTION AND REFORMATORY, }
Ionia, Mich., May 17, 1887. }

Lewis M. Miller, Esq., Sec'y Senate.

DEAR SIR: In accordance with the resolution of the Senate of May 13th, I have the honor to submit the enclosed statement.

Very truly,

E. C. WATKINS, *Warden.*

The following is the statement:

Statement showing number of Prisoners received at Ionia House of Correction from each of the Counties named during the years 1885, 1886, and all other years; also, number of inmates from said Counties confined in said House of Correction on May 12, 1887.

Counties.	No. Receiv'd 1885.	No. Receiv'd 1886.	No. Receiv'd other Years.	No. in May 12, 1887.	Counties.	No. Receiv'd 1885.	No. Receiv'd 1886.	No. Receiv'd other Years.	No. in May 12, 1887.
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Houghton					Montmorenci				
Keweenaw					Alpena	13	5		
Baraga	1			1	Leelanaw				
Marquette	3	3	1	4	Antrim	2	3		2
Iron			3	3	Kalkaska				
Menominee	3	3	2	2	Aloona				
Delta			5	3	Crawford		1		
Alger					Benzie				
Presque Isle					Cheboygan	7	3	1	2
Schoolcraft		1	3	2	Emmet				
Otsego		2			Charlevoix		1		
Chippewa	4	1	1		Grand Traverse	2	3		1
Oscoda									

Total received in 1885	37
Total received in 1886	43
Total received other years	22
Total in Prison May 12, 1887	28

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 18, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to inform the Senate relative to

House bill No. 212 and 308 (file 302), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of land and the erection of buildings for the use and benefit of the Michigan asylum for the insane at Kalamazoo, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the treasurer of said asylum,

Concerning which there is a disagreement between the two houses, upon which disagreement the Senate has asked for a committee of conference.

Now to inform the Senate that the House grants such committee, and further to inform the Senate that Messrs. Ashton, Chapman and Herrington have been appointed as such committee on the part of the House to whom such bill has now been referred.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The President *pro tem.* announced as the committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Holbrook, Howell and Sharp.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. }
Lansing, May 18, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 739 (file No. 385), entitled

A bill to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of co-operative and mutual benefit associations, and to define the powers and duties, and regulate the transactions of the business of all such corporations and associations doing business within this State,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on insurance.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 18, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 358, entitled

A bill to amend section 12 of act No. 161 of the session laws of 1855, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Three Rivers," approved February 13, 1855, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, by adding thereto a new subdivision to stand as No. 60,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 377 (file No. 120), entitled

A bill to amend sections 107, 109 and 111 of chapter 10 of the compiled laws of 1871, being sections 626, 628 and 630 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the appointment and qualification of notaries public and the duties of county clerks relative thereto.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Palmer moved that

House bill No. 429 (file No. 330), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from graded school district number four of the townships of Evergreen, Sidney, Bushnell and Fairplains, and from primary school districts number one and five of the township of Sidney, and from fractional district number six of the townships of Evergreen and Sidney, in the county of Montcalm, and to erect and make the same into a primary school district, and to provide for the first meeting of said district,

Be taken from the order of third reading of bills and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Post moved that the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 298 (file No. 238), entitled

A bill to provide for the penalty of death in certain cases of murder,

Which motion prevailed.

Be made the special order for Wednesday May 25, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed, two thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor,

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, May 19, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.* at 10 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by Rev. Mr. Otis.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Post and Potter.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Potter for the day.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Post for the day.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 296, entitled

A bill authorizing the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of State swamp lands for the improvement of Falls creek, in the county of Alpena,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 222 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the House of Good Shepherd at Detroit,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 871 (file No. 372), entitled

A bill to amend section 8218 of Howell's annotated statutes, being section 6630, of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 63, of the session laws of 1883, relative to proceedings by and against public bodies having certain corporate powers, and by and against officers representing them.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 224 (file No. 56), entitled

A bill to provide for the uniform assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes and return of delinquent taxes thereon,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 78 (file 251), entitled.

A bill to incorporate the village of Sherman in the county of Wexford,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 471 (file No. 187), entitled

A bill to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking, and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass.

We also submit herewith the following summary of the bill, with the reasons for its passage:

In submitting a bill for a revision of the general banking laws of the State, your committee desire to call attention to some of the changes proposed, and give brief reasons therefor.

NEED OF A STATE BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Under the present laws the State banks report to the State Treasurer, and there are some powers of visitation vested in him, but the powers conferred upon that officer are not, and never have been, sufficient either in definition or scope, to secure such thorough supervision as would amount to anything like an adequate protection of the depositors, customers or stock-holders; nor indeed such as to secure ample justice to the banks themselves, hence the apparent necessity of the establishment (by the proposed law) of a State department that shall be specially charged with this work, to be known as the State Banking Department.

PROPOSED OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES.

The chief officer of the department is to be styled the Commissioner of the Banking Department, who shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, for the term of four years. He shall appoint a deputy and such clerks as his departments need for the transaction of its business. The Commissioner shall give his full time and personal attention to the duties of the office, and ample power is proposed to be given him to enforce the provisions of the law, and to see to it that a thorough examination is made into the condition of all banks coming under the provisions of the law. It is made the duty of the Commissioner further to see:

First, That the articles of association of the several banks organizing under this act are proper in form and duly filed;

Second, That at least fifty per cent of their capital stock is paid in at the time of organization;

Third, That they give the name and place of residence of each of the directors, and the amount of capital stock of which each is the owner in good faith.

Fourth, That the balance of the capital stock is paid in and that such payments are properly certified under oath by the proper officer;

Fifth, That all the requirements of the act have been complied with before he grants a certificate authorizing any bank to commence business.

The rights of the banks are to be guarded by requiring the concurrence of the attorney general before summary proceedings can be begun to enforce forfeitures for the violation of any of the provisions of the law.

HOW EXPENSES SHALL BE MET.

The department is not to be a source of expense to the State, but will be self sustaining from the start, as the entire expense is to be met by fees paid by the banks, as provided for in section 40 of the bill. While the method of determining the amount which each bank shall pay is somewhat similar in principle to that adopted in other States, we think the one embodied in this bill the fairest of any that have come under our observation, being based upon a "per cent. of the gross amount of the assets of the bank." It is also fair to allude to the fact that the three largest State banks, whose officers have been most active in helping to perfect a fair and safe bill, and who suggested the section and method alluded to, will, under its provisions, pay something over one-third of the total expenses of the department, as figured on the basis of the latest reports of the banks of the State.

Your committee also observes that the comptroller of the currency of the United States has recently recommended that section 5240 of the national banking law be so amended as to adopt substantially this plan for apportioning the compensation for examination of national banks.

PROVISIONS OF THE BILL

One feature of the bill to which the committee calls special attention is that it provides for two classes of banking business that are now being carried on by State banks, as follows:

First, Commercial banks that shall be offices of deposit and discount, the deposits to be such as are known as "commercial deposits," and the loans that of discount of negotiable and commercial paper. This class of banks will, however, be permitted to invest a portion of their capital and deposit

over the required reserve, in certain designated kinds of personal security; and also, under certain restrictions, to loan on, or take as collateral security, mortgages on real estate not to exceed 50 per cent. of their capital stock;

Second, Those known as "savings banks," in the guarding of which great care has been taken in the preparation of the bill to secure the greatest safety to depositors. The law of 1871 has been somewhat followed. The bill not only permits but requires subscribed capital, and makes each stockholder liable for double his capital stock; provides for the accumulation of a surplus fund and for the investment of all deposits over and above the required reserve fund. State or municipal bonds, duly authorized, of communities or States that have not, within ten years, repudiated their just obligations, may be invested in, and also a certain proportion of real estate securities.

Provisions are also made for a combination of the two systems. Such banks are now doing a necessary and safe business in many localities, and your committee has thought it wise to provide especially for the better protection, guidance and control of this class.

BENEFITS OF EXAMINATIONS BY EXPERTS.

To those familiar with banking, the advantages are apparent that must arise from having experts examine the books for the purpose of determining:

First, If the cash tallies with the ledger accounts;

Second, If the stock certificates issued agree with the stock ledger; also if all certificates surrendered are properly canceled and filed for future reference;

Third, If depositors' accounts agree with the ledger accounts, and if the customers' books are frequently and regularly written up and vouchers returned, with request that customers shall verify the same and promptly report if any errors are found;

Fourth, If certificate accounts, either time or demand, correspond with the respective accounts on the books; also if they are regularly compared and corrected; further, if endorsements are made on certificates, or whether canceled and new ones issued for balance when partial payments are made;

Fifth, If the several accounts with the New York, Chicago and other foreign bank correspondents are reconciled; and if the work is promptly done on receipt of statement of foreign bank;

Sixth, If the re-discounts and other liabilities against the bank are properly shown;

Seventh, If the account of real estate loans and the notes and mortgages agree; also, if all partial payments and the interest paid are properly endorsed and dated; and also the same as regards commercial loans; also, whether the paper is genuine and frequently inquired into as to the responsibility of the makers; or if the loans are made by the bank upon its own stock;

Eighth, If the money is kept on hand or in reserve banks, or is loaned out according to law;

Ninth, If dividends are being paid from profits actually received, or partially from uncollected interest;

Tenth, If losses and long-past-due papers are promptly charged off the books at stated intervals;

Eleventh, If accrued and unpaid interest is carried as an asset;

Twelfth, If a portion of the net profits are set aside each half year for a surplus fund;

Thirteenth, If an improper amount is loaned to officers and directors; or to individuals, firms or corporations in excess of the amount limited by law;

Fourteenth, If checks are certified when there are no funds with which to pay them, or if liberal over-drafts are permitted;

Fifteenth, If the standing of borrowers and the value of investments and securities are frequently scanned;

Sixteenth, If the amount carried as real estate, banking house or furniture and fixtures are inventoried from time to time to ascertain if the real value is the same as the cash value carried on the books;

Seventeenth, If the collection department, which is often so varied and difficult that losses and irregularities may creep into it, is being guarded with the necessary care;

Eighteenth, If the records of the meetings for preliminary organization have been full and complete, so as to show that the law has been complied with, and that these minutes and those of subsequent meetings have been and are properly attested by the signature of the president or vice president, and the cashier or treasurer;

The above, and many other items which the examination of banks will show as needing attention, suggest some of the difficulties of the work being intelligently or fairly done by the average directors, whose time is usually fully occupied by their own private business; and on the other hand emphasize the importance of an expert examiner, not only for the benefit and safety of the depositors and customers, but for the stock-holders, who are liable to lose their stock and as much more. This is still more important to directors, who have the liabilities as above, and the additional moral responsibility of caring for the funds entrusted to their keeping—a trust to which their own personal business often prevents them from giving the needed time and attention; besides, as above stated, the complexity of the business is such that without special training directors would find the task a difficult one.

The importance attached, by experienced bank men, to the value of examinations is well attested in such cities as Detroit, where, as a rule, the banks have two examinations each year by the Government examiner, and frequent examinations by their directors who become more or less expert. Many large banks require examinations before dividends are declared, to see that the bank is in good condition, that losses are charged off or fully provided for before dividends are paid. Further, experienced and intelligent officers will not assume positions in banks until after a careful and thorough examination. The same precautions by parties wishing to buy stock would, in many cases, save loss by finding that depreciated and unsalable real estate, forfeited shares of the bank's stock, and past due and unpaid interest are carried as assets giving the stock a fictitious value.

MERITORIOUS FEATURES OF THE BILL.

The relations which banks hold to the prosperity and development of a State or country are so intimate and vital that it is of the greatest importance that the system should be safe, efficient and permanent. In the New England States, New York and some others, we find laws which have surrounded their banks with restrictions, supervision, and safeguards that have carried them through many years of alternate depressions and prosperity, and show merits that challenge our attention and urge us to their adoption. These are, in brief:

- First*, Capital— paid in full and kept unimpaired ;
- Second*, Money loaned on convertible securities by commercial banks ;
- Third*, Limit of loans to persons, companies or corporations ;
- Fourth*, Prohibiting the loaning of money by any bank on its own shares ;
- Fifth*, Limiting rate to legal interest ;
- Sixth*, Definite and ample reserve to insure prompt payments of depositors ;
- Seventh*, No preference in insolvency ;
- Eighth*, Stockholder's liability ;
- Ninth*, Accumulating surplus ;
- Tenth*, Forbidding dividends except from actual profits ;
- Eleventh*, Restricting dealings in real estate ;

Twelfth, Compelling full statements under oath of resources and liabilities on any past day, called for by the Commissioner several times each year, and the publication thereof in the place where the bank is located, that its depositors and customers may know something of its condition ;

Thirteenth, Subjecting banks to personal inspection by experts, who examine the accounts, securities and other assets ; inquire into all liabilities ; investigate methods of business, thereby detecting and restraining irregularities ; give publicity to the ownership of shares, thus helping to determine the individual liability of shareholders and facilitating local taxation ;

Fourteenth, Providing severe penalties for violations of the law, and making it the duty of the Commissioner to see to their enforcement, which tend to insure prompt observance of rules and laws.

Prof. David Swing, in one of his recent sermons, took for his theme "The Poor People of Chicago." He elaborated the idea that the savings banks are as potent as the pulpit in working out a solution of the social problems of the day, and strengthened his arguments by use of data showing the accumulated savings of the working classes in certain sections of the country, pointing out how the ratio of misery decreased as the savings increased. In New Hampshire, with only half the population of Chicago, there was more money in the savings banks than in all Illinois. This evidenced the fact that not a small part of the existing poverty came from the lack of reliable savings institutions and the economical habit.

Although the wages are higher in Chicago and the employers more generous than elsewhere, it was true that the latter were lacking in the wisdom to found institutions where the working classes could keep their wages from melting away like the snow before the warm sun of early spring. Savings banks could do as much as sermons if they were only of the kind in which the wage-worker could place confidence. Of the thousand millions now in savings banks in this country, Illinois had but a small sum of the total amount, and Chicago was hardly mentioned as possessing a share of this good. The saloon held the pocketbook of the laborer and left him each day without a penny for himself, his wife or children. The moment the laborer began to save money, that moment he began to mend his ways. The habits of industry and economy were a part of the means of grace, and when the laboring man began to abandon his old habits and commenced putting his money in the savings bank, that moment he experienced the grace of God.

To find the places where a better division of property could be had, the anarchist always traveled to where the people had no property to divide, and in order to carry out this idea they had to pass by Philadelphia and Boston. There were thousands in Chicago who had no hold on the city, state or world, and for that reason they found the doctrines of anarchism congenial as the

anarchists themselves found a congenial atmosphere in which to inculcate their doctrines. The building associations were doing much good for the higher-salaried young men, but they did meet the wants of the class who must have some place to deposit their daily earnings. A family once a little bit ahead of poverty, hope springs up, a sense of degradation is lost, and it goes on to prosperity and happiness.

The Chicago Tribune, commenting on the savings bank law recently passed in that State, says the bill was introduced in 1881, and has been before each session since, and that its success was due to the fact that "A growing interest in favor of the measure among bankers and business men throughout the State, backed by the public press, has developed a strong feeling in the great clubs, such as the Union League, Iroquois, Citizens' Association and Commercial that the time has come when this State should have a thoroughly tried and practical savings system for the wage classes. This desire has been intensified in view of the communistic troubles of the last year or two, and the feeling that this measure will do much to countermine the evil by enabling those who have a little to keep it secure, and to gradually add to their store under a thoroughly devised and well tried system that has been in successful operation in this country and Europe for nearly a hundred years."

In line with the foregoing, your committee quote the following from the excellent little work by Hon. T. H. Hinchman, of Detroit, entitled, "Banks and Banking in Michigan." He said, "Too much cannot be written or said concerning the benefits conferred by banks that safely keep and pay on demand, the savings of widows, orphans, minors, artisans, clerks, servants and laborers. Such savings are a health-giving source of satisfaction and contentment that strengthens family ties, and which often results in providing permanent homes. They aid in preserving order, in insuring peaceful prevention of, or protection against domestic violence and agrarian excesses; and also promote an interest in governmental affairs, and an increase in real estate values.

"A disaster to a savings bank causes more disturbance and misery than the failure of many commercial banks. It would therefore seem to be imperative that the law should be carefully guarded by requirements calculated to render this class of depositors secure. The State authorities should be required to pass upon all those seeking to organize savings banks before authorizing a commencement of business, that no improper persons, or persons without ample capital and reliable character, should be permitted to engage in this description of banking."

The banking law of Illinois, above referred to, emphasizes the pertinence of the latter part of the quotation from Mr. Hinchman, by requiring that the trustees shall be "responsible as to character, financial ability and general fitness for the discharge of the duties appertaining to the trust;" also "that said trustees are in the aggregate the owners of at least one hundred thousand dollars' worth of real estate, in fee simple and unincumbered, situated in the county where such society is to be established, and that the title to such real estate has not been acquired for the purpose of making this application."

The savings of the poor cannot be guarded too zealously against injudicious speculation and unsafe investments. It is prudential to have safety and availability, rather than increased rates of interest in savings investments, and anything of a speculative nature should not be permitted at all. The failure of one bank is direct injury to others in disturbing usual business relations

with their customers; and is a direct injury as to its effects upon the people, who lose confidence, become indifferent to savings, and encourage the feeling that they may as well live up their earnings as they go as to save them only to have them lost by some careless savings bank.

To this class of people, whose time is occupied in daily toil—giving them little opportunity to know what is going on in the commercial world, or how business is managed—the State owes an imperative duty to see that their little savings are surrounded by all the safeguards which experience or observation dictates. The manner in which the money is to be invested should be clearly defined, and the examiner see to it that the law is faithfully carried out by all bank officers.

Your committee appreciate the fact that no system of supervision can be so perfect as to insure absolute safety, but statistics show that in States having supervision, the losses to the people have been proportionately less while the banks have increased. The advantage of supervision and frequent examinations, is well illustrated in the receipts and disbursements of the United States for the last twenty-five years, in the collections from customs, post-offices, sale of public lands, and all other sources, and the payments to the war, navy, pension, Indian, and many other departments of the government. The loss on collections has been reduced from \$2.03 on each \$1,000 in 1861, to .006 in 1883, and on disbursements from 76 cents in 1861 to one and eight-tenths mills in 1883. This result has been attained largely through the frequent visits and examinations by experts, who are liable to visit the post-office or custom house at any moment, and without warning; while in the disbursements it is done largely by the careful inspection of pay-rolls and their comparison with the proper vouchers.

Directors, even by the most rigid scrutiny, may not be able to ferret out all the intricacies of book-keeping or bank management, may not be able to verify or correct the many accounts, or reconcile the differences between banks; but they can know something of the value of the investments and securities the bank is taking or dealing in, and as to the responsibility of its borrowers, their personal attention to business or whether they leave their business to others; also the general success of the business of those who deal with the bank. They can fairly judge whether the officers and other employes are engaged in outside business—of a speculative character or otherwise—and if so, if the business is owned or owed for; what company they keep, what their general habits, if they are living within their incomes, and if the bank is receiving their first and principal attention.

REPORTS.

As to the quarterly reports required by our present law, they are conceded to be of very little value. This is well stated by Henry M. Knox, of Minnesota, in commenting on a similar system in that state. He says: "I would respectfully submit that quarterly reports are almost wholly without value, in that being rendered at a *fixed date*, they may be prepared for in advance, and in that they may fail, even if the law is fully complied with, to give any satisfactory knowledge of the condition of the bank. In the form here legalized a bank may struggle on the verge of insolvency for months, and neither public or official attention be called to the fact by the report."

The reports required by the proposed law are to be called for by the Commissioner for any past day by him selected, and to be sworn to by president, vice-

president, cashier or treasurer, and be forwarded to that office, accompanied by such proof of publication in the vicinity of the place of business of the bank as the Commissioner shall require; not less than four such reports to be called for each year. By this method any one of the business days is likely to be called for, hence the transactions and balances of any day during the whole year are likely to be made public, and if properly detailed should indicate the direction in which the services of the Commissioner are needed; or he may call for special reports from any particular bank, if in his judgment the same are necessary to more fully inform him of the condition thereof.

In addition to the reports required above, each bank is to report to the Commissioner, within ten days after the declaring of any dividend, the amount of the dividend, the amount carried to the surplus fund, and the amount of net earnings in excess thereof, each report to be sworn to by one of the executive officers of the bank.

Such portions of the above reports as the law specifies, are to be reported by the Commissioner to the State Treasurer, to be by him embodied in his annual report.

MORE PUBLICITY, MORE SAFETY.

Your committee has discussed the matter of supervision and reports at some length, as they are the most radical changes from the present law; besides the committee deems them of great importance. We are also aware that there is some prejudice against examinations, a few going so far as to claim that they are liable to interfere with and injure business. In the light of past experience it seems to your committee that there is nothing in the objection except its absurdity. Publicity is not only, as a well-known adage says, "The best cure of public evils," but the best purifier of private morals. The occasional examinations and the frequent publication of sworn statements would tend to restrain bank officials from falling into loose and careless business methods, which frequently lead to crime.

We think it is generally conceded that in those States having thorough and careful supervision, the banking business has expanded most, and the public are best protected. It is noticeable, as a rule, that in those States having bank departments, with examinations and frequent reports, the State banks lead, while in those having no such department the National banks have the preference of the people.

The States of New York and Massachusetts, which have had bank supervision in use longer than any others, and have brought it up to the highest standard of perfection, hold nearly \$700,000,000 of deposits, or more than two-thirds of the savings deposits of all the States and territories in the United States.

The New England States and New York, by their wise banking systems, have not only ample capital to build up and carry on this immense manufacturing and other enterprises, but are the chief money lenders to many other States. In New England the workingmen and women not only have furnished and are furnishing the bone and sinew to do the work, but by their little savings, aggregated in the reservoirs of savings banks, supply the capital which has erected the buildings and furnished the means with which to purchase the raw material, pay the help and float the manufactured articles out on the markets. In these States nearly one-half the population, including

men, women and children, have deposits in savings banks, and an average of about \$340 to each depositor. The same ratio in Michigan, to a similar class, would give us in round numbers \$300,000,000. An addition of any considerable portion of this amount would greatly assist in the development of the vast and varied natural resources of our State. What Michigan most needs is ready money, and that which is saved and owned at home is the most desirable to aid in its growth and prosperity.

SHOULD BECOME A LAW.

Many changes from the old law have been found necessary in the preparation of this bill, growing out of the more modern methods of doing business, and for the more explicit, systematic and prudent conduct of a business in which, to a greater or less extent, every community and every class of people are deeply interested, and whose interests should be protected by the strongest and best possible laws. Many features of the present banking law have been retained in the bill, only six sections of the law being in terms repealed. The importance of an early revision of the law is made all the more apparent in view of the fact that the end of the National banks is near—most of their charters in this State expiring within the next few years; and as there is little inducement to reorganize under the National banking law, all, or nearly all, will probably reorganize as State banks. Section 17 of the bill is intended to facilitate such reorganization of national banks into State banks.

Your committee has given much time and thought to the consideration of the bill, the members of the House committee on private corporations having sat with us on several occasions and aided in perfecting it; while many of the ablest and best informed men on the subject in the State who are interested in banks to be affected by the bill, have furnished valuable suggestions and much necessary data. Legislation touching the savings banks of our State should be especially well and carefully considered. They are identified more or less closely with the moral and material interests of the State, and every measure calculated to foster, aid and protect them should receive thoughtful attention and cordial support from the law-making power, and we feel confident that when the members of the two Houses have sufficiently considered the advantages to be gained by such a law, the bill will be promptly passed by the Legislature and as promptly adopted by the voters of Michigan in 1888, and that too by a large majority.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CHARLES J. MONROE,
WILLIAM S. LAING,
ALBERT K. ROOF,

Members of Senate Com. on Banks and Corporations.

We respectfully concur in all of the above.

LEONARD H. HUNT,
ARTHUR K. CASE,
NEAL McWILLAN,
JOHN W. BENTLEY,
B. A. SNOW,

Members of House Com. on Private Corporations.

Your committee therefore ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill then was ordered re-printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on state prison:

The committee on state prison, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 66 (file No. 66), entitled

A bill to provide for indeterminate sentences and disposition, management and release of criminals under such sentence,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, be re-printed, and that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered re-printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

The committee of conference of the Senate and House of Representatives, to whom was referred the difference between the two houses relative to House bills No. 212 and 308 (file No. 302), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of land and the erection of buildings for the use and benefit of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the treasurer of said asylum,

Which the Senate amended as shown by their message as follows:

First, Amend section 1 by inserting in line 3 after the word "land" the following, "known as the Hinds farm;"

Second, Amend section 1 by striking out the word "eighteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seventeen;"

Third, Amend section 2 by striking out of line 3 the word "thirty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty;"

Fourth, Amend section 2 by striking out of line 5 the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirteen;"

Fifth, Amend section 2 by striking out all of said section after the word "each" in line 6 and inserting in lieu of the matter stricken out the following: "When completely furnished and finished and ready for occupancy;"

In which said amendments the House non-concurred.

Respectfully report that they have had the bill and amendments under consideration and have directed us to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation,

First, That the first named amendment be amended so as to read "the Hinds farm or some other parcel of land equally available," and as amended be concurred in by both houses;

Second, That from the second named amendment the Senate recedes;

Third, That in the third named amendment the House concur;

Fourth, That in the fourth named amendment the House concur;

Fifth, That the fifth named amendment be amended so as to read "when completed, finished and ready for occupancy," and to restore all of said section two after the word "each" in line six, and as amended be concurred in by both houses.

All of which is respectfully submitted, and your committee on conference ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN HOLBROOK,
GEORGE HOWELL,
JOHN C. SHARP,

Members on part of the Senate.

B. D. ASHTON,
A. R. CHAPMAN,

Members on part of the House.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

: MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 18, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR.—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 177 (file No. 85), entitled,

A bill to provide for the better protection of lives of passengers and employés on railroad trains,

Concerning which there was a disagreement between the two houses and on which a committee of conference was asked and granted, which committee reported as follows:

The conference committee, to whom was referred,

Senate bill No. 177 (file No. 85), entitled

A bill to provide for the better protection of lives of passengers and employés on railroad trains,

Which the House amended, as follows:

1st. By inserting at the end of line 2, section 2, the words "not securely fastened,"

2d. By adding at the end of section 2 the following: "*Provided further*, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to caboose cars run on any freight train,"

And in which amendments the Senate non-concurred,

Respectfully report that they have had the bill and amendments under consideration, and have directed us to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation:

1. That the House do recede from its said amendments; and,

2. That the following substitute be adopted for section 2 of the bill:

SECTION 2. No stove or heater shall be used in any car on which passengers are carried, or in any car which forms a part of a passenger train, unless the same shall be enclosed in a room or closet as provided in section 1 of this act; and the door or other opening of such room or closet, and of such stove or heater shall at all times be kept securely closed: *Provided*, That no heater, method or device shall be adopted or used until approved by the com-

missioner of railroads: *And provided further*, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to caboose cars run on any freight train.

H. W. SEYMOUR,
W. A. ATWOOD,
GEO. P. STARK,

Members on the part of the Senate,

HENRY H. HOLT,
JOHN KILLEAN,
E. N. PERKINS,

Members on the part of the House,

Now to inform the Senate that in the report of said committee the House concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, May 19, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit to the Senate the following entitled bill:

House bills No. 212 and 308 (file No. 302), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of land and the erection of buildings for the use and benefit of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the treasurer of said asylum,

Concerning which there was a disagreement between the two Houses, and on which a committee of conference was asked and granted,

Which committee reported as follows:

The committee of conference of the Senate and House of Representatives to whom was referred the difference between the two houses relative to House bills No. 212 and 308 (file No. 302), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of land and the erection of buildings for the use and benefit of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the treasurer of said asylum,

Which the Senate amended as shown by their message as follows:

First, Amend section 1 by inserting in line 3 after the word "land" the following, "known as the Hind's farm;"

Second, Amend section 1 by striking out the word "eighteen" and inserting in lieu thereof "seventeen;"

Third, Amend section 2 by striking out of line 3 the word "thirty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty;"

Fourth, Amend section 2 by striking out of line 5 the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirteen;"

Fifth, Amend section 2 by striking out all of said section after the word "each" in line 6 and inserting in lieu of the matter stricken out the following: "When completely furnished and finished and ready for occupancy;"

In which said amendments the House non-concurred,

Respectfully report that they have had the bill and amendments under consideration and have directed us to report the same back to the House with the recommendation:

First, That the first named amendment be amended so as to read, "The Hinds farm or some other parcel of land equally available," and as amended, be concurred in by both Houses;

Second, That from the second named amendment the Senate recede;

Third, That in the third named amendment the House concur;

Fourth, That in the fourth named amendment the House concur;

Fifth, That the fifth named amendment be amended so as to read "when completed, furnished and ready for occupancy," and to restore all of said section 2 after the word "each" in line 6, and as amended, be concurred in by both Houses.

All of which is respectfully submitted, and your committee of conference ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN HOLBROOK,

GEO. HOWELL,

JOHN C. SHARP,

Members of the Committee on the Part of the Senate.

B. D. ASHTON,

A. R. CHAPMAN,

Members of the Committee on the Part of the House.

Now to inform the Senate that the House has adopted said report by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the report,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W., Mr. Fox,
Babcock, W. I., Giddings,
Barringer, Gorman,
Campbell, Harshaw,
Crosby, Holbrook,
Deyo, Howell,
Edwards, Hubbell,

Mr. Mayo,
Moon,
O'Reilly,
Palmer,
Rairden,
Roof,
Sharp,

Mr. Stark,
Westgate
Willits,
Wisner,
President
pro tem.

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MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Moon moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed Senate bill No. 223, entitled

A bill to compensate Alphonzo Button for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty as a member of the gun squad of the Curtenius Guard (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company organized under the laws of the State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 3d day of July, 1858,

Being

Senate substitute for House bill No. 123 (file No. 107), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of state auditors to audit the claim of Alphonzo Button, of the Curtenius Guards of Mason, Michigan, (an organized volunteer uniformed militia company, under the laws of the State of Michigan), as compensation for injuries sustained by him from premature discharge of cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty in drill and exercise in celebrating the anniversary of our national independence at the village of Mason, in the county of Ingham and State of Michigan, on the 3d day of July, 1858,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was re-referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

Mr. Giddings moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 78 (file No. 251), entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Sherman, in the county of Wexford,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Deyo,			28

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 208 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of stenographers in the several judicial circuits of this State, to define their powers and duties, to fix their compensation and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Westgate moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out in line 4, section 7, the word "six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 6, section 2, all after the word "unless" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "upon cause shown the Governor shall revoke such order of suspension,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Barringer,	Howell,	Roof,	President
Barton,	Mayo,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 20
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Mr. Campbell	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Giddings,
Palmer,			5

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 195 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill to amend section 53 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and govern the State house of correction and reformatory at Ionia," as amended by act number 24 of the session laws of 1885,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Roof moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 4, section 53 after the word "State" where it first occurs, the words "if he have no place of residence in this State, then to such place within this State as the warden may deem best,"

Which motion prevail and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Hubbell,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Stark,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President
			<i>Pro tem.</i> , 28

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate file No. 217, being Senate substitute for

House bill No. 19 (file No. 70), entitled

A bill to prevent fraud in the sale and use of butter, and to provide a penalty for the same,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Hubbell,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Stark,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	President
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> 27

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the title so as to read as follows :

A bill to regulate the sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine, and other articles and substances resembling butter, and to provide a penalty for the violation of this act,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Senate bill No. 209 (file No. 226), entitled

A bill to protect the chastity of girls between the ages of fourteen and sixteen years and to punish the violation thereof,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of lines 1 and 2, section 1, the word "sixteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fourteen,"

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Mayo,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Moon,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President
Campbell,	Howell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> 23

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Mr. Crosby, Mr. Gorman, Mr. O'Reilly,

Title agreed to.

Senate file No. 227, being

Senate substitute for House bill No. 398 (file No. 288), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 4, and sections 2 and 6 of chapter 10, of act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883, entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, as amended by act approved June 10, 1885,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Westgate,
Barton,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Sharp,	President,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Stark,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Edwards,	Mayo,		

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	

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The question being on agreeing to the title,
Mr. Edwards moved to amend the title as follows;

By striking out the words "session laws" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "local acts,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The Senate then took a recess until 2 o'clock, P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.*

Roll called: quorum present.

The Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 305 (file No. 200), entitled

A bill to provide for the collection of costs in addition to fines and penalties, and for the enforcement of the payment of fines, penalties and costs in cases cognizable by justices of the peace,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Hubbell,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Harshaw,	Post,	President
Deyo,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,

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Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Willits,
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Title agreed to.

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Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table the title and enacting clause of, and reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in the action of the committee of the whole in striking out all after the enacting clause of

House bill No. 637 (file No. 208), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to secure the minority of stockholders in corporations organized under general laws the power of electing a representative membership in boards of directors," by excepting clubs formed for social, yachting, hunting, boating, fishing, and rowing purposes,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the action of the committee in striking out all after the enacting clause of the bill,

The Senate non-concurred.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

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Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. O'Reilly,	2
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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the title as follows: By striking out all of the title after the word "directors,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 420 (file No. 317), entitled

A bill for the identification of convicts,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.	Edwards,	Moon,	Stark,
Barringer,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barton,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	President,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

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Mr. Sharp,	1
Title agreed to.	

House bill No. 283 (file No. 170), entitled

A bill to prevent the carrying of concealed weapons and to provide punishment therefor.

Was read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

On motion of Mr Edwards,

The bill was laid upon the table.

Senate file No. 249, being Senate substitute for House bill No. 275, entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the president and trustees of the village of Saugatuck to vacate the public square, so called, in said village,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Mayo,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Deyo,			28

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the regular order of business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 212 (file No. 142), entitled

A bill to authorize suits to be brought at law or in equity against navigation companies organized under the laws of this State for the purpose of engaging in the business of maritime commerce or navigation within this State, or upon the frontier lakes or other navigable waters, natural or artificial connected therewith, in the courts of any county in this State in which the plaintiff resides or the boats of the company call and do business,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the House amendment, be concurred in and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i>
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Mr. Crosby,	1
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The question being on concurring in the amendments made to the title by the House,

The Senate concurred,

The title as amended was then agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 126 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to prevent crime and to punish truancy.

Pending the following amendment, moved by Mr. Sharp,

By inserting in line 3, section 2, after the word "village," the words "if the said minor has no parents or guardian residing in said township, village or city."

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass as referred to the committee without the pending amendment, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

By consent of the Senate,

Mr. Sharp withdrew the amendment.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 429 (file No. 330), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from graded school district No. 4 of Evergreen, Sidney, Bushnell and Fairplains, and from primary school districts Nos. 1 and 5 of the township of Sidney, and from fractional district No. 6 of the townships of Evergreen and Sidney, in the county of Montcalm, and erect the same into a primary school district, and to provide for the first meeting of said district.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance :

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was recommitted Senate file No. 223, entitled

A bill to compensate Alphonzo Button for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty as a member of the gun squad of the Curtenius Guard (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company organized under the laws of State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 3d day of July, 1858,

Being,

Senate substitute for House bill No. 123 (file No. 107), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of State auditors to audit the claim of Alphonzo Button, of the Curtenius Guards, of Mason, Michigan (an organized volunteer uniformed militia company, under the laws of the State of Michigan), as compensation for injuries sustained by him from premature discharge of cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty in drill and exercise in celebrating the anniversary of our national independence at the village of Mason, in the county of Ingham and State of Michigan, on the 3d day of July, 1858.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

Joint resolution to authorize and instruct the board of State auditors to examine into and if they deem it justifiable, to allow the claim of Alphonzo Button for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty as a member of the gun squad of the Curtenius Guard (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company organized under the laws of the State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 3d day of July, 1858,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The joint resolution was read a first and second time by its title, and

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The joint resolution was laid on the table, and ordered printed in the journal.

The following is the joint resolution :

Joint resolution to authorize and instruct the board of State auditors to examine into, and if they deem it justifiable, to allow the claim of Alphonzo Button for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty as a member of the gun squad of the Curtenius Guard (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company organized under the laws of the State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 30th day of July, 1858.

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, That the Board of State Auditors be and are hereby authorized and

instructed to examine into, and if they deem it justifiable, to allow the claim of Alphonzo Button, for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty as a member of the Curtenius Guards (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company, organized under the laws of the State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 3d day of July, 1858, at a sum not to exceed three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

Resolved, further, That when said board shall have ascertained and fixed the amount of compensation to be paid, they shall draw their order upon the State treasurer for said amount, payable to the order of said Alphonzo Button, and it shall be the duty of said State treasurer, upon the presentation of such order, duly signed by the chairman of the board of State auditors, and countersigned by the secretary of such board to pay the same out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated.

By the committee on public lands :

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House bill No. 168 (file No. 366), entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of a ditch from Little Black lake, in the county of Muskegon, to Lake Michigan, and to make an appropriation of State swamp land therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House bill No. 691 (file No. 333), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp land for the purpose of cleaning, dredging and clearing out the south branch of Black Creek, in the township of Eggleston, and also the township and county drains in the township of Moreland, in Muskegon county, and directing the board of control of State swamp lands to conduct the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House bill No. 366 (file No. 133), entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road to connect the East Saginaw and Sauble River State road with the Tawas and Manistee State road in the counties of Arenac, Iosco and Ogemaw, and to provide for its construction by an appropriation of swamp lands and the raising and ex-

penditure of certain moneys therefor by the townships through which said road passes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 344 (file No. 186), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Flushing, in Genesee county, Michigan, to borrow money to be used in public improvements in and for the benefit of said township, and to issue bonds therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Stark moved that a respectful message be sent to the House asking for the return of

House bill No. 888 (file No. 271), entitled

A bill to change the termination of the fiscal year of the State from September thirtieth to June thirtieth,

Which motion prevailed.

The President *pro tem.* announced that the time of 2:30 o'clock P. M. had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being for the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 409 (file No. 261), entitled

A bill appropriating money for additional buildings, improvements and general repairs for the State Prison at Jackson.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order,

Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Campbell to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: Senate bill No. 409 (file No. 261), entitled

A bill appropriating money for additional buildings, improvements and general repairs for the State prison at Jackson,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

DANIEL CAMPBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the bill as follows: By striking out line 16, sec. 1,

On which Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman	Palmer,	Stark,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Holbrook,	Rairden,		11

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Mr. Barton,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Westgate,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Roof,	President	
Fox,			<i>pro tem.</i>	17

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Stark,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Moon,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President	
Deyo,	Howell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i>	23

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Mr. O'Reilly,		1
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

1. Senate bill No. 212 (file No. 142), entitled

A bill to authorize suits to be brought at law or in equity against navigation companies organized under the laws of this State for the purpose of engaging in the business of maritime commerce or navigation within this State, or upon the frontier lakes or other navigable waters, natural or artificial, connected therewith, in the courts of any county in this State in which the boats of such company call and do business,

2. Senate bill No. 177 (file No. 85), entitled

A bill to provide for the better protection of lives of passengers and employes on railroad trains.

FLOYD L. POST, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the Senate take a recess until 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Pending which,

Mr. Deyo moved that the Senate adjourn,

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.	Hubbell,			6

And the Senate adjourned.

Lansing, May 20, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.* at 10 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by Rev. Mr. Bullock.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Atwood.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Atwood until Tuesday, May 24.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

MICHIGAN SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND, }
Lansing May 19, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR: The members of the Senate and friends are cordially invited to be present at an entertainment given in honor of the Legislature by the pupils of the Michigan school for the blind, on Friday evening, May 20, 1887.

J. F. McELROY, *Supt.*

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 722. By Mr. Monroe: Petition of Henry King, L. A. Spencer and 13 other citizens of Kibbie, Van Buren county, asking for the passage of a local option law with higher taxes, increased bonds and greater restriction of the liquor traffic.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on military affairs:

The committee on military affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 656 (file No. 276), entitled

A bill to organize a medical corps of the Michigan State troops,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 290, entitled

A bill to reincorporate the village of Red Jacket, in the county of Houghton, in the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to reincorporate the village of Red Jacket, now incorporated under an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Red Jacket, in Calumet township, Houghton county, approved March 19, 1875, under the provisions of act No. 62 of the public acts of 1875, entitled An act granting and defining the powers and duties of incorporated villages," approved April 1st, 1875, and the several acts amendatory thereof, being chapter 81 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, and the amendments thereto.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid upon the table.

Mr. Gorman gave notice that within the prescribed time he would move to reconsider the vote, by which the Senate passed

Senate bill No. 409 (file No. 261), entitled

A bill appropriating money for additional buildings, improvements and general repairs for the State prison at Jackson.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 346 (file No. 355), entitled

A bill to provide for the completion and furnishing of the State house of correction and branch of the State prison at Marquette, in the upper peninsula, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on state affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 24, entitled

A bill requiring the judges of the supreme court to reside in Lansing,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 359, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Iron Mountain, in the county of Menominee,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the Michigan Business Men's Association, and auxiliary associations,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute be printed for the use of the committee.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed for the use of the committee.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 19, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 652, entitled

A bill to amend sections 23, 24, 28, 47, 57, 87, 92, 96, 99 and 101 of act No. 219 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Ionia," approved March 21, 1873, and all acts and parts of acts amendatory of said sections, and to add thereto five new sections to stand as sections 108, 109, 110, 111 and 112,

2. House bill No. 129 (file No. 386), entitled

A bill to prevent the obstruction of sewers in the city of Detroit by water pipes, gas pipes, or other pipes,

3. House bill No. 418 (file No. 382), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State board of fish commissioners for the year ending June 30, 1888, and the year ending June 30, 1889,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Roof,

The bill was laid on the table.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on fisheries.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 19, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 355 (file No. 342), entitled

A bill to protect children and prevent them from being educated in immorality and crime,

Which the Senate amended as follows:

First, By striking out of lines 5 and 6, section 1, the words "saloon or other place where intoxicating liquors or wine is sold, given away or furnished as a beverage;"

Second, By striking out of line 8, section 2, the words "or private charitable institution;"

Third, By inserting in line 9, section 2, after the word "girls" the words "or to its parents,"

And to inform the Senate that in said amendments the House non-concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Deyo moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 19, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 97 (file No. 407), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of article 2 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, being an act entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 177 of public acts of 1877, approved May 22, 1877, being compiler's section 3323 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 116, public acts of 1883, approved May 24, 1883,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on railroads.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 19, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 78 (file No. 251), entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Sherman, in the county of Wexford,

In the passage of which, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 19, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 888 (file No. 271), entitled

A bill to change the termination of the fiscal year of the State from September 30th to June 30th;

In compliance with the request of the Senate for the return of the same, this day received.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill having passed the Senate,

On motion of Mr. Stark,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 19, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 470 entitled

A bill to amend section 22 of act No. 134 of the session laws of 1859, entitled An act to incorporate the city of Niles, approved February 12th, 1859, as amended by the several acts supplemental or amendatory thereto, and to add three new sections thereto to stand as sections 54, 55 and 56 of said act,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Pending reference to the committee on engrossment and enrollment,

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Howell moved to take from the table

House bill No. 656 (file No. 276), entitled

A bill to organize a medical corps of the Michigan State troops,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

Mr. Roof moved to take from the table

House bill No. 652, entitled

A bill to amend sections 23, 24, 28, 47, 57, 87, 92, 96, 99 and 101 of act No. 319 of the session laws of 1873, entitled An act to incorporate the city of Ionia, approved March 21, 1873, and all acts and parts of acts amendatory of said sections, and to add thereto five new sections to stand as sections 108, 109, 110, 111 and 112,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

The bill was referred to the committee on cities and villages.

Mr. Palmer moved to take from the table

House bill No. 429 (file No. 330), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from graded school district No. 4, of the townships of Evergreen, Sidney, Bushnell and Fairplains, and from primary school districts Nos. 1 and 5 of the township of Sidney, and from fractional district No. 6 of the townships of Evergreen and Sidney, in the county of Montcalm, and to erect and make the same into a primary school district, and to provide for the first meeting of said district,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,	President
Deyo,	Moon,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Edwards,			

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sharp moved that

Senate bill No. 208 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of stenographers in the several judicial circuits of this State, to define their powers and duties, to fix their compensation, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith,

Be reprinted before transmission to the House,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Moon moved to take from the table

House bill No. 123 (file No. 107), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of State auditors to audit the claim of Alphonzo Button, of the Curtenius Guards, of Mason, Michigan (an organized volunteer uniformed militia company, under the laws of the State of Michigan), as compensation for injuries sustained by him from premature discharge of cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty in

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drill and exercise in celebrating the anniversary of our national independence at the village of Mason, in the county of Ingham and State of Michigan, on the 3d day of July, 1858,

And the substitute adopted therefor, being
Senate manuscript joint resolution, entitled

Joint resolution to authorize and instruct the board of State auditors to examine into and if they deem it justifiable, to allow the claim of Alphonzo Button for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty as a member of the gun squad of the Curtenius Guard (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company organized under the laws of the State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 3d day of July, 1858,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the joint resolution was placed on its immediate passage.

The joint resolution was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,	
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	President,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the joint resolution was ordered to take immediate effect.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell.

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order.

Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Edwards to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:
House bill No. 346 (file No. 355), entitled

A bill to provide for the completion and furnishing of the State house of correction and branch of the State prison at Marquette, in the Upper Peninsula, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 483 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 9, of article 2, of the session laws of 1873, being "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in the State," as amended by act number 116 of the session laws of 1883,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the bill be recommitted to the committee on railroads.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the second named bill, and the same was recommitted to the committee on railroads.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 126 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to prevent crime and to punish truancy,

Was read a third time and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 346 (file No. 355), entitled

A bill to provide for the completion and furnishing of the State house of correction and branch of the State prison at Marquette, in the Upper Peninsula, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I. Mr. Edwards,
Barringer, Fox,
Barton, Giddings,
Campbell, Gorman,
Crosby, Howell,
Deyo, Hubbell,

Mr. Moon,
O'Reilly,
Palmer,
Potter,
Rairden,
Roof,

Mr. Sharp,
Stark,
Willits,
Wisner,
President
pro tem., 23

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Barton to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 490 (file No. 228), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Porter, in the county of Midland, State of Michigan, to borrow money for the payment of the outstanding township and highway orders, or other indebtedness, and issue its bonds therefor,

Senate bill No. 286 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill relative to the improvement and maintenance of highways, and the repairing and preservation of bridges within the State,

Senate bill No. 326 (file No. 229), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the vacation of the township burying ground in the township of Paris, in the county of Kent, located on the east half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, town six north, range 11 west," approved March 1, 1887,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

W. W. BARTON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: a quorum present.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President *pro tem.* called Mr. Moon to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

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The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 450 (file No. 226), entitled

A bill to legalize the proceedings had in laying out and completing a certain ditch or drain in the township of Leroy, in the county of Ingham, and to legalize the tax therefor,

Senate bill No. 360 (file No. 233), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 70 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, being compiler's section 2247, relative to bounty for killing wolves,

Senate bill No. 226 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill to amend section twenty (20) of chapter two hundred and forty-nine (249) of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section nine thousand two hundred and ninety-six (9296) of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to offenses against chastity, morality, and decency,

Senate bill No. 118 (file No. 51), entitled

A bill to provide for the adoption and change of name of minors, and for making them heirs-at-law of their adopted parents,

House bill No. 404 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 11 of act No. 243 of the public acts of 1881, entitled, "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishing, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State,

House bill No. 285 (file No. 370), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 6, 7, 12 and 14, of chapter 21, of Howell's annotated statutes, being compiler's sections 799, 801, 802, 807 809, and relative to partition fences.

Senate bill No. 89 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to prevent gambling in stocks, bonds, petroleum, cotton, grain, provisions and other produce.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

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The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate file No. 257, being Senate reprint of House bill No. 469 (file No. 293), entitled

A bill to amend sections 9 and 10 of chapter 170 of the compiled laws of Michigan of 1871, being compiler's sections 6231 and 6232 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to divorce, and to add three new sections to said chapter to stand as sections 44, 45 and 46.

Senate file No. 243, being Senate reprint of House bill No. 57 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend sections 13 and 16 of chapter 3, sections 1 2, 4, 18, 22, 24, 25 and 33 of chapter 4, sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 5, section 1 of chapter 6, sections 1, 8, 9, 13, 15, 17, 21, 25 and 65 of chapter 7, section 1 of chapter 8, sections 1, 7 and 8 of chapter 10, sections 9, 20, 24 and 28 of chapter 11, and to repeal sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 66 of chapter 7, and sections 2 and 3 of chapter 8, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, and to add to chapter 8 of said act four new sections to stand as sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, so as to abolish the board of councilmen and to establish a board of estimates in and for the city of Detroit,"

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Gorman offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Inspectors of the State prison be and it is hereby requested to procure from Messrs. Scott & Co. of Detroit estimates of the pence of extending the east wing of the prison so as to provide for a continuance of the cell blocks now in said wing so as to furnish cells for 200 convicts;

Also, the expense of constructing a building and cell block, of a character equally substantial as the eastern extension of the east wing, for the accommodation of 200 convicts, said cells to be three tiers in height, and also an estimate of the extra cost to make an additional tier of cells.

Which was not adopted.

Mr. Giddings moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate yesterday passed

Senate bill No. 409 (File No. 261), entitled

A bill appropriating money for additional buildings, improvements and general repairs for the State prison at Jackson,

Pending which,

Mr. Howell moved to lay the motion, to reconsider, on the table,

On which,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay upon the table then prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	President
Fox,	Moon,	Stark,	<i>pro tem.</i> 15

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Crosby,	Harshaw,		10

Mr. Willits moved that when the Senate adjourn it adjourn to meet Saturday, May 21, at 9 o'clock A. M.,

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to himself.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to himself.

On motion of Mr. Post,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Tuesday, May 24.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 78 (file No. 251), entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Sherman, in the county of Wexford,
J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 20, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled joint resolution:

Senate joint resolution, being Senate substitute for House bill No. 123 (file No. 167), entitled

Joint resolution to authorize and instruct the board of State auditors to examine into, and if they deem it justifiable, to allow the claim of Alphonzo Button for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty as a member of the gun squad of the Curtenius Guard (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company organized under the laws of the State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 3d day of July, 1858,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The joint resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 20, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 334 (file No. 299), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 233 session laws of 1869, entitled An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit, approved February 24, 1869, and all acts amendatory thereto, by adding a section thereto to stand as section 24,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take effect January 1, 1888, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 20, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 297, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 349 of the local acts of 1875, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Freemont, in the county of Newaygo, approved April 23, 1875, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 20, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled, bills:

1. House bill No. 814, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Big Rapids, in the county of Mecosta, to borrow money to be used in the construction of bridges across the Muskegon river, and in building and grading the approaches thereto, and to issue their bonds therefor,

2. House bill No. 326 (file No 388), entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Cheboygan, in the county of Cheboygan, to erect, operate and maintain an electric light plant in connection with its water works,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Barton,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,
Deyo,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> 23

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
 Lansing, May 20, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 719 (file No. 387), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of central and local associations of mint growers,

2. House bill No. 895 (file No. 264), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of additional land for the use of the State public school.

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on State public school.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 490 (file No. 228), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Porter, in the county of Midland, State of Michigan, to borrow money for the payment of the outstanding township and highway orders, or other indebtedness, and issue its bonds therefor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 22
Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,	

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect:

Mr. Stark moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Gorman offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn to-day it stand adjourned until Monday evening at 9:30 P. M.

On which,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The resolution was then not adopted by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Westgate,	
Fox,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	Willits,	
Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,		11

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Sharp,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Moon,	President	
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i>	11

Mr. Sharp moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Potter,	President,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i>	
Edwards,	Moon,			9

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Rairden,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Mayo,	Roof,	Willits,	
Fox,	O'Reilly,			14

Mr. Roof moved that the Senate adjourn until Monday, May 23, at 2 o'clock P. M.

On which

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Rairden,	Westgate,	
Barton,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	Willits,	
Fox,				13

NAYS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	President	
Edwards,	Mayo,		<i>pro tem.</i>	10

The President *pro tem.* announced that the Senate would stand adjourned until Monday, May 23, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Lansing, May 23, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.* at 2 o'clock P. M.

Roll called: not a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. W. I. Babcock, Campbell, Fox, Gorman, Hubbell, Mayo, Moon, Potter, Roof, Sharp, Stark, Willits, Wisner.

Mr. Crosby moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Pending which,

Mr. O'Reilly moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed.

Lansing, May 24, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.* at 10 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Willits.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. Willits.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 723. By Mr. Seymour: Petition of John R. Wright, supervisor, and others asking for the passage of Senate bill No. 193 relating to the public schools of Au Train.

Referred to to committee on education and public schools.

No. 724. By Mr. Stark: Remonstrance of Ousterhout & Fox Lumber Co., Osterhout & Hughart Lumber Co., Rickerson Roller Mills Co., Putnam & Barnhart Lumber Co., The Barnhart Lumber Co., and The Anti Kalsomine Co., against the passage of the Rogers' bill regulating charges on Michigan railroads.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

The remonstrance was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the remonstrance:

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 23, 1887.

Hon. G. P. Stark, State Senator, Lansing Mich.,

DEAR SIR:—We learn that a bill is pending before the Legislature of this State, of which you are an honorable member, introduced by one Mr. Rogers of Barry Co., entitled "An act to regulate freight charges on Michigan railroads," which we understand embodies among other features the pernicious and senseless, long and short haul clause of the Inter-state commerce law.

We firmly believe that such a law would be very detrimental to the lumber

interests as well as the general interests of the State, as it must of necessity localize and restrict the territory natural to the trade in general, and we write you and request that you do everything in your power to defeat the passage of any such bill, believing that it would be for our general interest to have the same defeated.

Very respectfully yours,

OSTERHOUT & FOX LUMBER CO.,
OSTERHOUT & HUGHART LUMBER CO.
PERKINS ROLLER MILL CO.,
PUTNAM & BARNHART LUMBER CO.,
THE BARNHART LUMBER CO.,
ANTI CALCIMINE CO.,

Referred to the committee on railroads.

No. 725. By Mr. Holbrook: Remonstrance of Geo. S. Culver, C. A. Bacon, L. B. Huntington and 17 other business men of Laingsburg, against the enactment of any law taxing druggists for the sale of liquors when sold for medicinal or mechanical purposes.

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No 509 (file No. 357), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1344 and 1345 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the recording of the town plats and the vacations of the same, as amended by act No. 108, session laws of 1873, approved April 17, 1873, being compiler's sections 1473 and 1474 of Howell's annotated statutes as amended by act No. 111 of the public acts of 1885, approved May 21st, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 358, entitled

A bill to amend section 12 of act No. 161 of the session laws of 1855, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Three Rivers," approved February 13, 1855, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, by adding thereto a new subdivision to stand as No. 60,

JOHN RAIRDEN, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 262, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 22, 27, 31,

33, 34, 45, 46, 47 and 48, of act No. 372 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Flint," approved March 20, 1867, and the acts amendatory thereof, and to add ten new sections,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 28, 31, 33, 34, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 58, 61 and 64 of act No. 372 of the laws of 1867 entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Flint," approved March 20, 1867, and the acts amendatory thereof, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 65 of said act,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on liquor traffic :

The committee on liquor traffic, to whom was referred

House bill No. 504 (file No. 414), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, having the same title,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and be printed and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary :

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 251 (file No. 98), entitled

A bill to amend section 22 of chapter 7 of act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883,

With special instructions in relation thereto, in conformity with such instructions,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State public school:

The committee on State public school, to whom was referred

House bill No. 895 (file No. 264), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of additional land for the use of the State public school,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on State public school:

The committee on State public school, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 183, entitled

A bill to amend chapter 52 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the protection of children in certain cases, by adding four new sections thereto, to stand as sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 of said act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 297, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 349 of the local acts of 1875 entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Fremont, in the county of Newaygo," approved April 23, 1875, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof:

2. Senate joint resolution, being Senate substitute for House bill No. 123 (file No. 167), entitled

Joint resolution to authorize and instruct the board of State auditors to examine into and if they deem it justifiable, to allow the claim of Alphonzo Button for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty as a member of the gun squad of the Curtenius Guard (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company organized under the laws of the State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 3d day of July, 1858,

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, May 23, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

Senate bill No. 377 (file No. 120), entitled

A bill to amend sections 107, 109 and 111 of chapter 10 of the compiled laws of 1871, being sections 626, 628 and 630 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the appointment and qualification of notaries public and the duties of county clerks relative thereto,

Also,

Senate bill No. 177 (file No. 85), being

An act to provide for the better protection of lives of passengers and employes on railroad trains.

Also,

Senate bill No. 212 (file No. 142), entitled

An act to authorize suits to be brought at law or in equity against navigation companies organized under the laws of this State for the purpose of engaging in the business of maritime commerce or navigation within this State, or upon the frontier lakes or other navigable waters, natural or artificial, connected therewith, in the courts of any county in this State in which the boats of such company call and do business,

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

The message was laid upon the table.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, May 21, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

Senate bill No. 78 (file No. 251), being

An act to incorporate the village of Sherman in the county of Wexford.

C. G. LUCE, Governor.

The message was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. }
Lansing, May 21, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 452 (file No. 185), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 7 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and pri-

vate roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, being section 1384 of Howell's annotated statutes,

And to inform the Senate that the House has adopted a substitute for the same, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 2, and section 6 of chapter 7 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, entitled, "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, being sections 1325 and 1384 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which bill so substituted has passed the house by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The substitute for the bill was read a first and second time by its title, and Pending concurrence in its adoption,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 21, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 235 (file No. 352), entitled

A bill to protect fish and regulate fishing in the lakes, rivers and streams, within and bordering the State, by providing close seasons for fishing, prohibiting the sale of certain kinds of fish, to protect persons engaged in fish culture, and to repeal sections 5, 6 and 9, of act No. 350, of the session laws of 1865, approved March 21, 1865; act No. 211 of the session laws of 1865, approved March 16, 1865; act No. 80 of the session laws of 1869, approved March 30, 1869; act No. 104 of the public acts of 1877, approved May 9, 1877, act No. 276 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 11, 1881; act No. 5 of the public acts of 1883, approved February 21, 1883; act No. 55 of the public acts of 1883, approved April 27, 1883; act No. 184 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 8, 1883,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on fisheries.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 21, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 525 (file No. 278), entitled

A bill to amend act number 260 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 10, 1881, being chapter 52 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the protection of children in certain cases, by adding thereto four new sections to stand as sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 of said act,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on State public school.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, May 21, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate bill No. 198 (file No. 133), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of the county of Houghton, in this State, to borrow money upon the bonds of said county for the purpose of constructing a free bridge across Portage lake in said county,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, May 21, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 242, entitled

A bill to attach certain lands in the county of Houghton to the township of Portage, in said county,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The bill was laid on the table.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 20, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 301 (file No. 412), entitled

A bill authorizing the common council of the city of Port Huron to make a re-assessment to defray the expense of a public improvement on Pine Grove Avenue, a street in said city, from Suffern street to the northern limits of said city, being the pavement of said street, and to legalize previous acts of the common council in reference thereto,

2. House bill No. 707, entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of draining, excavating, constructing and maintaining water courses with water power appurtenant thereto, for accumulating, storing, conducting, selling, furnishing, and supplying upon an agreed rental water and water-power, for mining, milling, manufacturing, domestic, municipal. and agricultural purposes, and for purposes of navigation,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Edwards moved to take from the general order

House bill No. 504 (file No. 371), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor law of this State, and Senate substitute therefor with the same title,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Edwards moved that the further consideration of the bill be made the special order for Friday, May 27, at 2 o'clock P. M., and continuously thereafter at the same hour until the bill is disposed of,

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

Mr. Sharp moved to take from the table

House bill No. 283 (file No. 170), entitled

A bill to prevent the carrying of concealed weapons and to provide punishment therefor,

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. O'Reilly moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 3, section 2, after the word "jail" the words "or the house of corection of Detroit,"

On which,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Roof,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Sharp,
Crosby,	O'Reilly,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Gorman,			

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Stark,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Laing,			10

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Westgate moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of section 2 the following words, "Provided, the provision relative to the sentencing of prisoners to the Detroit house of correction shall apply only to Wayne county,"

On which

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Westgate,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Moon,	President,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	
Edwards,	Laing,	Stark,		14

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Roof,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	Sharp,	
Gorman,	O'Reilly,			10

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 2, sec. 1, after the words "night-watch" the words "legitimately employed as such,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Post,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Moon,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Fox,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	President	
Gorman,			<i>pro tem.</i>	21

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Barton,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Stark,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Mayo,	

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Atwood moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 262, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 28, 31, 33, 34, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 61 and 64 of act No. 372, of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Flint," approved March 20, 1867, and the acts amendatory thereof and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 65 of said act,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Babcock, W. L.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Barton,	Howell,	Rairden, -	President
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem,</i>
Edwards,	Laing,	Seymour,	

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. W. I. Babcock moved to take from the table

House bill No. 707, entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of draining, excavating, constructing and maintaining water courses with water power appurtenant thereto, for accumulating, storing, conducting, selling, furnishing and supplying upon an agreed rental, water and water power for mining, milling, manufacturing, domestic, municipal and agricultural purposes and for purposes of navigation,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee on canals and river and harbor improvements.

Mr. Westgate moved to take from the table

House bill No. 355 (file No. 342), entitled

A bill to protect children and prevent them from being educated in immorality and crime,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Westgate moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate amended the bill as follows:

By striking out of lines 5 and 6 of section 1 the words "saloon or other place where intoxicating liquor or wine is sold, given away or furnished as a beverage;"

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion to amend,

The same did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of section 2 the following words: "Provided that the provisions of this section shall not be applicable to the proprietor or keeper of any hotel, nor shall they apply to the proprietor or keeper of any saloon or restaurant whose residence is in a building other than that in which their business is carried on."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Pending the passage of the bill,

Mr. Edwards moved that the bill be referred to the committee on the judiciary,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 290, entitled

A bill to reincorporate the village of Red Jacket, now incorporated under an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Red Jacket, in Calumet township, Houghton county, approved March 19, 1875, under the provisions of act No. 62 of the public acts of 1875, entitled An act granting and defining the powers and duties of incorporated villages," approved April 1st, 1875, and the several acts amendatory thereof, being chapter 81 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, and the amendments thereto.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Edwards,	Mayo,		

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the bill be ordered to take effect March 2, 1888,

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that

Senate bill No. 119 (file No. 263), entitled

A bill to provide for recording mortgages in separate books for separate

assessing districts in counties, and to prescribe the duties of boards of supervisors, registers of deeds, assessing and other officers in relation thereto,

Be advanced on the general order and made second to the bills making appropriations.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Crosby moved that the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 224 (file No. 56), entitled

A bill to provide for the uniform assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes and return of delinquent taxes thereon,

Be made the special order for Thursday, May 26, at 2 30 o'clock P. M.

Pending which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend by making the time Wednesday, June 1.

Which motion did not prevail.

The original motion then prevailed.

Mr. Westgate moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 154 (file No. 126) entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 200 of the session laws of 1885, being an act entitled "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons."

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Westgate moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out section 3 of the bill, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following words to stand as section 3: "Before entering upon the discharge of their duties, each member of said board shall take and subscribe before some person authorized to administer oaths, the constitutional oath of office, and file the same in the office of the Secretary of State. The said board shall keep its office and records at the executive office, in Lansing, and the executive clerk of the Governor shall be clerk of said board, and shall receive as compensation for such additional services as clerk of such board a salary not to exceed four hundred dollars per annum,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	President,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Roof,	<i>pro tem</i>
Edwards,	Moon,		
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate then took a recess until 2 o'clock, P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem*.

Roll called: quorum present.

By unanimous consent,

The President *pro tem*. announced the following:

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, May 24, 1887. }

To the Senate:

Permit me to respectfully direct the attention of your honorable body to House bill No. 445 (file No. 356), being a bill "to provide additional fire protection at the Michigan Soldiers' Home, at Grand Rapids, and to make appropriation therefor."

The board of control of the Soldiers' Home, in presenting their estimates for expenses and improvements, included therein an item of \$18,000 for building and furnishing a hospital. The same, in the wisdom of the Legislature was struck out, and which action I desire to commend as, in my opinion, wise.

It is, however, a fact that a large percentage of the old veterans on reaching the Home require hospital treatment and accommodations, and for which provision should be made at the earliest possible day.

The following communication is herewith submitted:

MICHIGAN SOLDIERS' HOME, }
Grand Rapids, Mich., May 20, 1887. }

At a meeting of the board of managers of the Michigan Soldiers' Home, held May 20, 1887, the following was offered by Gen. R. A. Alger, manager, and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Governor be respectfully requested to ask the Legislature to appropriate three thousand dollars for fitting up hospital rooms in the fourth story of the Home.

Official.

JAMES W. LONG, *Adjutant*.

Official copy respectfully forwarded to Gov. Luce.

(Signed)

B. R. PIERCE, *Commandant*.

The rooms referred to, in the fourth story of the Home, are entirely suitable for hospital purposes and are now unfinished and unused. It is believed they can be fitted up for \$2,500 and be made to serve the end sought. This will, however, require another expenditure for power to run the elevator, and which will cost, as carefully estimated, not less than \$3,000. This would also afford the protection against fire, of which the Home is now destitute. These items I most earnestly recommend, both in the interest of humanity and economy.

There is also a floating debt of the home amounting to \$7,800, for which no provision has been made by appropriation and which is commended to the consideration of your honorable body.

In the bill recently passed, and which has become a law, making appropriation for expenses and improvements at the soldiers' home, the same was made up of a large number of items, which will occasion great annoyance in their use and in making up accounts.

It is therefore respectfully recommended that you incorporate in the above bill a provision classifying the appropriation aforesaid under two heads, viz: For current expenses and for permanent improvements.

Very respectfully,

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The message was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Michigan soldiers' home:

The committee on Michigan soldiers' home, to whom was referred

House bill No. 445 (file No. 356), entitled

A bill to provide additional fire protection at the Michigan soldiers' home at Grand Rapids and to make an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide additional fire protection at the Michigan soldiers' home at Grand Rapids and for other purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed and referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 184 (file No. 68), entitled

A bill to provide for the completion and furnishing of the State house of correction and branch of the State prison at Marquette, in the upper peninsula, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Atwood to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: Senate bill No. 184 (file No. 68), entitled

A bill to provide for the completion and furnishing of the State house of correction and branch of the State prison at Marquette in the Upper Peninsula, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the relief of the sufferers by fire in the village of Lake Linden, in the county of Houghton, State of Michigan,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	President
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Holbrook moved to take from the table

House bill No. 52 (file No. 190), entitled

A bill to regulate the use of steam traction engines on the public highways,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook

The rules were suspended, two thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon, ■

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 1, section 2 the words "occupying or," also by

striking out of line 4, section 2 the words "occupying or using," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "traveling upon,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to further amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 12, section 1, the word "immediately,"

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Gorman moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of section 1, line 7, the words "at least ten rods and not more than forty rods in advance," and also the words "and warn" and insert in place of the latter words the word "any,"

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Laing,	Potter,	Westgate	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Fox,				21

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Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,	4
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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Holbrook moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to regulate the use of steam engines, steam wagons or other vehicles which are in whole or in part operated by steam on the public highways of this State, and to prohibit the blowing of steam whistles upon the public highways of this State,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take effect sixty days from the time of its approval by the Governor.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Wisner moved to take from the table

House bill No. 126 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to prevent crime and punish truancy,

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage,

It was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly	Mr. Westgate,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Wisner,	
Barton,	Laing,	Post,	President	
Crosby,	Moon,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	16
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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Mayo,	Roof,
Edwards,			

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Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid upon the table.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 326 (file No. 229), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of an act entitled "An act to authorize the vacation of the township burying ground in the township of Paris, in the county of Kent, located on the east half of the southeast quarter of section 17, town 6 north, range 11 west," approved March 1, 1887,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding to the end of line 1, amended section 1, the words "of health,"

Which motion did not prevail, and the bill was not so amended.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Edwards,			

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 286 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill relative to the improvement and maintenance of highways, and the repairing and preservation of bridges within the State,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	President
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Seymour moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 278, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Sault Ste Marie,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The bill was referred to the committee on cities and villages.

By unanimous consent

The following report was submitted:

To the Senate and House of Representatives :

The joint committee of the Senate and House to whom was referred the question of the distribution of Legislative Manuals, would respectfully report that there has been distributed during the session of the Legislature by concurrent resolution Manuals to the number of 76 to the employés of Senate and House, newspaper reporters and ministers of the gospel officiating in either House, leaving on hand subject to distribution (when the 1,500 now being printed are completed), the number of 3,624.

Your committee recommend the distribution of the balance of said manuals in accordance with the provisions of the accompanying resolution.

May 24th, 1887.

JNO. C. SHARP,
EDW'D E. EDWARDS,
J. W. GIDDINGS,
C. W. WISNER,
J. E. BARRINGER,
Senate Committee.

HENRY WATSON,
HENRY H. HOLT,
M. T. COLE,
F. H. HOSFORD,
House Committee.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The following is the resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), that the Secretary of State be directed to furnish Legislative Manuals as per the following schedule:

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President <i>pro tem.</i> of Senate.....	46
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Sergeant-at-Arms of House.....	5
Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk of Senate.....	2
Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk of House.....	2
Total.....	3624

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the report.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon the President called Mr. Barringer to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

1. Senate bill No. 119 (file No. 263), entitled

A bill to provide for recording mortgages in separate books for separate assessing districts in counties, and to prescribe the duties of boards of supervisors, registers of deeds, assessing and other officers in relation thereto,

2. House bill No. 863 (file No. 180), entitled

A bill to punish a male person above fourteen years of age for indecent and improper liberties with a female child under fourteen years of age,

3. House bill No. 414 (file No. 164), entitled

A bill to amend section numbered twenty-eight (28) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and powers of the supreme court," approved April 4, 1851, being section 6424 of Howell's compilation,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

JOHN E. BARRINGER, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The three named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate took up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate file No. 243, being substitute for House bill No. 57 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend sections 13 and 16 of chapter 3, sections 1, 2, 4, 18, 22, 24, 25 and 33 of chapter 4, sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 5, section 1 of chapter 6, sections 1, 8, 9, 13, 15, 17, 21, 25 and 65 of chapter 7, section 1 of chapter 8, sections 1, 7 and 8 of chapter 10, sections 9, 20, 24 and 28 of chapter 11, and to repeal sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 66 of chapter 7, and sections 2 and 3 of chapter 8, of an act entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, and to add to chapter 8 of said act four new sections to stand as sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, so as to abolish the board of councilmen and to establish a board of estimates in and for the city of Detroit,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,
By unanimous consent.

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of chapter IV, section 1, line 4, the word "two" and inserting the word "four," also by reinserting in line 6 and 7 of same section the following:

Provided, That there shall be no election for city clerk held before the annual charter election in the year 1889,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Gorman moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate adopted the amendments,

On which motion

Mr. Gorman called for the yeas and nays.

The motion to reconsider did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer, Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly, Palmer,	Mr. Roof, Sharp,	Mr. Stark,	7
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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Moon,	President	
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	<i>pro tem.</i>	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Potter,		18

By unanimous consent,

Mr. O'Reilly moved to further amend the bill as follows:

By striking out in chapter 7, section 8, lines 1 and 2, the words "made to and be confirmed by the common council," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "final."

Mr. Gorman called for the yeas and nays.

The amendment was not agreed to by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer, Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly, Rairden,	Mr. Roof, Sharp,	Mr. Stark,	7
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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Post,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Laing,	Potter,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Seymour,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,		19

By unanimous consent, Mr. Edwards moved to further amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of chapter 11, section 24, line 3, after the word "controller," the words "and treasurer,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Edwards moved to further amend the bill as follows:

By striking out all of chapter ten.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	President
Campbell,	Laing,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Crosby,			

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NAYS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Stark,
Gorman,			

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the title as follows:

By striking out the words "sections one, seven, and eight of chapter ten,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Mr. O'Reilly moved that the bill be ordered to take effect Jan. 1, 1888,

Which motion did not prevail, two-thirds of all the Senators elect not voting therefor.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Moon offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That until otherwise ordered, the daily sessions of the Senate shall commence at 9 o'clock A. M. and at 2 o'clock P. M.

Which was adopted.

By unanimous consent,

The following petition was received:

No. 726. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of Michael Shoemaker, C. E. Townsend, Charles E. Snow, Mrs. Helen O. Paddock, Mrs. Cornelia Jameson, and 417 other men and women of the city and county of Jackson, for the same suffrage to female tax payers as is now given by law to males.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The petition was ordered spread at length upon the Journal and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The following is the petition:

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan:

The undersigned citizens of the county of Jackson, believing that taxation and representation should go together, that rights and burdens should always correspond with each other, and as we know taxation without representation was the ground of complaint with our fathers, it being claimed that it was tyrannical and oppressive, on it was based the war of the revolution, it was the pretext of a seven years' bloody conflict with the mother country, and caused our separation from it. The same cause for rebellion exists to-day. For more than a century the nation has attempted to stand upon the same injustice which inaugurated the war of 1776. Therefore we most respectfully petition your honorable bodies to grant to female tax-payers the same right of suffrage granted by the statutes and laws of Michigan to males.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred House bill No. 652, entitled

A bill to amend sections 23, 24, 28, 47, 57, 87, 92, 96, 99 and 101 of act No. 219 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Ionia," approved March 21, 1873, and all acts and parts of acts amendatory of said sections, and to add thereto five new sections to stand as sections 108, 109, 110, 111 and 112,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD. E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> 27

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 290, entitled

A bill to reincorporate the village of Red Jacket, now incorporated under an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Red Jacket, in Calumet, township, Houghton county, approved March 19, 1875, under the provisions of act No. 62 of the public acts of 1875, entitled An act granting and defining the powers and duties of incorporated villages" approved April 1, 1875, and the several acts amendatory thereof, being chapter 81 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, and the amendments thereto.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hubbell then withdrew the motion to order the bill to take effect March 2, 1888.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, May 25, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem* at 9 o'clock P. M.

Roll called: a quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 727. Mr. J. W. Babcock presented the following telegraphic memorial which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

Hancock, Mich., May 24, 1887.

To Hon. F. A. Douglass:

Your burned out constituents, at Lake Linden, whose dependence is largely one, the insurance money due them, protest against the enactment of laws tending to oppose fire insurance companies and by demoralizing their business drive them from the more hazardous parts of our State. We need the security offered by substantial insurance, and we earnestly protest against enactment of laws tending to cripple this interest.

Wm. Harris, merchant; E. F. Sutton, merchant; Newman & Trelease, merchants; F. E. Fletcher, physician; F. Wieber & Co., butchers and grocers; Jas. Trather, undertaker; Edw. Henwood, hardware; Herman C. Muich, cashier of bank and real estate; H. Kettenbeil, owner of business block; Michael Mayer, saloon keeper; Thos. M. Pascoe, builder; B. G. Davey, blacksmith; J. H. Wilson, editor; E. Jollet, jeweler; H. D. Wilson, justice; Philo Fichtel, druggist; Hart & Leopold, clothiers; W. E. Gray, lawyer; L. Deschamps, druggist; D. W. Sutter, banker; Geo. W. Orr, physician; Jno. Cless, machinist; S. H. Hoeff, boots and shoes; Eucharist Brule, postmaster and hardware shop; Jno. Herman, jeweler; Louis Bussiere, livery; S. S. Commee, photographer; Jas. Hoar, accountant.

WRIGHT & STRINGER.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

No. 728. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Widdicomb Furniture Co., Sligh Furniture Co., Phoenix Furniture Co., Berkey & Gay Furniture Co., Nelson & Matter Furniture Co., W. A. Harrison Grand Rapids Chair Co., W. A. Berkey Furniture Co., Bissell Carpet Sweeper Co., Michigan Barrel works, Kent Furniture Manufacturing Co., Samuel Cupples Woodenware Co., Powers & Walker Casket Co., Grand Rapids Refrigerator Co., Valley City Milling Co., and 63 other manufacturers, asking for the passage of House bill No. 282, prohibiting combinations among fire insurance companies.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

The petition was ordered spread at length on the journal.

The following is the petition:

To the Hon. Senate of the Legislature of the State of Michigan:

We, the undersigned manufacturers of Grand Rapids, respectfully request you to work and vote for House bill No. 282, introduced by Representative Cole, prohibiting combinations among fire insurance companies.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

No. 729. By Mr. Post: Petition of Henry Hurt, R. W. Olason and 40 others asking for the passage of the Post tax bill (file No. 152).

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on insurance:

The committee on insurance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 908 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of mutual fire insurance companies and defining their powers and duties, and to repeal chapter 97 of the compiled laws of 1871, and also act No. 94 of the session laws of 1871," approved April 15, 1873, by adding a new section thereto to stand as section 23,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 198 (file No. 133), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of the county of Houghton in this State to borrow money upon bonds of said county for the purpose of constructing a free bridge across Portage Lake in said county.

FLOYD L. POST, *Acting Chairman*.

Report accepted.

By the committee on fisheries:

The committee on fisheries, to whom was referred

House bill No. 418 (file No. 382), entitled

A bill making appropriation for the State board of fish commissioners for the year ending June 30, 1888, and the year ending June 30, 1889,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 289 (file No. 219), entitled

A bill in relation to conveyances by foreign executors,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 210 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to amend secs. 4, 5, and 6, of act No. 200 of 1885, entitled "An act to establish an advisory board of pardons,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 149 (file 252), entitled

A bill to authorize the county of Presque Isle to issue bonds and to create a sinking fund for the payment thereof and of bonds heretofore issued,

Together with the Senate reprint thereof, being Senate file No. 260, having the same title,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the reprint of the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 827, entitled

A bill to legalize certain drain taxes in the township of Ganges, county of Allegan, and to authorize the supervisor of said township to re-spread the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 257 (file No 292), entitled

A bill to provide for the furnishing to the probate court of each organized county in this State with a full set of the reports of the Supreme Court of the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment.

and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State prison and State house of correction and reformatory at Ionia :

The committee on State prison and State house of correction and reformatory at Ionia, to whom was jointly referred

Senate bill No. 204, entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State prison, and to the house of correction and reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed us to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX,

Chairman Committee on State Prison.

LEWIS G. PALMER,

Chairman Committee on State House of Correction.

Report accepted and committees discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred,

House bill No. 568 (file No. 176), entitled

A bill to incorporate engineering societies,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 68 (file No. 359), entitled

A bill to provide for the re-issue of lost or destroyed certificates of stock of corporations or companies,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, May 24, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 358, being

An act to amend sec. 12 of act No. 161 of the session laws of 1855 entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Three Rivers," approved Feb. 13, 1855, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof by adding thereto a new subdivision to stand as number 60.

Also,

Senate bill No. 297, being

An act to amend section 1, of act No. 349 of the local acts of 1875, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Fremont in the county of Newaygo," approved April 23, 1875, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

Also,

Senate bill No. 198 (file No. 133), being

An act to authorize the board of supervisors of the county of Houghton, in this State, to borrow money upon the bonds of said county for the purpose of constructing a free bridge across Portage lake in said county.

Also,

Senate joint resolution, being

Joint resolution to authorize and instruct the board of State auditors to examine into, and if they deem it justifiable, to allow the claim of Alphonzo Button for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty as a member of the gun squad of the Curtinius Guard (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company organized under the laws of the State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 30th day of July, 1858.

C. G. LUCE, Governor.

The message was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills.

1. House bill No. 160, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Pinconning in Bay county, Michigan;

2. House bill No. 307, entitled

A bill granting the common council of the city of Kalamazoo power to vacate streets and alleys within the corporate limits of said city;

3. House bill No. 721, entitled

A bill authorizing the township of Portland, Ionia county, to borrow money to be used in the construction of a bridge, and to issue bonds therefor;

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on counties and townships.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 470, entitled

A bill to amend section 22, of act No. 134 of the session laws of 1859, entitled An act to incorporate the city of Niles, approved Feb. 12, 1859, as amended by the several acts supplemental or amendatory thereto, and to add 3 new sections thereto to stand as sections 54, 55 and 56 of said act.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was taken from the table and ordered returned to the House.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate file No. 249, being

Senate substitute for House bill No. 375, entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the president and trustees of the village of Saugatuck to vacate the public square, so called, in said village,

In the passage of which, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 254 (file No. 75), entitled

A bill to amend section 2, chapter 53, of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to disorderly persons, as amended by act 136 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 31, 1883,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out all of section one of the bill and inserting the following to stand as section one:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 2, chapter 53, of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 279, public acts of 1881, approved June 11, 1881, being compiler's section 1986 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to disorderly persons, as amended by act No. 136 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 31, 1883, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

2. By inserting in line 16, section 2, after the word "law" the following words: "But such imprisonment shall not exceed three months."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title of the bill as follows:

"A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 53 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 279, public acts of 1881, approved June 11, 1881, being compiler's section 1986 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to disorderly persons, as amended by act No. 136 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 31, 1883.

In the passage of which, as thus amended, and the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Fox,			<i>pro tem.</i> , 21

NAYS.

Mr. Laing,	Mr. O'Reilly,	2
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The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the title,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,
The Senate concurred.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 11 (file No. 5), entitled

A bill for the requiring of a civil license in order to marry, and the due registration of the same, and to provide a penalty for the violation of the provisions of the same,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same

1. By striking out of line 2, section 7, the word "wilfully;"

2. By striking out of line 3, section 7, the words "twenty dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "not exceeding one hundred dollars or ninety days imprisonment, or both, at the discretion of the court."

In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	President
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 19

NAYS.

Mr. Edwards,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Sharp,
Laing,			5

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 194 (file No. 392), entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for the erection of an addition to the normal school building, and for providing the necessary heating apparatus, furniture and fixtures therefor,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on State normal school.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bills:

1. House bill No. 802 (file No. 396), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Greenbush, in the county of Alcona, and organize the same into a separate township to be known as the township of Mikado.

2. House bill No. 734 (file No. 410), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 1 of act No. 223 of the local acts of 1883, entitled An act to incorporate the city of St. Ignace, approved March 14, 1883.

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on counties and townships.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing May 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 321 (file No. 389), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 7, as amended by act 52, session laws of 1883, section 20, of chapter 9, section 4, of chapter 11, as added and amended by act 245, session laws of 1879, approved May 31, 1879, of act No. 62, of the session laws of 1875, entitled An act granting and defining the powers and duties of incorporated villages, approved April 1, 1875, being sections 2847, 2942 and 2973, of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add one new section to said chapter 11, to stand as section 12.

2. House bill No. 505 (file No. 411), entitled

A bill to provide for the election of a mine inspector for each county possessing mines, and to define and prescribe his duties.

3. House bill No. 593 (file No. 373), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 312 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate the manner of electing trustees in school district No. 17, of the city of Jackson and township of Blackman," approved May 24, 1883, and to add six new sections thereto to stand as sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15 of said act,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on mines, minerals and mining interests.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on education and public schools.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Palmer moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed Senate file No. 243, being substitute for House bill No. 57 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend sections 13 and 16 of chapter 3, sections 1, 2, 4, 18, 22, 24, 25 and 33 of chapter 4, sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 5, section 1 of chapter 6, sections 1, 8, 9, 13, 15, 17, 21, 25 and 65 of chapter 7, section 1 of chapter 8, sections 9, 20, 24 and 28 of chapter 11, and to repeal sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 66 of chapter 7, and sections 2 and 3 of chapter 8, of an act entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, and to add to chapter 8 of said act four new sections to stand as sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, so as to abolish the board of councilmen and to establish a board of estimates in and for the city of Detroit,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of lines 6 and 7 of section 4, chapter IV, the following words:

"*Provided*, That there shall be no re-election for city clerk held before the annual charter election in the year 1889,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 4, section 1, chapter IV, the word "four" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "two,"

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

Pending which,
 Mr. Hubbell moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on cities and villages,
 On which,
 Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.
 The motion to recommit then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Hubbell,	
Campbell,	Fox,	Howell,	Laing,	8

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Post,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Stark,	
Barton,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	Westgate,	
Crosby,				17

The motion to amend then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Roof,	President	
			<i>pro tem.</i> ,	20

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Potter,		7

The bill as amended was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Mayo,	Rairden,	President,	
Campbell,	Moon,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	
Crosby,				16

NAYS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,	4
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Mr. Crosby moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Sharp moved that there be a call of the Senate,

On which

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.	Holbrook,	Moon,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Palmer,	Seymour,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Sharp,
Campbell,			

17

NAYS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Westgate,
Edwards,	Gorman,	Post,	President
Fox,	Laing,	Stark,	<i>Pro tem.</i> , 11

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary and Senator Wisner reported absent without leave.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table

House bill No. 242, entitled

A bill to attach certain lands in the county of Houghton to the township of Portage, in said county,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sharp moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 908 (file No. 201), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of mutual fire insurance companies and defining their powers and duties, and to repeal chapter 97 of the compiled laws of 1871, and also act No. 94, of the session laws of 1871, approved April 12, 1871," approved April 15, 1873, by adding a new section thereto to stand as section 23,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W.I.	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Howell	Post,	Stark,
Barton,	Laing.	Potter	Westgate
Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	President
Fox,	Moon,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

Mr Howell moved to take from the table

House bill No. 163. (file No. 86), entitled

A bill for the prevention and restriction of hydrophobia and glanders,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Fox moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 407, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the improvement and preservation of the State road in the township of Brookfield, Huron county, and for other purposes,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was referred to the committee on public lands.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 89 (file No. 240) entitled

A bill to prevent gambling in stocks, bonds, petroleum, cotton, grain, provisions and other produce,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Potter,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President
Campbell,	Laing,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 18
Edwards,	Moon,	Sharp,	

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Roof,	2
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Title agreed to.

Senate file No. 257, being Senate reprint of House bill No. 469 (file No. 293), entitled

A bill to amend sections 9 and 10 of chapter 170 of the compiled laws of Michigan of 1871, being compiler's sections 6231 and 6232 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to divorce, and to add three new sections to said chapter to stand as sections 44, 45 and 46,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	President
Campbell	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem</i> 23

NAYS.

Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof.	3
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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 285 (file No. 370), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 6, 7, 12 and 14, of chapter 21, of Howell's annotated statutes, being compiler's sections 799, 801, 802, 807, 809, relative to partition fences,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out section 14,

Pending which,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 5 of said section after the word "refuse" the words "for thirty days,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The motion to strike out section 14 then did not prevail.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Stark,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	<i>Pro tem.</i> , 23

NAYS.

Mr. Howell,	1
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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 118 (file No. 51), entitled

A bill to provide for the adoption and change of name of minors, and for making them heirs-at-law of their adopted parents,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Post,	President,
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 20
Fox,			

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I. Mr. Holbrook,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 404 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 11 of act No. 243 of the public acts of 1881, entitled, "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishing, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Roof,
Barton,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Post,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 24

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 226 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill to amend section twenty (20) of chapter two hundred and forty-nine (249) of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section nine thousand two hundred and ninety-six (9296) of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to offenses against chastity, morality, and decency,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Post,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Laing,	Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Roof
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barton,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	President,
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 24
Crosby,			

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 360 (file No. 233), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 70, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, being compiler's section 2247, relative to bounty for killing wolves,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Post,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Laing,	Potter,

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Roof,
Barton,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	President
Crosby,			<i>pro tem.</i> , 25

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Hubbell asked and obtained leave of absence for himself for the balance of the day.

The President *pro tem.* called Mr. Edwards to the chair.

House bill No. 450 (file No. 226), entitled

A bill to legalize the proceedings had in laying out and completing a certain ditch or drain in the township of Leroy, in the county of Ingham, and to legalize the tax therefor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	President,
Campbell,	Laing,		<i>temporary</i> , 22

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Roof,	2
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect:

Senate bill No. 119 (file No. 263), entitled

A bill to provide for recording mortgages in separate books for separate assessing districts in counties, and to prescribe the duties of boards of supervisors, registers of deeds, assessing and other officers in relation thereto,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Potter,
Barringer,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Rairden,
Campbell,	Mayo,	Post,	Sharp,
Gorman,			

13

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Roof,	President,
Barton,	Giddings,	Seymour,	<i>temporary</i> .
Crosby,	Laing,		9

Mr. Holbrook moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The bill was laid upon the table.

House bill No. 863 (file No. 180), entitled

A bill to punish a male person above fourteen years of age for indecent and improper liberties with a female child under fifteen years of age.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	President	
Campbell,	Laing,	Potter,	<i>temporary,</i>	24
Crosby,				0

NAYS.

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the title as follows: By striking out the word "fifteen" and inserting in lieu the word "fourteen,"

Which motion prevailed,

The title as amended was then agreed to.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that 500 extra copies of

Senate file No. 278, being

Senate substitute for

House bill No. 504 (file No. 371), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor law of this State,

Be ordered for the use of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met, and was called to order by the temporary President.

Roll call: a quorum present.

The Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 414 (file No. 164), entitled

A bill to amend section number 28 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and powers of the Supreme Court," approved April 4, 1851, being section 6424 of Howell's compilation,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Stark,
Campbell,	Laing,	Potter,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Rairden,	President
Fox,	Monroe,	Roof,	<i>temporary</i> , 23

NAYS.

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the title as follows:

By striking out the word "compilation" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "annotated statutes of Michigan,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

House bill No. 163 file No. 86), entitled

A bill for the prevention and restriction of hydrophobia and glanders,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows: By striking out all of section 4,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows: By inserting in line 2, sec. 1, after the word "any," the words "person or" and by inserting in line 5, after the word "infected," the words "person or,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Potter,	Stark,
Barringer,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Barton,	Monroe,		<i>temporary</i> , 14

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Giddings,	Laing,	Post,	Sharp,
Gorman,			

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Mr. Howell moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The bill was laid on the table.

The temporary President announced that the time of 2:30 o'clock had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being for the further consideration of
Senate bill No. 298 (file No. 238), entitled

A bill to provide for the penalty of death in certain cases of murder.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order,
Whereupon the temporary President called Mr. Westgate to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and, through their
chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the follow-
ing:

Senate bill No. 298 (file No. 238), entitled

A bill to provide for the penalty of death in certain cases of murder.

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause thereof, and ask the con-
currence of the Senate in their action.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the action of the committee of the
whole in striking out all after the enacting clause,

Mr. Post demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred in the action of the committee of the whole,
by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Seymour,
Barton,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	President
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	<i>temporary.</i>
Fox,	Laing,		17

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Post,	Sharp,	Westgate,
Crosby,			9

On motion of Mr. Post,

The title and enacting clause of the bill were laid on the table.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the regular order of business.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 730. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Oliver & Co., of Allegan, Mich., ask-
ing for the passage of House bill No. 282, prohibiting combinations among
fire insurance companies.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

The petition was ordered spread at length on the journal.

The following is the petition:

Hon. J. W. Babcock, Chairman Senate Committee on Insurance :

We, the undersigned, manufacturers of furniture, respectfully request you
to make a favorable report on House bill No. 282, introduced by Representa-
tive Cole, prohibiting combinations among fire insurance companies.

OLIVER & CO.,

Manufacturers of and Dealers in Furniture, Allegan.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

No. 731. By Mr. Stark: Petition of John Livingston, of Quincy, Michigan, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 732. By Mr. Stark: Petition of J. J. Strickland and M. Crover of Kalamazoo, on the same subject.

Same reference

No. 733. By Mr. Stark: Petition of the Stenglein Manufacturing Co. of Saginaw, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 734. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Curtis & Bennett of Charlotte, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 735. By Mr. Stark: Petition of J. Brown & Co. of Buchanan, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 736. By Mr. Stark: Petition of C. D. Stuart & Co., of Otsego, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 737. By Mr. Stark: Petition of the Wait Furniture Co., of Sturgis, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 738. By Mr. Stark: Petition of F. W. Brightman and Son, of Hillsdale, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference,

No. 739. By Mr. Stark: Petition of N. Harlow, of Coldwater, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 740. By Mr. Stark; Petition of Buchanan Manufacturing Co. on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 741. By Mr. Stark: Petition of the St. John's Manufacturing Company on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 742. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Kuebler & Gruner, of Ann Arbor, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 743. By Mr. Stark: Petition of See Brothers, of Bay City, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 744. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Pellett Brothers, of Flint, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 745. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Laminated Wood Manufacturing Company, of Kendall, Michigan, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 746. By Mr. Stark: Petition of E. T. Summer & Son of St. Johns, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 747. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Feige Silsbee Furniture Mf'y Co. of East Saginaw, on the same subject.

Same subject.

No. 748. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Grand Ledge Chair Co., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 749. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Big Rapids Furniture Co., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 750. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Kendall & Bradley of Detroit, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 751. By Mr. Stark: Petition of H. R. Cooley, of Owosso, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 752. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Mich. School Furniture Co. on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 753. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Faughner & Co., of Owosso, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 754. By Mr. Stark: Petition of the Lowell Furniture Co., of Lowell, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 755. By Mr. Stark: Petition of A. E. Palmer, of Hillsdale, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 756. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Charlotte Mfg. Co on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 757. By Mr. Stark: Petition of the Estey Mfg. Co., of Owosso, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 758. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Edson Howell and N. W. Lewis on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 759. By Mr. Stark: Petition of C. J. Warren, of Portland, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 760. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Prentiss Nevins & Co and 2 others of Otsego, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 761. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Pentwater Furniture Co., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 762. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Robbins Table Co., of Owosso, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 763. By Mr. Stark: Petition of the Colby Wringer Co., of Reading, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 764. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Frædrichs & Speck, of Detroit, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 765. By Mr. Stark: Petition of W. J. Murphy & Co., of Detroit, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 766. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Gray & Baffy, of Detroit, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 767. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Crescent Furniture and Mfg. Co., of Big Rapids, Mich., on the subject.

Same reference.

No. 768. By Mr. Stark: Petition of the Deinzer Furniture Co. of Detroit, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 769. By Mr. Stark: Petition of West Bay City Mfg. Co. on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 770. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Aulsbrook & Sturgis of Sturgis, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 771. By Mr. Stark: Petition of E. Aartz & Co. of Detroit, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 772. By Mr. Stark: Petition of the Muskegon Valley Furniture Co., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 773. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Mosselius & Bros. of Detroit, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 774. By Mr. Stark: Petition of F. Borchard of Detroit, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 775. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Spencer and Barnes, of Buchanan, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 776. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Black and Willard, of Buchanan, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 777. By Mr. Stark. Petition of Hunt, Crame and Co., of Detroit, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 778. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Geo. F. Doemling, of Detroit, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 779. By Mr. Stark: Petition of C. F. Bessenger, of Detroit, on the same subject.

No. 780. By Mr. Stark: Petition of Potter Mfg Co., of Pottersville, Mich., on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 781. By Mr. Post: Communication of Byron Burch, Chas. Brown, and 20 others asking for the passage of the two cent fare railroad bill.

Referred to the committee on railroads.

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By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 483 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of article 2 of the session laws of 1873, being "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," as amended by act No. 116 of the session laws of 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and made the special order for Tuesday, May 31, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 217 (file No. 234), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the State industrial home for girls for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill then was ordered re-printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

Horse bill No. 79 (file No. 393), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State agricultural college, for the erection and repair of buildings, and other improvements of said college for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State normal school:

The committee on State normal school, to whom was referred

House bill No. 194 (file No. 392), entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for the erection of an addition to the normal school building, and for providing the necessary heating apparatus, furniture and fixtures therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 300 (file No. 321), entitled

A bill to authorize the highway commissioners of the townships of Walker and Alpine in the county of Kent, to receive contributions in money or labor, to be expended under their direction in grading, graveling, and improving a certain road in said county, and to declare the said road forever a free road,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 746 (House file 301), entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of sidewalks in townships outside of villages and cities across drains and ditches and natural water courses,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 721, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Portland, Ionia county, to borrow money to be used in the construction of a bridge, and to issue bonds therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on State reform school:

The committee on State reform school, to whom was referred

House bill No. 620 (file No. 337), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 15 of act No. 172 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to amend sections 10 and 12 of chapter 268 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's sections 8135 and 8137, as amended by act No. 84, public acts of 1877, relative to the reform school, being sections 9817 and 9819 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, and to add a new section to stand as section 15,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on agricultural interests:

The committee on agricultural interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 312 (file No. 295), entitled

A bill to protect the owner or keeper of stallions,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN HOLBROOK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sharp

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The temporary President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, May 25, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 36 (file No. 140), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the university of Michigan,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same so as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That there shall be and is hereby appropriated out of the State treasury for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan, the following sums, to wit: For the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, one hundred and twelve thousand one hundred and fifteen dollars and ninety-four cents (\$112,115.94); and for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, eighty thousand four hundred and fifty

dollars (\$80,450), for the following purposes: For repairs for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000); and for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the sum of five thousand (\$5,000); for contingent expenses for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000); and for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000); for books for libraries for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000); and for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the sum of five thousand dollars, (\$5,000); for the homeopathic college and hospital for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of six thousand two hundred dollars (\$6,200); and for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the sum of six thousand two hundred dollars (\$6,200); for the university hospital for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000); and for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000); for the dental college for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000); and for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the sum of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000); for the purchase of apparatus for the department of natural philosophy for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000); and for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000); for defraying the expenses of the transportation and placing of the Rogers' collection of statuary for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three dollars and one cent (\$1,973.01); for defraying the expenses of transportation and the placing of the Chinese exhibit for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of one thousand seven hundred and ninety-two dollars and ninety-three cents (\$1,792.93); for the construction of a vault for the storage of chemicals for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of four hundred dollars (\$400); for the construction of rooms for a forge and foundry and for the equipment of the same for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000); and for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the sum of four thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (4,250); for machinery for the engineering laboratory for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of six thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$6,750); for the construction of a building for scientific laboratories and for the equipment of the same for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of forty thousand dollars (40,000); for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the sum thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000); for the erection of a boiler house, the purchase of boilers and of steam heating connections for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000); for additional salaries and teaching force for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000); for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

SEC. 2. There shall be assessed upon the taxable property of the State in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven the sum of one hundred and twelve thousand one hundred and fifteen dollars and ninety-four cents (\$112,115.94; and in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight the sum of eighty thousand four hundred and fifty dollars (80,450.00); which sums shall be assessed, levied and collected, in the same manner as other State

taxes are assessed, levied and collected, and which taxes when collected shall be credited up to the general fund to reimburse the same for the amount drawn therefrom as provided in section one of this act,

And further to inform the Senate that the bill as amended and recited above has, as a matter of convenience, been reprinted as House file No. 403,

In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was laid on the table.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 25, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill: House bill No. 296 (file No. 36~), entitled

A bill to regulate the freight tariff, to provide for a uniform classification of freight and maximum freight rates, and to prevent unjust discrimination in charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of freights upon the railroads in this State,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on railroads.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 25, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 235, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Marine City, in the county of St. Clair, and repeal act No. 328 of the local acts of 1885, approved, April 23, 1885, entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Marine City, in St. Clair county,"

Which was re-transmitted to the House as shown by former message, together with the objections of the Governor to the passage of the same,

No to inform the Senate that, in accordance with the provisions of the constitution, the bill and the message was presented to the House,

The question being "shall the bill pass, the objections of the Governor to

the contrary notwithstanding," and two-thirds of the members elect not voting therefor, the bill was not passed.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was laid upon the table.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 11, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 58 (file No. 123), entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road in Bay county to be known as "The Bay City and Au Sable State road extension."

2. House bill No. 61 (file No. 64), entitled

A bill to amend the title of act numbered 179 of the local acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan for the year 1885, and to amend section 2 of said act, being an act entitled "An act to authorize the county of Bay to buy and maintain or build a bridge across the Saginaw river,"

In compliance with a request this day received for the return of said bills.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The bills were returned to the House without further action,

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Roof moved to take from the table

House bill No. 721, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Portland, Ionia county, to borrow money to be used in the construction of a bridge, and to issue bonds therefor,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,	Mr. Giddings,
Babcock, J. W.	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Stark,
Campbell,	Laing,	Post,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Rairden,	President
Fox,	Monroe,	Roof,	<i>temporary.</i>

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Monroe moved that the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 471 (file No. 273), entitled

A bill to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking, and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business,

Be made the special order for May 26, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sharp offered the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (the House concurring), That from and after Wednesday, June 8th, 1887, the two branches of this Legislature will transact no other business than for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the approval of the Governor, and the entry of the same on the journal by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House, and the time for final adjournment of this Legislature shall be Saturday, June 11th. at 12 o'clock on that day.

Pending the adoption of which,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The resolution was laid upon the table.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The temporary President called Mr. Palmer to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: Senate bill No. 356 (file No. 244), entitled

A bill to amend section sixteen of local act number 316 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the public schools of the township of Maple Ridge, Alpena county,"

House bill No. 79 (file No. 393), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State agricultural college, for the erection and repair of buildings and other improvements at said college, for the years 1887 and 1888,

Senate joint resolution No. 24 (file No. 7), entitled

Joint resolution for the relief of Livonia B. Perrine,

House bill No. 531 (file No. 171), entitled

A bill to provide for the punishment of crimes committed by any person while confined on or before the expiration of his sentence in any of the penal institutions of this State.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 598 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to provide for blowers in establishments where emery wheels or emery belts are used,

Senate bill No. 181 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 8 of chapter 1 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement, and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing, and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, being continuous sections 1296 and 1303 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

House bill No. 492 (file No. 138), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of act 157 of the session laws of 1883, being compiler's section 7091 of Howell's annotated statutes, being an act entitled An act to protect the rights of laborers,

Senate bill No. 366 (file No. 247), entitled

A bill authorizing the poor commissioners of each county to contract with any institution in this State for the care and maintenance of idiotic and feeble-minded children between the ages of 8 and 16 years.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 358 (file No. 297), entitled

A bill to prohibit the use of scrip or store orders in the payment of wages of laborers in mines, mills, shops and factories.

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the bill be re-committed to the committee on labor.

IV.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 411 (file No. 328), entitled

A bill to prohibit the employment of children under fourteen years of age and of females under sixteen years of age for more than nine hours a day.

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the committee on the judiciary.

LEWIS G. PALMER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill, and the same was recommitted to the committee on labor.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee relative to

the fourth named bill, and the same was referred to the committee on judiciary.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table

Senate file No. 243, being substitute for House bill No. 57 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend sections 13 and 16 of chapter 3, sections 1, 2, 4, 18, 22, 24, 25 and 33 of chapter 4, sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 5, section 1 of chapter 6, sections 1, 8, 9, 13, 15, 17, 21, 25 and 65 of chapter 7, section 1 of chapter 8, sections 1, 7 and 8 of chapter 10, sections 9, 20, 24 and 28 of chapter 11, and to repeal sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 66 of chapter 7, and sections 2 and 3 of chapter 8, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, and to add to chapter 8 of said act four new sections to stand as sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, so as to abolish the board of councilmen and to establish a board of estimates in and for the city of Detroit."

Pending which,

Mr. Stark moved that the Senate adjourn,

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Stark,	
Barringer,	O'Reilly,	Roof,		7

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Mayo,		<i>temporary.</i>

The question recurring on the motion to take from the table,

Mr. Stark demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to take from the table then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman,	Monroe,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barton,	Howell,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Post,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	

NAYS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Stark,	Mr. Wisner,	Mr. President
O'Reilly,			<i>temporary.</i>

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage,

It was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,
Babcock, J. W.,	Holbrook,	Monroe,	Rairden,
Babcock, W. L.,	Howell,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Laing,	Post,	Westgate,
Crosby,			

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Mr. Barringer,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,	Mr. Wisner,
Gorman,	Roof,		

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The question being on agreeing to the title,
Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the title as follows: By striking out the words "Sections 1, 7 and 8 of chapter 10."

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate returned to the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 50 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend section 3, chapter 280, of Howell's annotated statutes, being compiler's section 8137, relative to proceedings by and against corporations in courts of law,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, May 26, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by Mr. Edwards, as temporary President at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Westgate.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Westgate for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 782. Mr. W. I. Babcock presented the following memorial, which was ordered spread at length on the journal:

OFFICE OF THE STATE ECLECTIC
MEDICAL AND SURGICAL SOCIETY OF MICHIGAN, }
Dowagiac, May 23, 1887.

To the Honorable the Senate of Michigan:

This society, at its annual meeting held at the city of Jackson on the 18th and 19th of the present month, adopted by unanimous vote the following resolutions presented by its legislative committee:

WHEREAS, There is before the Legislature of the State of Michigan a bill to regulate the practice of medicine (Senate bill, file No. 253) that, on its face, bears evidence of unfairness in its special features, inasmuch as it recommends an examining board to be composed of eleven members, seven of whom shall be, presumably, appointed from the old school, or so-styled regulars, and two each from the homeopathic and eclectic schools. It also provides that the members from the latter two schools shall examine only in *materia medica* and the practice of medicine. Therefore be it

Resolved, That to this society this seems to represent clearly that the real intention of the bill under consideration is to give the whole matter virtually into the hands of the so-called regular school of medicine, as they would have a clear majority over all. Even if they should not do so, they would have the power, as the bill now stands, to exclude any applicant they might see fit, though passed upon favorably by the other members of the board, who only would examine in the two subjects heretofore mentioned. As a society we protest against this exclusiveness, smacking as it does of selfishness, ostracism and partiality by our old school brethren, and while we do not especially object to a bill, fair in its provisions and aiming to elevate medical training, we cannot but enter a protest against anything looking like class legislation or that may favor one school to the exclusion of another. We believe, however, that no bill creating a medical board of censors is just now called for, or if so, that a plain law compelling all persons desiring to practice medicine in Michigan to unite with some of the medical societies whose censors shall examine them respectively and, if qualified, admit them, if not, reject them, would be preferable. This, it seems to us, would meet all requirements, as the three schools of medicine in Michigan have each well ordered State medical societies.

Resolved, That our society be authorized to furnish each House of the

State Legislature and the Governor of Michigan copies of these resolutions.

Respectfully submitted,

H. S. McMASTER, *Secretary*.

Referred to the committee on public health.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on mines, minerals and mining interests:

The committee on mines, minerals and mining interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 505 (file No. 411), entitled

A bill to provide for the election of a mine inspector for each county possessing mines and to define and prescribe his duties,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The temporary President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 25, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 233 (file No. 391), entitled

A bill to protect fish and preserve the fisheries of this State by regulating the meshes of nets and the use of fishing apparatus, prohibiting the fouling of the waters and destruction of fishing grounds by the refuse of manufacture or other debris, and to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 8, 10, 11, 12, and 13, of act No. 350, of the session laws of 1865, approved March 21, 1865, sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, of act No. 188, of the public acts of 1875, approved May 1, 1875, and section 4, of act No. 141, of the public acts of 1883, approved June 2, 1883,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the Senators elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on fisheries.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sharp moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 140), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the university of Michigan,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

The Senate non-concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Mayo,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

Mr. Sharp moved that the Senate request a committee of conference to whom shall be referred the matters of difference,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Mayo moved to take from the order of third reading,

House bill No. 79 (file No. 393), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State agricultural college, for the erection and repair of buildings and other improvements at said college for the years 1887 and 1888,

And that the same be placed on its immediate passage,

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 26
Deyo,	Mayo,	Roof,	

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sharp moved to take from the table

The following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (the House concurring), That from and after Wednesday, June 8th, 1887, the two branches of this Legislature will transact no other business than for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the approval of the Governor, and the entry of the same on the journal by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House, and the time for final adjournment of this Legislature shall be Saturday, June 11, at 12 o'clock on that day.

On which,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Sharp,
Barringer,	Laing,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,			

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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Potter,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	President,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Roof,	<i>temporary,</i>
Deyo,			

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THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate joint resolution No. 24 (file No. 7), entitled

Joint resolution for the relief of Livonia B. Perrine,

Was read a third time and passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Seymour,
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	<i>temporary,</i>

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the joint resolution was ordered to take immediate effect

House bill No. 531 (file No. 171), entitled

A bill to provide for the punishment of crimes committed by any person while confined on or before the expiration of his sentence in any of the penal institutions of this State,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Monroe,	Seymour,
Barringer.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.,</i>

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 356 (file No. 244), entitled

A bill to amend section sixteen of local act number 316 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the public schools of the township of Maple Ridge, Alpena county,"

Was read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 598 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to provide for blowers in establishments where emery wheels or emery belts are used,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Rairden,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barton,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Post,	President
Deyo,	Laing,	Potter,	<i>temporary,</i>
Fox,			24

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 492 (file No. 138), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of act 157, of the session laws of 1883, being compiler's section 7091 of Howell's annotated statutes, being an act entitled An act to protect the rights of laborers,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	President
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.,</i>
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Mr. Sharp,

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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 181 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 8 of chapter 1 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement, and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing, and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, being continuous sections 1396 and 1303 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	President
Deyo,	Monroe,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 28

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Stark moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 8 of chapter 1 of act number 243 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, being continuous section 1308 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Senate bill No. 366 (file No. 247), entitled

A bill authorizing the poor commissioners of each county to contract with any institution in this State for the care and maintenance of idiotic and feeble-minded children between the ages of 8 and 16 years,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out section 3,

Which motion did not prevail, and the bill was not so amended.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Barringer, 4
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Palmer,
Babcock, W. I.	Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,
Barton,	Fox,	Laing,	President
Campbell,	Giddings,	Moon,	<i>temporary</i> , 15

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the consideration of

Senate bill No. 471 (file No. 273), entitled

A bill to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking, and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order,

Whereupon the temporary President called Mr. Giddings to the chair. After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: Senate bill No. 471 (file No. 273), entitled

A bill to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking and establish a banking department for the supervision of such business,

Have made some progress therein, but not having gone through therewith, have directed their chairman to report that fact to the Senate and ask leave to sit again.

J. WIGHT GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The committee of the whole were granted leave to sit again at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock, P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on public health:

The committee on public health, to whom was referred

House bill No. 828 (file No. 344), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of act 134 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. HOWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public health:

The committee on public Health, to whom was referred

House bill No. 518 (file No. 178), entitled

A bill to provide for the registration of physicians and surgeons and to protect the people of the State of Michigan from empiricism and quackery,

and to repeal act number 167, session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to promote public health,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. HOWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 355 (file No. 342), entitled

A bill to protect children and prevent them from being educated in immorality and crime,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill as referred to the committee do pass.

The reason for this recommendation is that the persons and interests of minors when not properly taken care of and represented by the parents of said minors are placed by our statutes under the power and control of the probate courts of this state, as also are the persons and interests of those who are *non compos mentis*.

Your committee deem it to be in the line and policy of our statutes to place the persons and interests of those provided for in this bill in the charge and control of the same courts.

Respectfully submitting this report to your honorable body they ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order at the head of the calendar.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 411 (file No. 328), entitled

A bill to prohibit the employment of children under 14 years of age and females under 16 years of age for more than 9 hours a day,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in and that the bill when so amended do pass, and they recommend that the title thereto be amended so as to read as follows, viz: "A bill to prohibit the employment of male children under 14 years of age and female children under 16 years of age for more than 9 hours a day," and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order at the head of the calendar.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 334 (file No. 299), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 283, session laws of 1869, entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 24, 1869, and all acts amendatory thereto, by adding a section thereto to stand as section 24,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 307, entitled

A bill granting the common council of the city of Kalamazoo power to vacate streets and alleys, within the corporate limits of said city,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

1. Senate substitute for House bill No. 375 (file No. 249), entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the president and trustees of the village of Sangatuck to vacate the public square, so called, in said village.

2. Senate bill No. 254 (file No. 75), entitled

A bill to amend section 2, chapter 53, of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to disorderly persons, as amended by act 136 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 31, 1883.

3. Senate bill No. 11 (file No. 5), entitled

A bill for the requiring of a civil license in order to marry, and the due registration of the same, and to provide a penalty for the violation of the provisions of the same.

FLOYD L. POST, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

Mr. Sharp moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to concur in the amendments made by the House to

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 140), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Post,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	
Babcock, W. L.,	Fox,	Monroe,	Roof,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Campbell,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Wisner,	24

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. }
Lansing, May 26, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 235, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Marine City, in the county of St. Clair, and repeal act No. 338 of the local acts of 1885, approved April 23, 1885, entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Marine City, in St. Clair county."

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was ordered returned to the House in accordance with request.

The President also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 25, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 667, entitled

A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw and to repeal act No. 227, local acts of 1883, entitled An act to revise and amend the charter of

the city of Saginaw and to repeal act No. 496 of the laws of 1867, entitled An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw, approved Feb. 5, 1859, approved March 16, 1883, as amended by act No. 338, local acts of 1885, approved April 29, 1885,

Which the Senate amended as shown by a message of April 22, as follows:

By striking out of Title I, sections 1 and 2, and inserting in lieu thereof the following, to stand as such sections:

TITLE I.

INCORPORATION—CITY AND WARD BOUNDARIES.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That the following described territory in the county of Saginaw, and State of Michigan, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the Saginaw river on the quarter line of section thirteen (13) in township twelve (12) north, of range four (4) east; thence west along the quarter line of sections thirteen, fourteen and fifteen to the west line of said section fifteen in said township; thence south on the section lines to the center of the Tittabawassee river; thence along the center of said river to the center of Saginaw river; and thence along the center of the Saginaw river to the place of beginning, be and the same is hereby set off and constituted an incorporated city by the name of "The City of Saginaw," and by that name may sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, complain and defend, in any court of record, and other place whatsoever; may have a common seal and alter it at pleasure; and may take, hold, purchase, lease, convey and dispose of any real, personal or mixed estate for the use of said corporation.

SEC. 2. Said city shall be divided into six wards. The first ward shall comprise all that part of said city within the following boundaries, to wit: Commencing at the center of the Saginaw river on the quarter line of section thirteen (13), in said township twelve (12) north, of range four east; thence west on said quarter line to the center of section fourteen (14) in said township, that being the center of Eighteenth street in said city; thence south on and along the center of Eighteenth street to the center of section twenty-three (23) in said township twelve (12) north, of range four (4) east; thence east on and along the east and west quarter line of sections twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) to the center of the Saginaw river; thence along the center of the Saginaw river to the place of beginning.

Now to inform the Senate that the House has amended said Senate amendments as follows:

1st. Amend above recited section one by adding thereto a proviso, as follows:

And be it further provided, That the territory heretofore described in this section shall continue to constitute the City of Saginaw, until the first Monday of April, eighteen hundred and ninety, and thereupon, by force of this act, there shall be added and annexed to said City of Saginaw, as constituted by this section, the following territory to-wit:

All the territory then embraced within and known as the township and village of Carrollton; also the territory now embraced within and known as the city of East Saginaw.

2d. Amend the above recited section two by adding thereto provisos as follows:

“Provided, also, That the wards of said city shall remain as provided in this act, up to and until the first Monday in April, 1890; but that after that date there shall be in addition to said wards, a seventh ward in said city which shall be composed of the territory left by this act, within the township of Carrollton and the village of Carrollton, and a ward eight which shall be composed of the territory now embraced in the first ward of East Saginaw, which is added to the city of Saginaw by the first section of this act; there shall also be wards nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, and sixteen, which shall be composed respectively of the territory now embraced in wards second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, and ninth of the city of East Saginaw.

Provided further, That six months prior to the next session of the Legislature a committee consisting of three persons from the city of Saginaw shall be appointed by the common council of said city, and a committee consisting of three persons from the city of East Saginaw shall be appointed by the common council thereof, who shall prepare upon a just and equitable basis, so as to properly protect the rights and interests of all the people residing within the territory to be affected by the consolidation of the same, a charter for said city of Saginaw. And in case of any disagreement of said committee, the questions upon which they disagree shall be submitted to Benton Hanchett of Saginaw city, who shall act as arbiter, and whose decision shall be binding and conclusive upon said committee as to the provisions in said charter,

And provided, That in case one of the said cities shall neglect or refuse to appoint such committee, then the committee appointed by one of said cities shall act and perform all the duties imposed by this amendment, with said Benton Hanchett as aforesaid, who shall then act as one of said committee, and the compensation of said committee shall be audited and allowed by the common council appointing the same. And said committee shall submit the charter so prepared to the next Legislature for its adoption.

And further to inform the Senate that in such Senate amendments as thus amended the House concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The bill was referred to the committee on cities and villages.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Edwards moved to take from the table

House bill No. 307, entitled

A bill granting the common council of the city of Kalamazoo power to vacate streets and alleys within the corporate limits of said city,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Post,
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Roof,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barton,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,		

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being for the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 471 (file No. 273), entitled

A bill to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking, and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon the President called Mr. Giddings to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 471 (file No. 273), entitled

A bill to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking, and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

J. WIGHT GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Post,
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Monroe.	Seymour,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barton,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Crosby,			

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

The President announced that the hour had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being the consideration of

Senate bill No. 224 (file No. 56), entitled

A bill to provide for the uniform assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes and return of delinquent taxes thereon.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Seymour to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 224 (file No. 56), entitled

A bill to provide for the uniform assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes and return of delinquent taxes thereon,

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause thereof and ask the concurrence of the Senate in their action.

HENRY W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Seymour moved that the Senate concur in the action of the committee of the whole in striking out all after the enacting clause of the above named bill.

On which Mr. Crosby demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to concur in the action of the committee of the whole then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Post,	
Babcock, J.W.,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Seymour,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Stark,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Palmer,		15

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Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Roof,	Wisner,
Barringer,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	President
Crosby.,	Rairden,		<i>pro tem.</i>

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The title and enacting clause of the above named bill were laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, May 27, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M.
Roll called: a quorum present.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 157 (file 180), entitled,

A bill to prevent black-listing,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill in relation to conspiracy, and unlawful agreements, and acts against public policy in certain cases,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate joint resolution No. 8, entitled

Joint resolution authorizing the appointment for temporary purposes of an assistant State reporter,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the joint resolution do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 313, entitled

A bill to amend section No. 58 of act No. 176 of the public acts of the year 1877, as amended by act No. 110, section 58, of the public acts of the year 1879, being section No. 9800 of chapter 341 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to fees and expenses in conveying convicts to the State house of correction,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 44 (file No. 76), entitled

A bill to require persons who sell, and persons who contract to sell personal property who retain title thereto to file a notice of such title in the office of the township or city clerk, and in cities having no such officer as city clerk, the city recorder where the vendee or contractee of such personal property resides,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By Mr. Hubbell for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 312 (file 205), entitled

A bill to amend section 64, of act No. 213, of the public acts of the year 1875, being section No. 9726, of chapter No. 840 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the fees in conveying convicts to the State prison,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 463 (file No. 336), entitled

A bill to amend sections No. 26, 31 and 41, act No. 175, of the session laws of 1851, entitled "An act to provide for holding general and special elections," approved June 27, 1851, being compiler's sections No. 162, 167 and 177 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 360 (file 154), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 4907 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 45 of the session laws of 1883, relative to the supreme court and the practice therein,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 278 (file 360), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 26, of chapter 185, of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to "set offs," being compiler's sec. 7365, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 426, entitled

A bill to amend sec. 1 of act No. 46 of the session laws of 1883, being an act entitled "An act making an appropriation for and fixing the salary of the auditor general,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred,

Senate bill No. 420, entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 153, session laws of 1885, relative to the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and

have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on education and public schools :

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred

House bill No. 593 (file No. 373), entitled,

A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 4 of act No. 312 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate the manner of electing trustees in school district No. 17, of the city of Jackson, and township of Blackman," approved May 24, 1883, and to add six new sections thereto to stand as sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of said act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools :

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 14), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, of chapter 12 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, and section 4, same chapter and act, as amended by act No. 93, laws of 1883, relating to the examination of teachers and supervision of schools; also, to amend section 3 of chapter 4, and section 2 of chapter 5 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, relating to the duties of township clerks and county clerks concerning school reports,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment :

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 140), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the university of Michigan.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

By the committee on insurance:

The committee on insurance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 739 (file No. 385), entitled

A bill to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of co-operative and mutual benefit associations, and to define the powers and duties, and regulate the transactions of the business of all such corporations and associations doing business within this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, be re-reprinted for the use of the committee.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered re-printed for the use of the committee.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 335 (file No. 335), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 45 of the session laws of 1882, entitled An act authorizing the common council of the city of Detroit, with the concurrence of the city council thereof, to make a re-assessment to defray the expense of a public improvement on Jefferson avenue, a street in said city from the east curb line of Beaubien street to the railroad bridge in said city,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on state public school:

The committee on state public school, to whom was referred

House bill No. 525 (file No. 278), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 260, of the public acts of 1881, approved June 10, 1881, being chapter 52, of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the protection of children in certain cases, by adding thereto four new sections to stand as sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 of said act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. W. BARTON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing May 25, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 377 (file No. 341), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain and reclaim marsh and overflowed lands in the townships of Albee and Spaulding, Saginaw county,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 26, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State of Ohio has formulated a plan for celebrating in an appropriate manner at Marietta, Ohio, in April 1888, the centennial anniversary of the ordinance of 1787, and the first settlements made in pursuance thereof on the territory of the Great North West; and

WHEREAS, The State of Ohio has through its Legislature and executive extended invitations to the States of Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin and Michigan to formally participate in such centennial celebration, at Marietta, Ohio, in April, 1888, and also in an industrial and educational exposition to be held at Columbus, Ohio, in the autumn of the same year, therefore

Resolved, By the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring). That to the end that the State of Michigan may be properly represented and formally participate in such centennial celebration at Marietta, Ohio, and industrial and educational exposition at Columbus, Ohio, and the fraternal relations of the five great states once in common comprising the old northwest territory, be properly observed and extended, the Governor be and hereby is directed to appoint five representative citizens of Michigan as commissioners of the centennial celebration of the ordinance of 1787, to whom the whole matter of such celebration and exposition shall be referred, with authority to conduct and manage the same in such manner as to them shall seem best, without expense or liability to the State of Michigan; it being the design and purpose

of this resolution that all expenditures of money necessary to carry out the same shall be borne by the philanthropic and patriotic citizens of our State.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the concurrent resolution,

The Senate concurred.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 26, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 649, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Benton Harbor to raise money to aid in the construction of water works and to furnish a water supply for said village.

2. House bill No. 600 (file No. 285), entitled

A bill to fix the per diem compensation of the members of the State Legislature from the Upper Peninsula for and during the session of 1887,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title and On motion of Mr. Gorman,

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 26, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following report and concurrent resolution:

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

The joint committee of Senate and House, to whom was referred the question of a distribution of the Legislative Manuals, would respectfully report that there has been distributed during this session of the Legislature, by concurrent resolution, Manuals to the number of 76 to the employees of Senate and House, newspaper reporters and ministers of the gospel officiating in either House, leaving on hand, subject to distribution (when the 1,500 now being printed are completed), the number of 3,624.

Your committee recommend the distribution of the balance of said Manuals in accordance with the provisions of the accompanying resolution.

May 24th, 1887.

JNO. C. SHARP,
EDW'D E. EDWARDS,
J. W. GIDDINGS,
C. W. WISNER,
J. E. BARRINGER,
Senate Committee.

HENRY WATSON,
HENRY H. HOLT,
M. T. COLE,
F. H. HOSFORD,
House Committee.

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), that the Secretary of State be directed to furnish Legislative Manuals as per the following schedule:

Governor.....	60
Lieutenant Governor.....	50
Speaker of the House.....	42
President <i>pro tem.</i> of Senate.....	46
Speaker <i>pro tem.</i> of House.....	27
31 Senators each 41.....	1271
98 Representatives each 21.....	2058
Secretary of the Senate.....	17
Clerk of the House.....	17
Assistant Secretary of Senate.....	6
Journal Clerk of House.....	6
Bill Clerk of Senate.....	5
Corresponding Clerk of House.....	5
Sergeant-at-Arms of Senate.....	5
Sergeant-at-Arms of House.....	5
Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk of Senate.....	2
Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk of House.....	2
Total.....	3624

In the adoption of which the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The concurrent resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 26, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 470, entitled

A bill to amend section 22, of act No. 134 of the session laws of 1859, en-

titled An act to incorporate the city of Niles, approved Feb. 12, 1859, as amended by the several acts supplemental or amendatory thereto, and to add 3 new sections thereto to stand as sections 54, 55 and 56 of said act.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

Amend recited section 22, by striking out all of line 28 and to and including the word "roll" in line 47, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "After the board of review provided for by the general tax law of the State shall have performed its duties,"

In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Howell,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Post,	Stark,
Deyo,	Laing,	Potter,	Westgate,
Edwards	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Fox,	Monroe,		

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Pending its reference to the committee on engrossment and enrollment,

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The bill was laid upon the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, May 27, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That when the Legislature adjourns to-day, it stand adjourned until Tuesday next, at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the concurrent resolution,

The Senate concurred.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 119 (file No. 263), entitled

A bill to provide for recording mortgages in separate books for separate assessing districts in counties, and to prescribe the duties of boards of supervisors, registers of deeds, assessing and other officers in relation thereto,

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage,

It was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W. L.	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Hubbell,	Post,	Westgate,
Deyo,	Mayo,	Potter,	Wisner,
Gorman,			

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Mr. Barton,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Seymour,
Edwards,	Laing,	Roof,	Sharp,
Fox,	Monroe,		

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Westgate moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 334 (file No. 29), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 24th, 1869, and all acts amendatory thereto, by adding a section thereto to stand as section 24.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The bill was referred to the committee on education and public schools

Mr. Rairden moved to take from the table

Senate joint resolution No. 27, entitled

Joint resolution declaring forfeited all the uncertified lands within the limits of the Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagon Railroad land grant together with all the lands certified or uncertified which lie opposite the uncompleted section of said railroad, extending from L'Anse to Ontonagon.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Rairden,

The joint resolution was referred to the committee on railroads.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon the President called Mr. Hubbell to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 217 (file No. 282), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the State industrial home for girls for the years 1887 and 1888,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Barton,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Edwards,	Laing,	Post,	Westgate,	
Fox,	Mayo,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Giddings,	Monroe,	Rairden,		23

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sharp moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 593 (file No. 373), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 4 of act No. 312 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate the manner of electing trustees in school district No. 17, of the city of Jackson and township of Blackman," and to add six new sections thereto to stand as sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15 of said act,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Howell,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Post,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Fox,	Monroe,			26

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Crosby to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: Senate bill No. 121 (file No. 250), entitled

A bill to amend paragraph 138, section 50, of the charter of the city of Detroit, act number 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, relative to the powers and duties of the common council to include the licensing of conductors and drivers of street cars and limiting the use of the public streets in the case of common carriers for hire and their employes to such persons as may be citizens of the United States or who have declared their intention to become such according to law.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 355 (file No. 342), entitled

A bill to protect children and prevent them from being educated in immorality and crime.

House bill No. 411 (file No. 328), entitled

A bill to prohibit the employment of children under sixteen years of age and of females under eighteen years of age for more than nine hours a day.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. W. I. Babcock moved to take from the table the title and enacting clause, and to reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in the action of the committee of the whole in striking out all after the enacting clause of

Senate bill No. 224 (file No. 56), entitled

A bill to provide for the uniform assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes and return of delinquent taxes thereon.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the action of the committee,

The Senate non-concurred.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met, and was called to order by the President.

Roll call: a quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 783. Mr. Seymour presented the following memorial which was ordered spread at length upon the Journal.

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, in legislature assembled:

Your petitioner, the Chicago Lumber Company of Manistique, Mich., a corporation existing under the laws of this State, respectfully shows:

1. That your petitioner and its grantors have been operating saw-mills by the use of water power, at and near the mouth of the Manistique river, in Schoolcraft county, since on or about the year 1850. During all of which time the saw-dust made in such mills has been allowed to fall into the river.

2. That in 1876 your petitioner erected a saw mill at a cost of \$50,000; in 1880 another mill, costing \$45,000; and in 1884 still another mill costing \$65,000, all within a short distance of each other, near the mouth of said river. Said mills are connected with each other and with the yards where the lumber made is piled, by tramways, aggregating seven miles in length.

3. That all of said mills are so built that it is impossible, without remodeling them to prevent the saw dust from falling into the river, for the following reasons: All the sawing is done with upright gang saws. The saw gates are connected directly, by a pittman with a crank which works at the end of a horizontal shaft, on which are waterwheels, and which is wholly under water. The saw dust, when it leaves the saws, follows the pittman down into the water.

There is no chance to get under the pittman because the lower end of it is in the water. Nor can the saw dust be conveyed around in any way, as the mill is built, as the floor of the mill is not high enough above the level of the water to permit conveyors to be put in and worked.

In order to prevent the saw dust from falling into the river, it would be necessary to rebuild the mill in such a way that the working floor could be raised about five feet; and also to raise the seven miles of elevated tramway to conform to the change in the elevation of the mills.

4. Your petitioners estimate that the cost of making the changes in their mills and tramways, required to take care of the saw dust made in such mills, so that the same should not fall into the river would be from \$30,000 to \$50,000. That it would take about one year to make such changes, during all

of which time the mills would of necessity be idle. That your petitioner employs in such mills and in the other branches of its business connected therewith, seven hundred men, all of whom would be thrown out of employment, if such mills were to be shut down.

6. That there is now pending before the Legislature a bill known as House file No. 82, which if it becomes a law, will make it a misdemeanor punishable by fine and imprisonment for your petitioner to operate such mills, or either of them. And which will, therefore, amount to a confiscation, if not of the mills themselves, at least of the cost of making the changes required, to make your petitioner to conform to the law—estimated as above at from \$30,000 to \$50,000. And will also throw a prosperous community of industrious people out of employment, and entail untold hardship and distress.

7. That the proposed bill is in the supposed interest of the fisheries, but your petitioner unhesitatingly declares that some of the best fishing grounds on the great lakes are near to Manistique, and that no injury to such fishing has ever been apparent.

8. That since your petitioners began operations at Manistique it has at its own cost and expense dredged out the river and removed the sand bars from the mouth of the harbor, so that, whereas naturally there was only four feet of water, and none but the smallest boats could enter, now there is an average of sixteen feet of water, and the largest steamers on the lakes enter and depart from their wharves.

9. Your petitioner therefore prays that the said bill so far as it prevents the operating of saw mills already erected, by water power, may not pass. And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

In witness whereof your petitioner has caused these presents to be executed under its seal, and subscribed by its secretary the 9th day of March, 1887.

J. D. MERSEREAU, *Secretary*.

Referred to the committee on fisheries.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

House bill No. 82 (file No. 106), entitled

A bill to enable land holders to recover the possession of land from railroad companies in certain cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 343 (file No. 211), entitled

A bill to amend "An act to provide for the payment of the salaries of the State officers," being compiler's section three hundred and thirty-nine of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to salaries of State officers, deputies and clerks,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments; recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered re-printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 27, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate bill No. 154 (file No. 126), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 200 of the session laws of 1885, being an act entitled "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons."

In the passage of which, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 26, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate file No. 243 (being Senate substitute for House bill No. 57 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend sections 13 and 16 of chapter 3, sections 1, 2, 4, 18, 22, 24, 25 and 33 of chapter 4, sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 5, section 1 of chapter 6, sections 1, 8, 9, 13, 15, 17, 21, 25 and 65 of chapter 7, section 1 of chapter 8, sections 9, 20, 24 and 28 of chapter 11, and to repeal sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 66 of chapter 7, and sections 2 and 3 of chapter 8, of an act entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, and to add to chapter 8 of said act four new sections to stand as sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, so as to abolish the board of councilmen and to establish a board of estimates in and for the city of Detroit,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Wisner moved to take from the table,
 Senate bill No. 126 (file No. 181), entitled
 A bill to prevent crime and punish truancy.
 Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Wisner moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 3, sec. 2, the word "marshal."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Post,	Stark,
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	Westgate,
Fox,	Monroe,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Giddings,			

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Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. O'Reilly,
Edwards,			
Title agreed to.			

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THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 355 (file No. 342), entitled

A bill to protect children and prevent them from being educated in immorality and crime,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Sharp,
Fox,	Moon,	Rairden,	Stark,
Hubbell,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	Westgate,
Mayo,			

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Palmer,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Laing,	Wisner,
Giddings,			

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Mr. Hubbell moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 411 (file No. 328), entitled

A bill to prohibit the employment of children under fourteen years of age and of females under sixteen years of age for more than nine hours a day,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Rairden moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 2 sec. 3 after the word "complaints" the word "made."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Fox moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 2, sec. 4, after the word "duties," the words "or clerks in stores,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Roof;
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barton,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Stark,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Post,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Laing,		

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to prohibit the employment of male children under 14 years of age and female children under 16 years of age for more than 9 hours a day.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Seymour moved that a respectful message be sent to the House asking for the return of the concurrent resolution providing for adjournment from to-day to Tuesday, May 31, at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Laing,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Monroe,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Roof,	

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Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Rairden,	
Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Post,	Stark,	8

The President announced that the time of 2:30 o'clock P. M. had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being for the consideration of

Senate file No. 278, being Senate substitute for
House bill No. 504 (file No. 414), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor law of this State.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Holbrook to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have under consideration the following:

Senate file No. 278, being

Senate substitute for House bill No. 504 (file No. 414), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State,

Have made some progress therein, but not having gone through therewith, have directed their chairman to report that fact to the Senate, and ask leave to sit again.

JOHN HOLBROOK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The committee were granted leave to sit again.

The President called the President *pro tem.* to the chair.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the Senate take a recess until 7:30 o'clock P. M.,

Pending which,

Mr. Sharp moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which,

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Sharp,	
Hubbell,	O'Reilly,			6

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Laing,	Seymour,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Westgate	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	President,	
Deyo,			<i>pro tem.</i>	17

The motion to take a recess then prevailed.

AFTER RECESS.

7:30 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met, and was called to order by the President *pro tem.*

Roll called: a quorum present.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President *pro tem.* called Mr. Mayo to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 342 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to provide for revising the general statutes of obsolete acts.

House bill No. 417 (file No. 303), entitled

A bill to authorize, empower and direct the board of control of State swamp lands to construct a ditch through the townships of Hebron and Mackinaw, in the county of Cheboygan.

Senate bill No. 182 (file No. 153), entitled

A bill to amend compiler's section 4709 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being compiler's section 6196 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the filing of chattel mortgages.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman,*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bills and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 346 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of An Train, in the county of Alger,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

Mr. Palmer moved that the Senate adjourn,

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then did not prevail by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer, Gorman,	Mr. Palmer, Rairden,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Sharp,	6
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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Moon,	
Babcock, W. L.,	Edwards,	Howell,	Seymour,	
Barton,	Fox,	Laing,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Giddings,	Mayo,	President	
			<i>pro tem.</i> ,	16

Mr. Gorman moved that the Senate take a recess for half an hour,

Pending which,

Mr. Palmer moved that the Senate adjourn,

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof ¹	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	President	
Deyo,			<i>pro tem.</i> ,	17

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	4
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The President *pro tem.* announced that the Senate would stand adjourned until Tuesday, May 31, at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

Lansing, May 31, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Barringer, Deyo, Gorman, Holbrook, Monroe, Potter, Roof and Stark.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

All absentees were excused for the session.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, May 28, 1887.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 154 (file No. 126), being

An act to amend sec. three of act No. 200 of the session laws of 1885, being an act entitled "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons."

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was laid upon the table.

The President also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, May 31, 1887.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 11 (file No. 5), being

An act for the requiring of a civil license in order to marry, and the due registration of the same, and to provide a penalty for the violation of the provisions of the same.

Also,

Senate substitute for House bill No. 375 (file No. 249), being

An act to authorize and empower the president and trustees of the village of Saugatuck to vacate the public square, so-called, in said village.

Also,

Senate concurrent resolution, making a distribution of the Legislative Manuals through the secretary of State.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing May 27, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 650, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Deep River, Arenac county, to borrow \$3,000 to be used in paying outstanding obligations created by the construction and improvement of highways in and for said township.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on counties and townships.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the Senate go into committee of the whole on the general order,

Pending which,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Barton,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Moon,	Seymour,	Wisner,	16

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Giddings,	
Mayo,				5

The President announced that the Senate would stand adjourned until Wednesday, June 1, at 9 o'clock A. M.

Lansing, June 1, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M. Religious exercises by Senator Westgate.

Roll called: a quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 784. Mr. Gorman presented the following petition which was ordered spread at length on the journal:

South Lyon, Mich., May 30, 1887.

Hon. Senator GORMAN:

SIR—We are quite anxious that Senate bill No. 175 shall have the considera-

tion its merits demand. We regard it as very important, and hope it may be so considered by the members of the Senate and House of Representatives.

Will you please call attention to it.

Yours respectfully,

G. F. Gready,

T. H. Clark,

L. C. Tubbs,

Wm. A. Weatherhoof,

M. Goodell,

Geo. D. Hamilton.

S. Calkins,

Kingsley Calkins,

C. W. Rodger,

Cholett Calkins,

Wm. Doty,

Referred to the committee on railroads.

No. 785: Mr. J. W. Babcock presented the following petition which was ordered spread at length on the journal:

Imlay City, Michigan, May 30, 1887.

J. W. BABCOCK, Esq., *Senator 16th District:*

DEAR SIR—The undersigned citizens of Imlay City have felt greatly aggrieved in the matter of insurance rating in this place. In answer to a protest from the citizens to the insurance underwriters, we were informed that the rates could not be changed. Understanding that a bill is now pending forbidding insurance compacts, we request that you give the bill in question a favorable consideration.

E. E. Palmer,

Chas. Palmer,

Optic Printing Co.,

O. S. Marshall,

Lamb, Munn & Co.,

John Burland,

Davenport & Jones,

Geo. D. Manning & Co.,

J. C. Shaw,

Chas. E. Welton,

Henry Woodry,

A. Johnson,

H. C. Wells,

R. Martindale,

Dimmore & Co.,

Lucian Kroy,

R. Murphy,

Brown & Palmer,

A. P. Campbell,

J. W. Harrington,

Walter Walker & Co.,

F. B. Keyworth,

A. F. Martin,

H. H. Lyons,

D. V. Yesex, M. D.,

D. McGillis.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate concurrent resolution relative to the distribution of the Legislative Manual of 1887.

F. L. POST, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill (No. 160), entitled

A bill to incorporate the Village of Pinconning in Bay county, Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment,

and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, May 27, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 451, entitled

A bill to amend Sec. 8 of act No. 354, session laws of 1869, entitled An act to incorporate the village of Portland, Ionia Co., approved March 13, 1869, as amended by act No. 229, session laws of 1871, approved March 18, 1871.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 1, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 326 (file No. 229), entitled

A bill to amend section one of an act entitled An act to authorize the vacation of the township burying ground in the township of Paris, in the county of Kent, located on the east half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, town six north, range eleven west, approved March 1, 1887.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 1, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 866 (file No. 406), entitled

A bill to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties and to punish offences committed thereat,

2. House bill No. 571 (file No. 394), entitled

A bill to provide for the publication of the names and postoffice address of ex-soldiers, sailors and marines living in the State of Michigan, and to make an appropriation thereof.

3. House bill No. 919 (file No. 398), entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the township board of the township of Maple River, in the county of Emmet, in this State, to compromise, settle and discharge a judgment rendered in the circuit court of the county of Emmet, in favor of said township of Maple River and against George W. Green, a defaulting treasurer of said township, and William Kaga, William Longaker and Leroy Sandford, his sureties, for less than the full amount thereof,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on military affairs.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on counties and townships.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 1, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 365 (file No. 182), entitled

A bill to provide for the care and maintenance of indigent insane persons in private asylums within the State,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 1, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 345 (file No. 194), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the township of Onota in the county of Alger.

2. Senate bill No. 62 (file No. 161), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for continuing and completing the frescoes and decorations of the walls, corridors and rooms of the State capitol.

3. Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 196), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 172 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 7 of the session laws of 1877, and act No. 4 of the public acts of 1883, relative to testamentary guardians,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 1, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 364 (file No. 246), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 11 of act No. 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, by adding four new sections thereto, to stand as sections 42, 43, 44 and 45,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

By striking out the word "seven" in line 4, section 43, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five,"

In the passage of which as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Sharp,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Roof,	Willits,
Edwards,	Moon,	Seymour,	Wisner,
Fox,	O'Reilly,		

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 1, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 867 (file No. 380), entitled

A bill to amend section 33, of chapter 7, and sections 1, 33, 34, 35 and 36 of chapter 11 of act No. 326, of the session laws of 1883, entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883.

2. House bill No. 742 (file No. 404), entitled

A bill to amend section 6726 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 94 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 15, 1873, being section 8314 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the action for causing death by wrongful act, neglect or default.

3. House bill No. 845 (file No. 399), entitled

A bill to amend section 46 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being compiler's section 151 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to notification of elections,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 121 (file No. 250), entitled

A bill to amend paragraph 138, section 50, of the charter of the city of Detroit, act number 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, relative to the powers and duties of the common council to include the licensing of conductors and drivers of street cars and limiting the use of the public streets in the case of common carriers for hire and their employes to such persons as may be citizens of the United States or who have declared their intention to become such according to law,

Was read a third time, and.

Pending its passage,

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid upon the table.

Senate bill No. 342 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to provide for relieving the general statutes of obsolete acts,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Mayo moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 2, section 1, the words "attorneys-at-law and,"

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then did not prevail, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,	4
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Laing,			22

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	Wisner,	20

NAYS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Fox,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Gorman,				9

Title agreed to.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Edwards moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 121 file No. 250), entitled

A bill to amend paragraph 138, section 50, of the charter of the city of Detroit, [act number 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883,] relative to the powers and duties of the common council, to include the licensing of conductors and drivers of street cars and limiting the use of the public street in the case of common carriers for hire, and their employes, to such persons as may be citizens of the United States [or who have declared their intention to become such according to law],

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 1 and 2, sec. 1, the words "paragraph one hundred and thirty-eight;"

Also,

By inserting in line 2, sec. 1, after the word "fifty" the words "of chapter seven;"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,		23

NAYS.

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend sect on 5 of chapter seven of act number 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith." approved June 7, 1883,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 417 (file No. 303), entitled

A bill to authorize, empower and direct the board of control of State swamp lands to construct ditch through the townships of Hebron and Mackinaw, in the county of Cheboygan,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Leave being granted,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 8, section 1, the word "three," and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "one,"

On which,

Mr. Westgate demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. O'Reilly,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Mayo,	Rairden,	
Barringer,				9

NAYS.

M. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Stark,	
Barton,	Laing,	Roof,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Moon,	Seymour,	Willits,	
Edwards,	Post,	Sharp,	Wisner,	
Fox,				17

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Post,	Stark,

Mr. Barton, Campbell, Deyo,	Mr. Harshaw, Hubbell, Laing,	Mr. Potter, Roof, Seymour,	Mr. Westgate, Willits, Wianer,	20
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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I., Barringer,	Mr. Crosby, Holbrook,	Mr. Howell, Mayo,	Mr. O'Reilly, Rairden,	8
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Pending the third reading of

Senate bill No. 182 (file No. 153), entitled

A bill to amend compiler's section 4709 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being compiler's section 6196 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the filing of chattel mortgages,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid upon the table.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Being the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 483 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 9, of article 2, of the session laws of 1873, being "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," as amended by act number 116 of the session laws of 1883,

Which was made the special order for Tuesday, May 31, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and which special order was cut off by adjournment.

Mr. Seymour moved that the further consideration of the bill be made the special order for 2:30 o'clock P.M. each day continuously after the disposition of Senate bill No. 504 (file No. 278),

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Westgate to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 611 (file No. 322), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 7 of act number 227 of the session laws of 1885, being an act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto;

House bill No. 645 (file No. 233), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 4 of act number 227, of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto;"

House bill No. 638 (file No. 319), entitled

A bill to amend sections 3 and 7 of act No. 37 of the public acts of 1883 entitled "An act to incorporate the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Michigan, and subordinate posts of the Grand Army of the Republic," approved April 21, 1883;

House bill No. 378 (file No. 363), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 43 of the laws of 1873, the same being compiler's section 9188 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the fraudulent removal or embezzlement of property leased or under contract of purchase, and to repeal section 2 of said act, the same being compiler's section 9189 of Howell's annotated statutes;

House bill No. 379 (file No. 362), entitled

A bill to repeal act number 184 of the laws of 1859 as amended by act No. 73 of the laws of 1861, the same being compiler's section 9187 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the fraudulent removal or embezzlement of chattel mortgaged property;

House bill No. 17 (file No. 316), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 41 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 1594 of chapter 36 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan "with reference to interest of money;"

House bill No. 437 (file No. 343), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 57 public acts of 1877, entitled "An act authorizing the mortgagee or his legal representatives to purchase property on sale by foreclosure under chattel mortgage," approved April 20, 1877, being compiler's section 6200 of Howell's annotated statutes;

House bill No. 106 (file No. 125), entitled

A bill to change the name of Albert Saunders to Albert Saunders Baldwin, and make him the heir-at-law of Edwin Baldwin and Harriet Baldwin;

House bill No. 438 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to change the name of Helen C. Buck and the names of each of her four children, Maggie R. Buck, Ella M. Buck, Jessie Buck, and Robert C. Buck, to Helen Clark, Maggie R. Clark, Ella M. Clark, Jessie Clark, and Robert C. Clark, respectively;

House bill No. 847 (file No. 188), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act number 157 of the session laws of 1851, entitled "An act to define the limits, jurisdiction and powers of circuit courts," being compiler's section 6460 of Howell's annotated statutes;

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 314 (file No. 206), entitled

A bill to amend sections 26, 34, 36, 43 and 46 of act 194 of the public acts of 1877, being compiler's chapter 46, sections 1904, 1912, 1914, 1921 and 1924 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the organization, regulation

and management of the asylums for the insane, and effectually to provide for the care, maintenance and recovery of the insane,

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause thereof, and ask the concurrence of the Senate in their action.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Westgate moved that

The Senate concur in the action of the committee of the whole in striking out all after the enacting clause of the second named bill,

On which,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Laing,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,		19

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Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Stark,	
Fox,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	Wisner,	
Gorman,	Rairden,			10

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The title and enacting clause of the second named bill were laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met, and was called to order by the President.

Roll call: a quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 786. By Mr. Wisner: Remonstrance of David H. Jerome, Chas. D. Little, Wm. H. Wright, W. S. Green, Geo. L. Burrows, Daniel Hurdin, Gilbert M. Stark, Jay Smith, A. W. Achard, David Crowley, P. C. Andre, Geo. F. Williams, Timothy Jerome, Fred H. Porter, John F. Brand, Arthur Barnard and 1,800 others, all residents of the city of Saginaw, against the concurrence of the Senate in the House amendments to the charter bill of said city, providing for its consolidation with the city of East Saginaw and the township of Carrollton.

Referred to the committee on cities and villages.

No. 787. By Mr. Wisner: Petition of A. T. Bliss, D. L. C. Eaton, Thomas L. Jackson, C. W. Wells, J. C. Stone and 622 other tax-paying citizens of

Saginaw City, asking for the passage of the bill consolidating Saginaw City, East Saginaw and Carrollton into one city.

Referred to the committee on cities and villages.

No. 788. By Mr. Wisner: Petition of Frank H. Twist and 65 other taxpayers of Carrollton on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 789. By Mr. Wisner: Petition of W. L. Webber, Dr. Potter and 3,000 others of East Saginaw on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 790. Mr. O'Reilly presented the following, which was ordered spread at length on the journal.

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF DETROIT, }
Detroit, May 26, 1887. }

At a regular meeting of the board of education held in the board room, high school building, this evening, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

By Inspector Gartner:

WHEREAS, The House of Representatives has passed a bill providing for free text books in our schools, and

WHEREAS, All books needed by children who could not, and whose parents were not able to purchase books, have been provided with books by the board, and

WHEREAS, All books so furnished to poor children are not now marked or designated in any manner as having been furnished and provided by the board; it is therefore

Resolved, That it is the opinion of this board that such a bill is not required by the best interests of education in this city, and should not become a law; and further

Resolved, That inasmuch as public opinion seems to be overwhelmingly opposed to such a measure, its passage in the face of such opinion is an unnecessary interference with local interests, which can in this case at least be best subserved by such action as local authorities may deem best; and further

Resolved, That the secretary transmit a copy of these resolutions to the Senators from this city, and to the chairman of the Senate committee on education.

Adopted unanimously.

HENRY A. HARMAN, *President*.

JOHN R. KING, *Secretary*.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools,

No. 791. Mr. Crosby presented the following which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

To the Hon. the Legislature of Michigan:

The undersigned hereby respectfully protest against the passage of bill No. 334, entitled "A bill to amend an act entitled an act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 24th, 1869, and all acts amendatory thereto, by adding a section thereto to stand as section 24, for the following reasons:

1. In effect it will destroy competition among the houses publishing school books;

2. It will add an immense amount to the school tax, and thus interfere

with appropriations for increase in school accommodations, and thus hazard such needed increase;

3. It will destroy competition among dealers in school books;
4. There is no need therefor, as poor children who cannot afford to purchase books, have the same now supplied to them;
5. Where it has been adopted it has not proved a success;
6. Where children have all books supplied to them they are not apt to take proper care of them, and such carelessness is in effect an additional burden of taxation;
7. There is no uniformity in the wear and tear of books, and children could not long be supplied with books in like condition;
8. It would complicate the machinery of conducting the schools, and the amounts required in large cities would place in the hands of the school boards the letting of contracts involving large sums of money, and which has not and should not be exercised, as it would not only lay borrrds open to charges of corruption, but would also lead often to the selection of *not the best books*;
9. There is no popular demand for it.

Very respectfully,

Elliott F. Slocum,	H. P. Baldwin,
C. M. Dartor,	Ellwood T. Hance,
Levi L. Barbour,	W. W. O'Brien,
F. F. Palmer,	E. H. Butler,
James V. Campbell, Jr.,	Frank E. Snow,
Frederick Marrion,	W. H. Stevens,
F. W. Hayes,	Geo. Hendree,
Thos. Fynson,	Herbert Bowen,
Samuel Douglas,	Geo. H. Russell,
H. K. White,	Joseph A. Marsh,
H. L. O'Brien,	A. H. Dey,
A. Ives & Sons,	L. Clark,
H. C. Fillman,	James L. Fisher,
J. S. Keena,	Geo. Gentens,
W. J. Dru,	O. H. Dwyer,
Geo. F. Robison,	C. H. Freeman,
Geo. S. Hosmer,	C. J. Reilly,
E. O. Durfee,	Frank D. Andrus,
A. H. Wilkinson,	John G. Hawley,

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 175 (file No. 113), entitled

A bill to prohibit railroad companies from taking up their tracks, abandoning their stations, and failing to operate their roads in certain cases, and

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,
The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on military affairs:

The committee on military affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 263, entitled

A bill for the relief of certain officers of the tenth (10) regiment of Michigan volunteer infantry,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House joint resolution No. 11 (file No. 6), entitled

Joint resolution granting blocks numbers 78 and 79, city of Lansing, to the city of Lansing for a public park,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the joint resolution, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the joint resolution by the committee.

The joint resolution was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House joint resolution No. 6 (file No. 7), entitled

Joint resolution authorizing certain "Ottawa county scrip" to be used in locating swamp lands in any of the counties of the lower peninsula,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the joint resolution do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WILLIAM A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The joint resolution was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 315, entitled

A bill to enlarge the powers of the township of Elk Rapids and the township board thereof by authorizing them to establish and maintain a police force, sewers, drains and water courses, sidewalks and crosswalks, a fire department and water-works and one or more road districts;

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Campbell moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 574, entitled

A bill to extend the corporate limits of the city of Bay City,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The bill was referred to the committee on cities and privileges.

Mr. Sharp moved to take from the table

The following concurrent resolution:

Resolved (the House concurring) That from and after Wednesday, June 8th, 1887, the two branches of this Legislature will transact no other business than for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the approval of the Governor, and the entry of the same on the journal by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House, and the time for final adjournment of this Legislature shall be Saturday, June 11, at 12 o'clock on that day.

On which,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to take from the table then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Monroe,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Laing,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Mayo,	Willits,	12

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Post,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Holbrook,	Rairden,		15

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 17 (file No. 316), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 3, of chapter 41, of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 1594, of chapter 36, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, "with reference to interest of money,"

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Rairden,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,			22

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	2
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The question being on agreeing to the title,
Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the title as follows:
By striking out the words "chapter 36 of,"
Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.
House bill No. 379 (file No. 362), entitled

A bill to repeal act number 184 of the laws of 1859 as amended by act No. 73 of the laws of 1861, the same being compiler's section 9187 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the fraudulent removal or embezzlement of chattel mortgaged property,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	Monroe,	Stark,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Westgate	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell	Post,	Wisner.	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter		23

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

The President announced that the time of 2:30 o'clock P. M., had arrived, the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being for the further consideration of

Senate file No. 278, being

Senate substitute for House bill No 504 (file No. 414), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order,

Whereupon the President called Mr. Holbrook to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate file No. 278, being

Senate substitute for House bill No. 504 (file No. 414,) entitled

A bill, to revise consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State,

Have made some progress therein, but not having gone through therewith, have directed their chairman to report that fact to the Senate and ask leave to sit again.

JOHN HOLBROOK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The committee were granted leave to sit again, for the further consideration of the subject.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 62 (file No. 161), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for continuing and completing the frescoing and decorations of the walls, corridors and rooms of the State capitol.

2. Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 196), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 172 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 7 of the session laws of 1877, and act No. 4 of the public acts of 1883, relative to testamentary guardians.

3. Senate bill No. 365 (file No. 182), entitled

A bill to provide for the care and maintenance of indigent insane persons in private asylums within the State.

4. Senate bill No. 451, entitled

A bill to amend section 8 of act No. 374 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Portland, Ionia county," approved March 30, 1869, as amended by act number 229, of the session laws of 1871, approved March 18, 1871.

Senate bill No. 326 (file No. 229), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the vacation of the township burying ground in the township of Paris, in the county of Kent, located on the east half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, town six north, range 11 west," approved March 1, 1887,

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 154 (file No. 126), entitled

1. A bill to amend sec. 3 of act No. 200 of the session laws of 1885, being an act entitled "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons."

2. Senate substitute for House bill No. 57 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend sections 13 and 16 of chapter 3, sections 1, 2, 4, 18, 22, 24, 25 and 33 of chapter 4, sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 5, section 1 of chapter 6, sections 1, 8, 9, 13, 15, 17, 21, 25 and 65 of chapter 7, section 1 of chapter 8, sections 9, 20, 24 and 28 of chapter 11, and to repeal sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 66 of chapter 7, and sections 2 and 3 of chapter 8, of an act entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, and to add to chapter 8 of said act four new sections to stand as sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, so as to abolish the board of councilmen and to establish a board of estimates in and for the city of Detroit,

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 2, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Mayo.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Mayo for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 792. By Mr. Moon: Remonstrance of Hunter, Tillotson & Co., W. G. Watson & Co., D. A. Blodgett and 67 other firms and individuals against the passage of the so-called Rogers bill regulating the freight charges of Michigan railroads.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The remonstrance was ordered spread at length on the journal.

The following is the remonstrance:

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan:

WHEREAS, There is now pending before your honorable body a certain bill, introduced by Mr. Rogers of Barry, to regulate the freight charges of Michigan railroads, which bill embodies the provision of section four of the interstate commerce bill, commonly called the "long and short haul" clause. Now, therefore, we, the undersigned citizens of Muskegon, believing said bill will be destructive to the interests of the manufacturers and shippers of Michigan, humbly petition your honorable body not to pass the said bill unless the said section be stricken out.

Referred to the committee on railroads.

No. 793. By Mr. Potter: Petition of post No. 283 of Sunfield, Eaton county, asking for the passage of Senate bill No. 13, to equalize bounties of volunteers in the war of the rebellion.

Referred to the committee on military affairs.

No. 794. By Mr. Harshaw: Petition of Hon. W. L. Churchill, Hon. Geo. L. Maltz and 26 other citizens and tax-payers of Alpena, Mich., praying for the passage of the bill amending the charter of the city of Alpena, so as to authorize the bonding of said city in the sum of \$36,000.

Referred to the committee on cities and villages.

No. 795. By Mr. Harshaw: Resolutions adopted by the common council of the city of Alpena on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 796. By Mr. Howell: Petition of John G. Mason, Joseph R. Bennett, W. S. Wilcox and 103 other citizens of Adrian, Lenawee county, requesting the passage of the Cole insurance bill.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

No. 797. By Mr. Rairden: Remonstrance of 85 business men and firms of Detroit against the Bettinger free school book bill.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 798. By Mr. Crosby: Petition of 79 residents of as many different

counties and localities in Michigan favoring the passage of Senate bill No. 315, to promote skill in the art of farriery.

Referred to the committee on agricultural interests.

No. 799. By Mr. Crosby: Petition of Chas. Armitage and 31 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 800. By Mr. Crosby: Petition of Jos. Petty and 22 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 801. By Mr. Crosby: Petition of Rev. Dr. Reilly, D. D., and 20 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 802. By Mr. Crosby: Petition of W. Beckwith and 18 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

Nor 803. By Mr. Howell: Petition of Goff and Bartholemew and 25 others asking for the passage of the Cole insurance bill,

Referred to the committee on insurance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 359 (file No. 277), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the Michigan Business Men's Associations and auxiliary associations,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No 311, entitled

A bill to amend section 7, 9, 10, 23, and 33 of chapter 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and being act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 759 (file No. 156), entitled

A bill to prevent certain preferences by insolvent corporations,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 742 (file No. 404), entitled

A bill to amend section 6726 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 94 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 15, 1873, being compiler's section 8314 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to "the action for causing death by wrongful act, neglect or default,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 255 and 782 (file No. 375), entitled

A bill to extend and regulate the liability of employers to make compensation for personal injury suffered by workmen or employés in their services,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 565 (file 192), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 28 of chapter 17 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to laying out, altering or discontinuing highway,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and

have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order at the head of the calendar.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No 371 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to regulate the trial of actions for damages arising from negligence,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 13 (file 35), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 233, of the public acts of 1885, entitled An act relative to suits for libel, approved June 20, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 734 (house file 410), entitled

A bill to amend section 2, of chapter 1, of act No. 223, of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of St. Ignace," approved March 14, 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on roads and bridges:

The committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred a substitute adopted by the House for

Senate bill No. 452 (file No. 185), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 7 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads," and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State, approved June 8, 1881, being section 1384 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Which substitute is entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 2, and section 6 of chapter 7, of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, being sections 1325 and 1384 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WARREN J. WILLITS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of substitute adopted by the House for the bill,

The bill was then read a third time, and

On motion of Mr. H. Willits,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,	29

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Title agreed to.

By Mr. J. A. Hubbell for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 741 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill to amend section 6626 of Howell's annotated statutes, being section 5072 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the courts of chancery,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass; and that the title to said bill be amended so as to correspond with said proposed amended section 1, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 866 (file No. 406), entitled

A bill to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties and to punish offences committed thereat,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 845 (file No. 399), entitled

A bill to amend section 46 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being compiler's section 157 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to notification of elections,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 386, entitled

A bill to authorize the circuit court of Kalamazoo county to appoint a crier,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 1, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 152 (file No. 197), entitled

A bill authorizing a prosecution for larceny committed in any railroad car while en route, in any county through which said train passes,

And to inform the Senate that the House has adopted a substitute for the same, being

House file No. 402, entitled

A bill to provide that the crime of larceny when committed by a passenger or employé on a railroad train may be punished in another county than that in which such crime is committed,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The substitute for the bill was read a first and second time by its title, and Pending concurrence in its adoption,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The bill was referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 1, 1887.

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 851 (file No. 400), entitled

A bill to provide additional record evidence of the trust capacity of executors, administrators and guardians in certain cases.

2. House bill No. 626 (file No. 418), entitled

A bill to appoint commissioners and provide for laying out and establishing a State road in the county of Newaygo, and to make an appropriation of one-half a section of State swamp land per mile for constructing and improving the same, and to provide that the highway money taxes assessed and levied upon all lands situated within two miles on each side of said road shall be used in constructing and improving said road for a period of five years from the passage of this bill and to provide for raising and expending certain necessary funds therefor,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title and Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid upon the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 1, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 794 (file No. 416), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid in improving the channel of Maple river in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 1, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

1. House bill No. 262 (file No. 384), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 2, and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 12 of chapter 3, of act No. 326 of local acts of 1883, entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, relating to registration and elections in said city.

2. House bill No. 546 (file No. 397), entitled

A bill to define the duties of city and village marshals, constables, sheriffs and other officers relative to making complaints for violations of the laws regulating or prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors and to create a penalty for neglect of such duties.

3. House bill No. 577 (file No. 413), entitled

A bill to amend chapter No. 193 of the compiled laws of 1871, being chapter 267 of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding four new sections thereto, relative to the sale of homesteads for the payment of debts of deceased persons, and expenses of administering their estates,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (The Senate concurring), that from and after June 15th, A. D. 1887, the two houses will transact no other business than for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the approval of the Governor and the entry of the same on the Journal by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of House, and the time of final adjournment of the Legislature shall be Saturday, June 18th, at 12 m. of that day.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Sharp moved that the Senate concur in the adoption of the resolution.

Pending which,

Mr. Hubbell moved to lay the resolution upon the table.

On which

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay upon the table then prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W.L.,	Deyo,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	Willits,	
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Mr. Fox,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Sharp,	
Holbrook,	Laing,	Moon,	Wisner,	8

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 262, entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 28, 31, 33, 34, 45, 46, 47, and 48, of act No. 372 of the laws of 1867, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Flint," approved March 20, 1867, and the acts amendatory thereof, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 65 of said act.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same by striking out all the last proviso in section 58, and inserting the following in lieu thereof:

Provided, That a proposition for the payment of such salary of one hundred dollars each to the mayor and aldermen shall first be submitted to the qualified electors of said city at the annual city election for the year 1888, due notice of which election must be posted in five public places in said city and published in one or more newspapers in said city at least two weeks previous to said election. The vote upon such proposition shall be by ballot, either written or printed or partly written and partly printed. Ballots in favor of such proposition shall be in the following words: "Salary for mayor and aldermen, yes," and ballots against the same shall be in the following words: "Salary for mayor and aldermen, no,"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Palmer,	
Babcock, W.I.	Edwards,	Laing,	Potter,	
Barringer,	Fox,	Monroe,	Rairden,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Moon,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Howell,			22

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills :

1. House bill No. 625, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Newaygo, in the county of Newaygo, to borrow money to make public improvements in such village.

2. House bill No. 229 (file No. 427), entitled

A bill to amend section 64 of act number 153 of the public acts of the year 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885.

3. House bill No. 330 (file No. 431), entitled

A bill to preserve evidence of error or fraud in the counting of ballots and in election returns, and in the count of inspectors of election and the declaration of the board of canvassers, in contested elections,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered

to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Edwards moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 626 (file No. 418), entitled

A bill to appoint commissioners and provide for laying out and establishing a State road in the county of Newaygo and to make an appropriation of one-half a section of State swamp land per mile for constructing and improving the same and to provide that the highway money taxes assessed and levied upon all lands situated within two miles on each side of said road shall be used in constructing and improving said road for a period of five years from the passage of this bill and to provide for raising and expending certain necessary funds therefor.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. L.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Edwards,			

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table

House bill No. 13 (file No. 35), entitled

A bill to amend section three of act No. 233 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act relative to suits for libel," approved June 20, 1885,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Sharp
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof.	
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Title agreed to.

Mr. Monroe moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 359 (file No. 277), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the Michigan's Business Men's Association, and auxiliary associations,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The rules were suspended, two thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Laing,		
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Seymour moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 734 (file No. 410), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 1 of act No. 223 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of St. Ignace," approved March 14, 1883,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Edwards,	Monroe,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Willits,	24

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. O'Reilly offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, A statement was made in the Senate that there was an appropriation made by the present Legislature for the collection of labor statistics; therefore

Resolved, That the commissioner of labor furnish the Senate with a statement of how much was appropriated for the collection of labor statistics and what disposition has been made with the same.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The resolution was referred to the committee on labor.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 378 (file No. 363), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 43 of the laws of 1873, the same being compiler's section 9188 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the fraudulent removal or embezzlement of property leased or under contract of purchase, and to repeal section 2 of said act, the same being compiler's section 9189 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Edwards,	Monroe	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,		23

NAYS.

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 638 (file No. 319), entitled

A bill to amend sections 3 and 7 of act No. 37 of the public acts of 1883 entitled "An act to incorporate the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Michigan, and subordinate posts of the Grand Army of the Republic," approved April 21, 1883,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W.I.,	Fox,	Monroe,	Roof,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Post,	Wisner,
Deyo,			

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 645 (file No. 233), entitled,

A bill to amend section three of chapter four of act number two hundred and twenty-seven, of the public acts of eighteen hundred and eighty-five, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto,"

Was read a third time and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Post moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 6, section 3, after the word "stream," the words "and the sections shall be completed in the same order as let,"

Which motion did not prevail, and the bill was not so amended.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Fox,	Moon,	Stark,
Barton,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Laing,		

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NAYS.

Mr. Post,	
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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 611, (file No. 322), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 7 of act number 227 of the session laws of 1885, being an act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 13 of section 4 the words "assess and,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Monroe,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Moon,	Stark,
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,			

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 437 (file 343), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 57, public acts of 1877, entitled "An act authorizing the mortgagee or his legal representatives to purchase property on sale by foreclosure under chattel mortgage," approved April 30, 1877, being compiler's section 6200 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Laing,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Monroe,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
Crosby,			

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 106 (file No. 125), entitled

A bill to change the name of Albert Saunders to Albert Saunders Baldwin, and make him the heir-at-law of Edwin Baldwin and Harriet Baldwin,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Barton,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Willits,
Edwards,	Laing,	Roof,	Wisner,

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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 438 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to change the name of Helen C. Buck and that of each of her four children, Maggie R. Buck, Ella M. Buck, Jessie Buck and Robert C. Buck,

to Helen Clark, Maggie R. Clark, Ella M. Clark, Jesse Clark, and Robert C. Clark respectively,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Monroe,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	27

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 847 (file No. 188), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act number 157 of the session laws of 1851, entitled "An act to define the limits, jurisdiction and powers of circuit courts," being compiler's section 6460 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Roof,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Seymour,
Campbell,	Laing,	Post,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Monroe,	Potter,	Wisner,
			20

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, Whereupon the President called Mr. Sharp to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 565 (file No. 192), entitled

A bill to amend section 28 of chapter 17 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to laying out, altering or discontinuing highways,

Senate bill No. 114 (file No. 42), entitled

A bill to provide for the organization of township school districts and prescribing the powers and duties of the officers thereof,

House bill No. 204 (file No. 158), entitled

A bill to amend section 2, of chapter 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto, being act No. 227 of the session laws of 1885, approved June 20, 1885, relative to the appointment of county drain commissioners in certain cases,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 10 (file Na. 264), entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 5, 9, 18, 19, 38, 43 and 57, of act No. 249 of the session laws of 1871, entitled An act to incorporate the city of Alpena, approved March 29, 1871, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

JOHN C. SHARP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bill was placed on the order of third reading.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock, P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.*

Roll called: quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 804. By Mr. Wisner: Remonstrance of A. R. Penny and 500 others against the passage of the Perkins fish bill.

Referred to the committee on fisheries.

No. 805. By Mr. Palmer: Petition of J. H. Forsyth and 40 others asking for the passage of the Cole insurance bill.

Referred to the committee on insurance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 129 (House file 386), entitled

A bill to prevent the obstruction of sewers in the city of Detroit by water pipes, gas pipes or other pipes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 649, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Benton Harbor to raise money to aid in the construction of water works and to furnish a water supply for said village,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 574, entitled

A bill to extend the corporate limits of the city of Bay City,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 345 (file No. 194), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the township of Onota in the county of Alger.

2. Senate bill No 364 (file No. 246), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 11 of act No. 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all

acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, by adding four new sections thereto, to stand as sections 42, 43, 44, and 45.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

By the committee on horticulture:

The committee on horticulture, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 473, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 173 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the publication and distribution of the reports of the secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, and the reports of the secretary of the State Horticultural society, and to repeal all existing laws providing for the publication and distribution of said reports,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. N. POTTER, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, and referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 1, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

[Senate bill No. 136, file No. 196, being]

An act to amend section 10 of chapter 172 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 7 of the session laws of 1877, and act No. 4 of the public acts of 1883, relative to testamentary guardians.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

The message was laid upon the table.

The President *pro tem*. also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

[Senate substitute for House bill No. 57 (file No. 243), being]

An act to amend sections 13 and 16 of chapter 3; sections 1, 2, 4, 18, 22, 24, 25 and 33 of chapter 4; sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 5; section 1 of chapter 6; sections 1, 8, 9, 13, 15, 17, 21, 25 and 65 of chapter 7; section 1 of chapter 8; sections 9, 20, 24 and 28 of chapter 11; and to repeal sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 66 of chapter 7; and sections 2 and 3 of chapter 8, of an act entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883; and to add to chapter 8 of said act four new sections to stand as sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, so as to abolish the board of councilmen and to establish a board of estimates in and for the city of Detroit.

Also,

[Senate bill No. 364 (file No. 246), being]

An act to amend chapter 11 of act No. 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, by adding 4 new sections thereto, to stand as sections 42, 43, 44 and 45.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

The message was laid on the table.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the Honorable Senate:

Permit me most respectfully to direct the attention of your honorable body to Senate bill number 36, file number 140, being a bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan, and now before me for consideration.

The policy heretofore maintained has been to admit to our State educational institutions, students from other States and countries, and which policy, under certain restrictions, I deem to be wise.

The practice, however, of opening the doors of those institutions to students from outside our borders, at but a slightly increased tuition, over resident students, but at an actual cost to the State largely in excess of what is paid by them, is open to some question.

I also have before me at this time for consideration a bill making appropriation for the support of the State agricultural college, and in which I find the following provision, namely: "*Provided*, That it shall be the duty of the State board of agriculture to fix such tuition fee for non-resident students as shall in its judgment compensate for the extra expense for accommodating such students."

At the latter institution I find the appropriation to be as passed by your honorable bodies, \$65,205, being about \$6,000 in excess of the appropriation two years ago, this sum being for a period of two years.

I also find in comparing the general and special appropriations for the university, met by direct tax for the last three biennial periods to be as follows:

1883-4.	One-twentieth mill tax	\$81,000 00
	Homeopathic College	12,000 00
	Legislative appropriation	62,900 00
	Total	\$155,900 00
1885-6.	One-twentieth mill tax	\$81,000 00
	Homeopathic College	12,000 00
	Legislative appropriation	107,500 00
	Total	\$200,500 00
1887-8.	One-twentieth mill tax	\$94 545 00
	Homeopathic College	12,000 00
	Legislative appropriation	192,565 94
	Total	\$299,110 94

To each of the above totals should be added about \$60,000, being the interest fund biennially upon university lands.

The last catalogue of the university for the years 1886-7, shows of the total enrollment of students, 1572, that 791 are from Michigan, and 781 from foreign States and countries.

The tuition per year for Michigan students being from \$20 to \$25, and for foreign students from \$30 to \$35 in addition to matriculation and diploma fees, the total fees received during the last two years, approximating: Michigan students \$52,000, and from foreign students \$78,000. It will thus be seen that the people of Michigan, with their 791 students in the university, are required to pay for the years 1887-8,

Total above found.....	\$299,110 94
University land tax.....	60,000 00
Michigan students, fees.....	52,000 00
Total	\$411,110 94

While 781 foreign students are reaping the same benefits and equal advantages for but \$78,000.

Were this in the line of other great educational institutions of the eastern States with which our university vies, the discrepancy might not be so apparent. But on the contrary we find Amherst college charging a tuition of \$110 per year; Yale, 140; Harvard, \$150, etc.

I fully endorse the policy of charging our own students but a moderate tuition, but believe that it is not sound or wise policy to extend such privileges to students of other states and countries, at the expense of Michigan tax-payers, and with returns in students' fees so far below those charged by other first-class colleges.

Again, it seems quite unfair to require that tuition of non-resident students at one of our state educational institutions should be regulated by the additional expense they will cause, and not to require the same of another. If the provision be a wise one at the Agricultural College, as it is claimed to be, I cannot see why the same provision would not be equally wise at the university and State normal school. If this were done, as I trust it will be, then the appropriation could be materially lessened without in any manner crippling the University, and which should not be done.

In the message which I had the honor to present to the Legislature when it assembled I said, "We cannot afford to impair or cripple the usefulness of any of our State institutions. The educational, charitable and penal must be provided for, but the most scrutinizing care should be exercised in making appropriations." To this proposition I still adhere, though sharing in the pride which we have a right to feel in the high distinction our university has attained.

In the same message, I had the honor to call your attention also to the appropriations asked for buildings in which to establish new specialties and branches at the university, and asked your earnest attention to the same, for reasons therein briefly given, and which consideration I have no reason to doubt has been given. And yet, I am of the opinion that the item of \$75,000 for new buildings and the equipment thereof could be greatly reduced and the university still maintain its high degree of efficiency.

It is therefore in consideration of these and other reasons that I most re-

spectfully, though reluctantly, ask your honorable bodies to recall the above bill that you may consider the advisability of making the changes therein, above suggested, in such manner as in your wisdom may seem proper.

Respectfully,

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Sharp

The message was referred to the committee on university.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 462 (file No. 422), entitled

A bill to provide for corporations to diffuse moral and religious knowledge and instruction, and to receive and apply such gifts, loans and advances, and accept and execute such trusts as shall be made for such purposes, and to enable individuals and also associations existing under chapter 178 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended, to effect incorporation for such purposes.

2. House bill No. 287 (file No. 424), entitled

A bill to form school district No. 10 of the township of Wyoming, in the county of Kent, out of portions of sections 19, 20, 21, 29 and 30 of said township now constituting part of school district No. 1 of said township.

3. House bill No. 559 (file No. 438), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Midland, in Midland county, to convey certain real estate to the city of Midland,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on religious and benevolent societies.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on education and public schools.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 239 (file No. 112), entitled

A bill to amend sections 15 and 16, chapter 192 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's sections 7674 and 7675 of Howell's annotated statutes

of Michigan, relative to judgments and executions so as to confer the power of appointment of persons therein named upon circuit judges, and to extend such power to the service of all processes in any proceeding at law or in equity.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 302 (file No. 433), entitled

A bill to amend section 53 of act number 153 of the session laws of 1885 entitled, An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon.

2. House bill No. 208 (file No. 437), entitled

A bill to amend sections 5968 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the competency of witnesses and the examination of parties in certain cases as amended by act No. 155 of the public acts of 1875, approved April 29, 1875, and by act No. 245 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 10, 1881, being compiler's section 7545 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 139 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 4, 1885.

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. }
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 193 (file No. 415), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Barry to drain and reclaim certain swamp and overflowed lands by opening and deepening Thornapple river near the outlet of Thornapple lake, to authorize a tax to complete the same and provide for such opening and deepening of such outlet.

2. House bill No. 552 (file No. 420), entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of a State road bridge across Black

river in the township of Grant, in St. Clair county, and to appropriate State swamp land, the proceeds of which to be used in the construction of said bridge.

3. House bill No. 797 (file No. 429), entitled

A bill to prohibit fishing with nets in any of the lakes, bays, bayous, harbors or streams of Muskegon county, in this State,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and laid on the table.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 574, entitled

A bill to extend the corporate limits of the city of Bay City.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives

Mr. Wisner moved that the bill be taken from the table and the request of the House complied with.

Which motion prevailed.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 797 (file No. 429), entitled

A bill to prohibit fishing with nets in any of the lakes, bays, bayous, harbors or streams of Muskegon county, in this State.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Fox moved that the bill be taken from the table and the request of the House complied with.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Willits moved to take from the table the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved (The Senate concurring), that from and after June 15th, A. D. 1887, the two houses will transact no other business than for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the approval of the Governor and the entry of the same on the Journal by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of House, and the time of final adjournment of the Legislature shall be Saturday, June 18th, at 12 m. of that day.

On which,

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer, Howell,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Willits,	
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Mr. Atwood, Barton, Campbell, Crosby, Deyo, Edwards,	Mr. Giddings, Harshaw, Holbrook, Hubbell, Moon,	Mr. O'Reilly, Palmer, Post, Potter, Rairden,	Mr. Roof, Seymour, Stark, Westgate, Wisner,	
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On motion of Mr. Deyo,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. J. W. Babcock.

The President *pro tem.* announced that the time of 2:30 o'clock P. M. had arrived, the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being for the further consideration of

Senate file No. 278, being

Senate substitute for House bill No. 504 (file No. 414), entitled, "A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State."

Mr. Edwards moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed until Monday, June 6, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Pending which,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend by making the time Wednesday, June 8, at 10 o'clock A. M.

On which,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood, Barringer, Barton, Crosby, Deyo,	Mr. Fox, Giddings, Gorman, Harshaw, Hubbell,	Mr. Laing, O'Reilly, Palmer, Rairden,	Mr. Roof, Seymour, Sharp, Stark,	
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Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Holbrook, Howell,	Mr. Moon, Post,	Mr. Westgate, Willits,
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The motion as amended then prevailed.

Mr. Palmer moved to take from the table

House bill No. 158 (file No. 67), entitled

A bill making it the duty of the several registers of deeds in this State to keep up such indexes as shall be provided by the several counties.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Giddings moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 2 section 2 the words "one hundred," and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Edwards moved that the enacting clause of the bill be stricken out.

Pending which,

Leave being granted,

Mr. Fox moved to amend the bill as follows: By striking out of line 3, Sec. 1, the words "shall be furnished and," also the words "board of supervisors of each county, and the county auditors of Wayne county," and inserting in lieu of the latter the word "statutes,"

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

The motion to strike out the enacting clause then did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the bill so as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That every register of deeds who shall neglect or refuse to keep up such indexes as are required by law shall forfeit the sum of ten dollars, for each and every such neglect or refusal, which may be recovered in an action of debt before any court of competent jurisdiction.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby.,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,	Moon,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Fox,			

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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I., Mr. Deyo, Mr. Holbrook,

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill providing for a forfeiture by every register of deeds in this State who shall neglect or refuse to keep up such indexes as are required by law, and for the recovery of the same.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President *pro tem.* called Mr. Fox to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 705 (file No. 249), entitled

A bill to amend section 15, of chapter 179, of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to criminal proceedings before justices of the peace, as amended by act No. 169, of the session laws of 1877, being compiler's section 7106 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Senate bill No. 222 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the House of the Good Shepherd at Detroit.

House bill No. 644 (file No. 250), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 240 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9053 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to fees of officers and ministers of justice in criminal cases.

House bill No. 809 (file No. 331), entitled

A bill to amend section 16 of act No. 173 of the session laws of 1855, being section 6829 of Howell's annotated statutes relating to justices' courts.

House bill No. 580 (file No. 349), entitled

A bill to amend section 23 of act No. 250 of the session laws of 1873, being an act to revise the charter of the city of Coldwater, as amended by act No. 358 of the local acts of the session laws of 1879, by adding a proviso for alternative sentences by justices of the peace.

House bill No. 128 (file No. 93), entitled

A bill to repeal section 7 of act No. 259 of the session laws of 1881, being compiler's section 2276 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to punishment of drunk and intoxicated persons.

House bill No. 704 (file No. 251), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act relative to the costs of proceedings in criminal cases," approved March 13, 1849, being section 7490 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 213, session laws of 1879, being compiler's section 9065, Howell's annotated statutes.

House bill No. 120 (file No. 53), entitled

A bill to amend section 4366 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 5836 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the residuary legatees bonds.

House bill No. 323 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend section 4813 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 6310 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the support of minors whose father is living.

House bill No. 117 (file No. 50), entitled

A bill to repeal sections 4854, 4855 and 4856 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 188 of the laws of 1877, and act 57 of the laws of 1879,

being chapter 242 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the adoption and change of name of minors, and the change of names of adults.

House bill No. 635 (file No. 207), entitled

A bill to prohibit appeals from orders of probate courts, removing executors, administrators, guardians and trustees in certain cases.

House bill No. 322 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to amend section 5219 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 6782 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to appeals from orders of probate courts.

House bill No. 324 (file No. 205), entitled

A bill to amend section 4443 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 5911 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to appeals from the decisions and report of commissioners on claims against deceased persons.

House bill No. 119 (file No. 52), entitled

A bill to provide for the change of name of adults.

House bill No. 749 (file No. 304), entitled

A bill to authorize Edwin A. Bullard to build and maintain a dam across Cass River.

Senate bill No. 489 (file No. 256), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Wisner and Gilford in the county of Tuscola, to borrow money for the construction of a drain in said townships and to issue bonds therefor.

Senate bill No. 283 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, as amended by act number 174 of the public acts of 1883, relative to the running of passenger trains.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 685 (file No. 258), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 168, session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders," approved April 29, 1873, as amended by an act to amend section 1 of said act, approved March 19, 1875, the same being sections 9894, 9895, 9896, 9897, 9898 and 9899 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 379 (file No. 254), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of act No. 53 of the public acts of 1877, entitled "An act to provide for the better support of teachers' institutes, and to repeal sections 3789, 3790 and 3791 of the compiled laws of 1871," approved April 5, 1877, as amended by act No. 112 of the public acts of 1883.

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the committee on education and public schools.

IV.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 131 (file No. 262), entitled

A bill to repeal act 241 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 8, 1881.

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the committee on public health.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill, and the same was recommitted to the committee on education and public schools.

The question being on concurring in the recommendation of the committee regarding the fourth named bill.

Mr. Sharp moved that the bill be returned to the general order.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. O'Rielly,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 3, 1887.

The Senate met, and was called to order by the President *pro tem*. at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Giddings, Holbrook and Monroe.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Giddings for the day.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Holbrook for the day.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Monroe for the balance of the week.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on insurance:

The committee on insurance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 739 (file No. 385), entitled

A bill to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of co-operative and mutual benefit associations, and to define the powers and duties, and regulate the transactions of the business of all such corporations and associations doing business within this State.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, as found in the accompanying reprint of the bill, being

Senate reprint of House bill No. 739 (Senate file No. 285), entitled

A bill to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of co-operative and mutual benefit associations, and to define the powers and duties and regulate the transactions of the business of all such corporations and associations doing business within this State,

Recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and

On motion of Mr. Post,

The further consideration of the bill was made the special order for Tuesday, June 7, at 10 o'clock A. M., two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred

House bill No. 287 (file No. 424), entitled

A bill to form school district No. 10 of the township of Wyoming in the county of Kent, out of portions of sections 19, 20, 21, 29 and 30 of said township now constituting part of school district No. 1 of said township,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred (with instructions to make certain amendments)

Senate bill No. 228 (file No. 176), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for completing and furnishing the attics of the northern Michigan asylum for the insane, and building a detached cottage therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and acting under instructions from Senate, have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate:

The committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the following account:

State of Michigan, Dr.,

To Mrs. Salspaugh washing 62 towels @ 5c..... \$3 10

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending the allowance of the same, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The report was adopted.

By the committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate.

The committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses, of the Senate, to whom was referred the following accounts:

Of J. T. Edwards for 46 deliveries of mineral water.....\$45.00

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending the allowance of the same, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The report was adopted.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 239 (file 112), entitled

A bill to amend sections 15 and 16, chapter 192 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's sections 7674 and 7675 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to judgments and executions so as to confer the power of appointment of persons therein named upon circuit judges, and to extend such power to the service of all processes in any proceeding at law or in equity.

FLOYD L. POST, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 43 (file No. 186), entitled

A bill to amend section two of an act entitled "An act making appropriations for the expenses of the State officers and State government for the years 1885 and 1886 and to provide a tax for the payment of the same," approved June 14, 1885,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

By inserting in line 1, section 1, after the word "act," and before the word "entitled," the words "No. 222 public acts of 1885,"

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 222, public acts of 1885, entitled An act making appropriations for the expenses of the State officers and State government, for the years 1885 and 1886, and to provide a tax for the payment of the same," approved June 18, 1885,

In the passage of which, as thus amended and with the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W.I.	Edwards	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barringer,	Fox,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Gorman,	Post,	Willits,	
Campbell	Harshaw,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,		23

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Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Laing,	2
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The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the title,

The Senate concurred.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 220 (file No. 151). entitled

A bill to amend section 5. of act 31, of the public acts of 1858, being compiler's section 5394 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the sale and reclamation of swamp lands and securing the preëmption of settlers, as amended by act No. 181, of the public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

By striking out section 1 of the bill and inserting the following to stand as section 1.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 5 of act number 31 of the session laws of 1858, entitled "An act to provide for the sale of swamp lands, and the re-clamation thereof, and to secure the pre-emption claims of settlers thereon," approved February 4, 1858, being consecutive section 3942 of the compiled laws of 1871, and compiler's section 5394 of Howell's annotated statutes as amended by act number 181 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 10th, 1885, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section five of act number thirty-one of the session laws of eighteen hundred and fifty-eight, entitled "An act to provide for the sale of the swamp lands and the reclamation thereof and to secure the preemption claims of settlers thereon," approved February 4th, 1858, being consecutive section 3942 of the compiled laws of 1871, and compiler's section 5394 of Howell's annotated statutes as amended by act No. 181 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 10th, 1885,

In the passage of which as thus amended and with the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Edwards,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,		23

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The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title,

The Senate concurred.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:
House bill No. 31 (file No. 262), entitled

A bill to carry into effect section 12 of article 15 of the constitution, relative to the holding real estate by corporations,

Which has passed the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on public lands.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 2, 1887.

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 833, entitled

A bill to re-incorporate the village of Rockford.

2. House bill No. 478, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 282 of the local acts of 1875, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Lansing," approved March 25, 1875, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, by adding thereto a new title, to stand as title 17, and to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of title 12 of said act.

3. House bills Nos. 304 and 617 (file No. 430), entitled,

A bill to amend sections 2, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of act No. 246 of the session laws of 1861, entitled "An act to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes for the passage of fish through the dams across the streams of this State, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, the same being sections 2150, 2153, 2154, 2155 and 2156 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on fisheries.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sharp moved that a respectful message be sent to the Governor asking for the return of

Senate bill No. 254 (file No. 75), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 53 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to disorderly persons, as amended by act 136 of the public acts of 1883, approved May, 1883,

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 114 (file No. 42), entitled

A bill to provide for the organization of township school districts and prescribing the powers and duties of the officers thereof,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding to section 1 the following words: "And provided further that no organized school district shall be abolished under the provisions of this act unless the legal voters thereof shall consent thereto by a vote at any regular school meeting legally held in said district,"

Pending which,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the amendment by adding after the word "vote," the words "of two-thirds of the electors," also by inserting after the word "any," the word "regular,"

Which motion prevailed.

The amendment as amended was then adopted.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Westgate moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. By striking out of line 2, of section 2, the word "public" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "school;"

3. By inserting in line 3, of section 2, after the word "property" the words "acquired for school purposes;"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 3, section 2, after the word "sell" the words "with the consent of a majority of the voters of said district,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Westgate moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 1, section 4, the words "school inspectors of the township" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "directors of each of the sub districts,

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 12, section 9, after the word "sale" the words "as provided in section 2,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Pending further action on the bill

Mr. Moon moved that the bill be laid on the table,

On which,

Mr. Willits demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay on the table then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W. L.,	Crosby,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Rairden,	

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Mr. Deyo, Edwards, Harshaw,	Mr. Howell, Laing, Post,	Mr. Potter, Roof, Seymour,	Mr. Stark, Westgate, Wisner,	12
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After further consideration,

Mr. Westgate moved that the bill be laid upon the table.

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill as amended was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS

Mr. Campbell, Fox, Harshaw, Howell,	Mr. Hubbell, Laing, Post,	Mr. Potter, Roof, Seymour,	Mr. Stark, Westgate, Wisner,	13
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Mr. Atwood, Babcock, W. I. Barringer, Crosby,	Mr. Deyo, Edwards, Gorman, Mayo,	Mr. Moon, O'Reilly, Palmer,	Mr. Rairden, Sharp, Willits,	14
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Mr. Westgate moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill.

Pending which,

Mr. Sharp moved to lay the motion upon the table,

On which,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood, Babcock, W. I., Barringer, Crosby,	Mr. Deyo, Edwards, Gorman, Mayo,	Mr. Moon, O'Reilly, Palmer,	Mr. Rairden, Sharp, Willits,	14
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Mr. Campbell, Fox, Harshaw, Howell,	Mr. Hubbell, Laing, Post,	Mr. Potter, Roof, Seymour,	Mr. Stark, Westgate, Wisner,	13
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Senate bill No. 10 (file No. 264). entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 5, 9, 18, 19, 38, 43, 57, of act 249, of the session laws of 1871, entitled An act to incorporate the city of Alpena, approved March 29, 1871, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof,

Was read a third time and passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood, Babcock, W. I. Barringer.	Mr. Fox, Gorman, Harshaw,	Mr. Moon, O'Reilly, Palmer,	Mr. Roof, Seymour, Sharp,
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Mr. Campbell, Crosby, Deyo, Edwards,	Mr. Howell, Hubbell, Laing, Mayo,	Mr. Post, Potter, Rairden,	Mr. Stark, Westgate, Wisner,	26 0
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The question being on agreeing to the title,
Mr. Harshaw moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:
By striking out the words "and 57," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "57 and 84,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 565 (file No. 192), entitled

A bill to amend section 28 of chapter 17 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to laying out, altering or discontinuing highways,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows: By striking out of line 3, sec. 28, the word "Six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twelve,"

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood, Babcock, W. I. Barringer, Campbell, Crosby,	Mr. Deyo, Edwards, Fox, Gorman, Hubbell,	Mr. Laing, Moon, O'Reilly, Post, Potter,	Mr. Rairden, Seymour, Stark, Willits, Wisner,	20
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Mr. Howell,	Mr. Mayo,	2
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Title agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Willits moved to amend the title as follows:

A bill to amend section number 28 of chapter 10 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 500 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to laying out, altering or discontinuing highways,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

House bill No. 204 (file No. 158), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto, being act No. 227 of the session laws of 1885, approved June 20, 1885, relative to the appointment of county drain commissioners in certain cases,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Hubbell,	O'Reilly,	Willits,	
Fox,	Laing,	Palmer,	Wisner,	
Gorman,	Mayo,	Potter,		15

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Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Deyo,	2
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Mr. Moon moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Rairden,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Roof,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Post,	Wisner,	24

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect

Senate bill No. 283 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, as amended by act number 174 of the public acts of 1883, relative to the running of passenger trains,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,		23

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Seymour moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 46 of act number 198 of the session laws of 1873, as amended by act number 174 of the public acts of 1883, relative to the running of passenger trains, and to add two new sections to said act, to stand as sections 47 and 48.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 222 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the House of the Good Shepherd, at Detroit.

Was read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: a quorum present.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Barton for the balance of the day.

The Senate resumed the consideration of

Senate bill No. 222 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the House of the Good Shepherd at Detroit,

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage,

It was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Stark,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Barringer,	Laing,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,		15

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Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Potter,	
Edwards,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	8

Mr. Gorman moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

The bill was laid upon the table.

House bill No. 644 (file No. 250), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 240 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9053 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to fees of officers and ministers of justice in criminal cases,

Was read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

Mr. Roof moved that

The bill be laid on the table,
Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Fox,	Hubbell,	Post,	Willits,	
Gorman,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Harshaw,				13

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Deyo,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Edwards,	Palmer,	Westgate,	12

Mr. Roof moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Pending which,

Mr. Deyo moved to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table,

On which

Mr. Willits demanded the yeas and nays,

The motion to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table then did not prevail by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,	
Deyo,	Mayo,			6

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Seymour,	
Barringer,	Howell,	Post,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Fox,	Moon,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Gorman,				21

The question recurring on the motion to reconsider,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to reconsider then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Seymour,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Sharp,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Fox,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,	20

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Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. O'Reilly,	
Deyo,				5

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid upon the table.

House bill No. 809 (file No. 331), entitled

A bill to amend section 16 of act No. 173 of the session laws of 1855, being section 6829 of Howell's annotated statutes relating to justices' courts.

Was read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

Mr. Deyo moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee of the whole.

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Stark,	
Gorman,	Palmer,	Roof	Wisner,	8

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Post,	
Campbell,	Fox,	Mayo,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Howell,	O'Reilly,		15

House bill No. 580 (file No. 349), entitled

A bill to amend section 23 of act No. 250 of the session laws of 1873, being an act to revise the charter of the city of Coldwater, as amended by act No. 358 of the local acts of the session laws of 1879, by adding a proviso for alternative sentences by justices of the peace,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 23, sec. 23, after the word "chattels," the words "liable to sale on execution;" also, by inserting in line 24, before the word "goods," the word "such."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Stark,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,	Wisner,	24

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 705 (file No. 249), entitled

A bill to amend section 15, chapter 179, compiled laws of 1871, relative to criminal proceedings before justices of the peace, as amended by act No. 169, session laws of 1877, being compiler's section 7106 Howell's annotated statutes.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Post,	Stark,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Willits,	24

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 704 (file No. 251), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of an act relative to the costs of proceedings in criminal cases, approved March 13, 1849, being section 7490 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 213, session laws of 1879, being compiler's section 9065 Howell's annotated statutes.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Post,	Stark,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Fox,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Gorman,	Moon,	Roof,		23

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 128 (file No. 93), entitled

A bill to repeal section 7 of act No. 259 of the session laws of 1881, being compiler's section 2276 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to punishment of drunk and intoxicated persons,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Edwards,	Mayo,			26

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Mr. Stark,		1
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Moon

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 120 (file No. 53), entitled

A bill to amend section 4366 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 5836 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the residuary legatees bonds,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,!	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,		27

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 323 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend section 4818 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 6310 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the support of minors whose father is living.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,		27

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 635 (file No. 207), entitled

A bill to prohibit appeals from orders of probate courts, removing executors, administrators, guardians, and trustees in certain cases,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,		27

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 322 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to amend section 5219 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 6782 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to appeals from orders of probate courts.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Howell,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Post,	Stark,
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	Westgate,
Deyo,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Willits,
Edwards,	Moon,	Roof,	Wisner,
Fox,			

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 324 (file No. 205), entitled

A bill to amend section 4443 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 5911 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to appeals from the decisions and report of commissioners on claims against deceased persons,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Stark,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Westgate,
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	Wisner,
Fox,	Moon,		

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 119 (file No. 52), entitled

A bill to provide for the change of name of adults,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Stark,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Westgate,
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	Wisner,
Fox,	Moon,		

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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 117 (file No. 50), entitled

A bill to repeal sections 4854, 4855 and 4856 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 188 of the laws of 1877, and act 57 of the laws of 1879,

being chapter 242 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the adoption and change of name of minors, and the change of names of adults,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Mayo,			26

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 749 (file No. 304), entitled

A bill to authorize Edwin A. Bullard to build and maintain a dam across Cass River,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, and follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,		23

NAYS.

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Title agreed to,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 489 (file No. 256), entitled

A bill to authorize the townships of Wisner and Gilford in the county of Tuscola, to borrow money for the construction of a drain in said townships, and to issue bonds therefor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W.I.	Gorman,	Post,	Stark,	
Barringer,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Moon,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	O'Reilly,			22

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Mr. Howell,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 685 (file No. 258), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 168, session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act establishing a State Agency for the care of juvenile offenders," approved April 29, 1873, as amended by an act to amend section 1 of said act, approved March 19, 1875, the same being sections 9894, 9895, 9896, 9897, 9898 and 9899 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Post,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof.	Wisner,	
Edwards,				25

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Gorman moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 174 (file No. 220), entitled

A bill to take away from the Detroit and Saline Plank Road company, a corporation incorporated under act No. 100 of the session laws of 1848, entitled "An act to incorporate the Detroit and Saline Plank Road Company," all that part of its present road lying west of a public highway crossing it at right angles at a point about seven miles east of the city of Ypsilanti, known as Sheldon's corners.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon the motion to amend the bill by adding at the end of the bill the following words:

Provided, That this act shall not take effect until said plank road company shall file with the secretary of State consent in writing thereto; and

Provided further, That the State shall in no case be liable in any amount therefor."

The motion to amend prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Howell,	Post,	Stark,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,
Deyo,	Mayo,	Roof,	Wisner,
Fox,	Moon,		

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Westgate moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 287 (file No. 424), entitled

A bill to form school district number 10 of the township of Wyoming, in the county of Kent, out of portions of sections 19, 20, 21, 29 and 30 of said township now constituting part of school district number 1 of said township.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and he is hereby instructed to place all Senate bills, reported finally by committees, at the head of the general order in committee of the whole,

Which was adopted.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate returned to the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 281 (file No. 87), entitled

A bill to require persons and corporations owning or operating any railroad wholly or partly within this State, and not organized under the laws of this State for the incorporation of railroad companies, nor under the provisions of a charter granted by the Legislature to comply with the law governing railroad companies incorporated under the laws of the State, so far as the same shall be applicable, and to further provide for the government of such persons and corporations,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 41 (file No. 79), entitled

A bill to facilitate exchange of traffic between railroad companies at connecting and junction points,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on mines, minerals and mining interests:

The committee on mines, minerals and mining interests, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 303, entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of act No. 9 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a commissioner of mineral statistics, and defining the duties and compensation of the same," as amended by act No. 74 of the session laws of 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 883, entitled

A bill to reincorporate the village of Rockford,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and

have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 326 (file No. 388), entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Cheboygan, in the county of Cheboygan, to erect, operate and maintain an electric light plant in connection with its water works,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 321 (file No. 389), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 7, section 20 of chapter 9, section 4 of chapter 11, of act No. 62, of the session laws of 1875, entitled "An act granting and defining the powers and duties of incorporated villages," approved April 1, 1875, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, being compiler's sections 2847, 2942, and 2973, of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 625, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Newaygo, in the county of Newaygo, to borrow money to make public improvements in such village,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and

that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

Leave of absence was granted to himself after to-day until Monday night, June 6.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which,

Mr. Gorman demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Wisner,	
Gorman,	Palmer,			6

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Howell,	Post,	Stark,	
Barringer,	Laing,	Rairden,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Mayo,	Seymour,	Willits,	18
Edwards,	Moon,			

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 3, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 409 (file No. 261), entitled

A bill appropriating money for additional buildings, improvements and general repairs for the State prison at Jackson,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate adjourn,

On which,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood, Crosby,	Mr. Deyo, Gorman,	Mr. Harshaw, Hubbell,	Post,	7
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Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Palmer.	Mr. Sharp,	
Barringer,	Laing,	Potter,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Moon,	Roof,	Willits,	
Fox,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,		19

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 3, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 387 (file No. 439), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 198 of the public acts of 1879, entitled
An act to provide for the regulation and enforcement of assignments for the
benefit of creditors, approved May 13, 1879, as amended by act No. 278 of
the public acts of 1881, approved June 11, 1881, being compiler's section
8740 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect,
and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the
committee on judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 3, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following
entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 209 (file No. 226), entitled

A bill to protect the chastity of girls between the ages of fourteen and
sixteen years, and to punish the violation thereof,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all
the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment
for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 3, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 491 (file No. 459), entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Marine City, in the county of St. Clair, and to repeal act No. 328, of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Marine City," approved April 23, 1885,

2. House bill No. 763, entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of dredging and improving the water course between Bellaire and the waters of Torch Lake in Antrim county,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Barringer,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Edwards,	Mayo,			26

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barringer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to take from the table

House bill No. 163 (file No. 86), entitled

A bill for the prevention and restriction of hydrophobia and glanders.

Pending which,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Post,	Sharp,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Stark,	14
Deyo	Laing,			

NAYS.

Mr. Barringer, Campbell, Edwards,	Mr. Fox, Howell, Mayo,	Mr. Moon, O'Reilly, Potter,	Mr. Seymour, Westgate, Willits,	12
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And the Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 4, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Holbrook and Wisner.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Holbrook for the day.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Wisner for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 806. The following memorial was received by mail and ordered spread at length upon the journal.

GRAND RAPIDS, June 2, 1887.

To the Honorable the Senate of Michigan :

At a meeting of physio-medical physicians and surgeons, held at Grand Rapids, Michigan, June 1 and 2, the following resolutions were adopted :

WHEREAS, There is before the Legislature of the State of Michigan a bill to provide for the registration of physicians and surgeons, and to protect the people of the State of Michigan from empericism and quackery (Senate bill, file No. 253), which is especially unfair to the physio-medical school of medicine, inasmuch as it makes, at least, some provision or recognition of all other schools, as the allopathic or regular, homeopathic and eclectic schools of medicine, providing each of the above named with some members of the examining board, except the physio-medical, which is totally ignored in the bill; and inasmuch as the bill has the avowed object "of protecting the people" of the State against medical dangers, by forbidding under penalty of law, to prescribe medicine for the sick, except a medical board of allopathic, homeopathic and eclectic examiners are willing to allow our physio-medical practitioners; and

WHEREAS, All those "who profess to cure all diseases without the use of medicines," (see sec. 14), are excluded from the said penalties, it shows that the danger from which the people of this State need protection lies in the drug medication as known and practiced by the three schools of medicine named in the bill, and that there is the required safety outside of the medical profession. This drug danger for which the bill provides protection must

be in dangerous or poisonous drugs. If it was a bill for the better education of those who assume the responsibility of a physician, it should also include those who use no drugs for they are often equally ignorant with others who use drugs; and

WHEREAS, The physio-medical school of practice professes to use, for the purpose of curing only sanative agents, excluding as worthless and injurious all poisons that tend to make well people sick and often cause death; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the physio-medical physicians and surgeons of Michigan, who have their State medical association in this State and well regulated colleges in other States, where the requirement of graduation is even higher than that named in the bill (see sec. 8), pray our legislators to be equally represented on the board of examiners with any other school of medicine, or be excluded from the penalties of the bill, with other so-called harmless factions, as provided in section 13.

Resolved, That whereas, the physio-medical physicians and their friends have been unjustly taxed for the support of the medical departments of other schools maintained at public expense by our State, we pray not to have this additional unjust measure passed against a medical reform so much needed in our day to protect the people of the State of Michigan against the use of dangerous drugs.

Resolved. That copies of these resolutions be sent to the Governor and both houses of the State Legislature.

Respectfully submitted,

A. NYLAND, *Secretary*.

Referred to the committee on public health.

No. 807. Mr. Gorman presented the following petition, which was ordered spread at length upon the Journal:

To Hon. Senator Gorman :

SENATOR—We, the undersigned citizens of Monroe, would respectfully petition your honorable body to pass House bill No. 282, known as the Cole bill; and we would further ask you as a personal favor to investigate "Compact Insurance," and ventilate it in the Senate.

Geo. Spalding,	C B. Stoddard.
H. T. Cole,	P. S. Root, M. D.,
John Davidson,	Jas. Sedlazeck,
N. N. Kenard,	Andrew J. Wagner,
Chas. H. Sanders,	N. Nadeau & Son,
Paul P. Morgan,	Gustav Stier,
Frank S. Sell,	Joseph Swop,
John G. Eisman,	E. R. Gilday.
James Armitage,	I. E. D'Genfritz & Son,
S. Freipenburg & Son,	F. Wallder & Son,
Chas. G. Morris,	Democrat Pub. Co.,
Dewal & Wagner	E. R. Hurd,
Julius Weiss,	William Steiner,
Monroe Paper Co.,	Frank Sedlaczek,
Vergho Brothers,	Ezekiel A. Peltier,

Referred to the committee on insurance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred House bill No. 919 (file No. 398), entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the township board of the township of Maple River, in the county of Emmet, in this State, to compromise, settle and discharge a judgment rendered in the circuit court of the county of Emmet, in favor of said township of Maple River and against George W. Green, a defaulting treasurer of said township, and William Kage, William Longaker and Leroy Sandford, his sureties, for less than the full amount thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 262, entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 28, 31, 33, 34, 45, 46, 47, and 48, 49, 58, 61 and 64 of act No. 372 of the laws of 1867, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Flint," approved March 20, 1867, and the acts amendatory thereof, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 65 of said act,

2. Senate bill No. 409 (file No. 261), entitled

A bill appropriating money for additional buildings, improvements and general repairs for the state prison at Jackson.

3. Senate bill No. 209 (file No. 226), entitled

A bill to protect the chastity of girls between the ages of 14 and 16 years and to punish the violation thereof.

FLOYD L. POST, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on state affairs:

The committee on state affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 113, entitled

A bill to prevent the selling, giving away or in any other way furnishing tobacco in any form to minors under the age of sixteen years,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on military affairs:

The committee on military affairs, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 292, entitled

A bill for the relief of James Hitchcock,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 380, entitled

A bill in relation to the manufacture and sale of vinegar,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

She bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 43 (file No. 186), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of an act No. 222, public acts of 1885, entitled "An act making appropriations for the expenses of State officers and State government for the years 1885 and 1886, and to provide a tax for the payment of the same," approved June 18, 1885,

2. Senate bill No. 220 (file No. 151), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 31, session laws of 1858, entitled "An act to provide for the sale of the swamp lands, and the reclamation thereof and to secure the pre-emption claims of settlers thereon," approved February 4, 1858, being consecutive section 3942 of the compiled laws of 1871, and compiler's section 5394 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 181 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885.

JOHN RAIRDEN, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on federal relations:

The committee on federal relations, to whom was referred the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The office of hull inspector must be filled by a man who has passed examination as a pilot, barring out a practical ship carpenter from holding the position; therefore,

Resolved, The House concurring, that our Senators and Representatives in Congress be requested to use their influence to separate these two parts of the duties of said office, so that a practical ship carpenter may be appointed to said office of hull inspector, and that it be the duty of said hull inspector to regulate the draft of vessels on the inland lakes to prevent overloading of such,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it be adopted, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

L. G. PALMER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. O'Reilly moved to amend by adding:

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to forward a copy of these resolutions to our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

Which motion prevailed and the resolution was so amended.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 361, entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, approved June 9, 1885, entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on state affairs:

The committee on state affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 232, entitled

A bill to amend sec. 1 of "An act establishing a state agency for the care of juvenile offenders," approved April 29, 1873, as amended by act No. 37 of the session laws of 1875, approved March 19, 1875,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 17, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 5 of the session laws of 1885, entitled An act to establish uniform time in the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,
The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on state affairs:

The committee on state affairs, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 153, entitled

A bill pertaining to the care, preparation and disposition of the dead, and to insure the better education of funeral directors,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,
The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 193, entitled

A bill to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of divorces within this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 139, entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3 (as amended by act number 22, of the session laws of 1883), and 5, of act number 127, of the session laws of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for inspection of illuminating oils manufactured from petroleum or coal oils, and to repeal act number 181 of the session laws of 1875, approved May 1, 1875, and act number 196 of the session laws of 1877, approved May 22, 1877, being sections 1538, 1539, and 1541, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred
House bill No. 334 (file No. 299), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 233 session laws of 1869, entitled, An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit, approved Feb. 24, 1869, and all acts amendatory thereto, by adding a section thereto to stand as section 24,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Rairden,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on religious and benevolent societies:

The committee on religious and benevolent societies, to whom was referred House bill No. 462 (file No. 422), entitled

A bill to provide for corporations to diffuse moral and religious knowledge and instruction, and to receive and apply such loans and advances, and accept and execute such trusts as shall be made for such purposes, and to enable individuals and also associations existing under chapter 178 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended, to effect incorporation for such purposes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 3, 1887. }

To the Honorable Senate:

GENTLEMEN: In compliance with your request of this date, I have the honor to return herewith Senate bill number 254 (file number 75), being "An act to amend section 2, chapter 53 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to disorderly persons, as amended by act 163 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 31st, 1883."

Very respectfully,

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 3, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 451, being,

An act to amend section 8 of act No. 354 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Portland, Ionia county," approved March 30, 1869, as amended by act number 229, of the session laws of 1871, approved March 18, 1871,

Also,

Senate bill No. 326 (file No. 229), being

An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the vacation of the township burying ground in the township of Paris, in the county of Kent, located on the east half of the southeast quarter of section seventeen, town six north, range 11 west," approved March 1, 1887,

Also,

Senate bill No. 62 (file No. 161), being

An act making an appropriation for continuing the frescoing and decorations of the walls, corridors and rooms of the State capitol.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

The message was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 3, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 911, entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 2, sections 4 and 5 of chapter 5, sections 17, 23 and 56 of chapter 7, sections 6 and 14 of chapter 9, section 10 of chapter 12, section 1 of chapter 14, section 6 of chapter 15, section 1 of chapter 17, sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11 of chapter 19, of act number 390, local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885, and to add two new sections thereto to stand as section 30 of chapter 17 and section 21 of chapter 20 respectively,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 97 (file No. 32), entitled

A bill for the correction of frauds and mistakes in the canvass and returns made by inspectors of elections,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the correction of frauds and mistakes in the canvass and returns made by inspectors of elections.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That any candidate voted for at any election, conceiving himself aggrieved on account of any fraud or mistake in the canvass of the votes by the inspectors of election, or in the returns made, may, on or before the close of the last day upon which the board of city canvassers meet, if a city or ward office, or district board, or the board of county canvassers meet, in all other cases, present to and file with the clerk of such board, a written petition, which shall be sworn to, setting forth, as near as may be, the errors, mistakes or frauds complained of, and the township, ward or district in which they occur, and asking for a correction thereof. He shall at the same time deposit with the clerk of said board the sum of ten dollars for each and every township, ward or district referred to in his petition: *Provided*, That no candidate shall be required to deposit more than one hundred dollars, which sum shall be paid, in case such petitioner does not establish a fraud or mistake, as set forth in his petition, by the clerk of the board of city canvassers to the city treasurer for the use of the city, and by the clerk of the county or district board to the county treasurer, for the use of the county. Upon filing such petition, making such deposit and giving at least twelve hours' written notice thereof to the opposing candidate, by handing to such candidate a copy thereof, or if such candidate cannot be found, by leaving such copy at the last place of residence, it shall be the duty of such board of canvassers to proceed to make an investigation of the facts set forth in said petition. For such purpose the said board shall have power to cause the ballot boxes used in such election districts to be brought before them. The said board shall thereupon appoint a committee of their own number as follows: The said board shall designate a member who shall be the chairman of said committee, the candidate presenting such petition and the candidate opposed thereto shall each choose a member, and if such candidates or either of them decline to so choose a member, then the board shall designate, and the three thus chosen shall constitute a committee to investigate the errors, mistakes or frauds complained of. Said committee shall, in some public place, where such candidates and their counsel may be present if they so desire, without unnecessary delay proceed to open the ballot boxes from such districts, townships or wards, and to make a re-count thereof as to such candidates, and make correct and full returns in writing under their hands to said board, showing the whole number of votes given, the names of the candidates, and the number of votes given to each, written out in words and figures as upon the ballots. Said committee, upon making such re-count, shall at once return the ballots to their respective boxes, carefully fasten and seal the same and deliver them to the officer having the care and custody thereof. Said board of canvassers, upon receiving the report of such committee, shall accept the same as correct, anything in the previous returns from such township, ward or district to the contrary notwithstanding. Any candidate not receiving a certificate of election, may, for errors apparent upon the face of the returns, have the same examined and corrected upon *certiorari* to the circuit court of the county, according to the rules and practice applicable to such writs. In all cases where, by reason of such re-count, the petitioner succeeds in establishing a fraud or mistake, as set forth in his petition, receives a certificate of election, the money deposited by him shall be refunded. For fraudulent or illegal voting, or tampering with the ballot boxes before a re-count by the

board of canvassers, the remedy by *quo warranto* shall remain in full force, together with any other remedies now existing.

And to inform the Senate that for convenience in the consideration of the same the House has re-printed the said bill as House file No. 419,

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Pending concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on the judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 3, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 283 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill to amend section 46 of act number 198 of the session laws of 1873, as amended by act number 174 of the public acts of 1883, relative to the running of passenger trains, and to add two new sections to said act, to stand as sections 47 and 48.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

1. By striking out all of section 1 of the bill and inserting the following to stand as section 1:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 46, of act No. 198, of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the owning and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 174, of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883, be, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as hereinafter set forth, and that two new sections be added to said act to stand as sections 47 and 48, and to read as hereinafter set forth:

2. By striking out all of recited section 47 and inserting the following to stand as recited section 47:

SEC. 47. All railroad companies or other corporations or individuals owning or operating any railroad passing near any State institution located one mile or more from a regular station which institution or railroad company has or shall hereafter put in sidings suitable for the receipt and shipment of State property at a convenient point near said institution, or have established or shall hereafter establish a passenger station for the accommodation of officers and employes of the State, and other persons under State control, shall at all times furnish such reasonable service and facilities for the receiving and shipment of freight or for the accommodation of officers and employes of the State and persons whom they may have in charge in getting on and off passenger trains as the needs of the institution may demand. This act shall not be construed as requiring any railroad company to stop its trains to let passengers on or off who have come from, or are destined to a point not exceeding three miles from said institution. If the officers of the institution and the

railroad company cannot agree as to what is reasonable service to be performed on the part of the railroad company, then the same shall be decided by the commissioner of railroads, upon application to him by the officers of the institution or the superintendent or manager of the railroad company.

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883, and to add two new sections to said act, to stand as sections 47 and 48,

In the passage of which as thus amended, with the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Pending concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,
On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The bill was re-committed to the committee on railroads.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, June 2, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 217 (file No. 282), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the State industrial home for girls, for the years 1887 and 1888.

2. Senate bill No. 10 (file No. 264), entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 5, 9, 18, 19, 38, 43, 57 and 84 of act No. 249 of the session laws of 1871, entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Alpena," approved March 29, 1871, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Edwards moved to take from the table

House bill No. 625, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Newaygo, in the county of Newaygo, to borrow money to make public improvements in said village,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W.I.	Fox,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Howell.	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,		23

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Holbrook offered the following resolution:

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Michigan (the House concurring), That the annual appropriation of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) made available to the State of Michigan under the act of Congress for the maintenance of an experiment station for the benefit of agriculture in connection with each college, established under the act of Congress, approved July 2, 1862, be and the same is hereby assented to and placed under the control of the State Board of Agriculture in control of the Michigan State Agricultural College, subject to the rules and regulations expressed or implied in the act of Congress above named.

Pending the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Crosby moved that the resolution be referred to the committee on agricultural college.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The question being on the motion pending at adjournment June 3,

Being a motion to take from the table

House bill No. 163 (file No. 86), entitled

A bill for the prevention and restriction of hydrophobia and glanders;

Mr. Howell withdrew the motion.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Seymour to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

1.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: Senate bill No. 178 (file No. 236), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7 and 36 of article 2 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State," approved May 1, 1873, as amended, being compiler's section 3350 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act No. 174 of the session laws of 1883,

Senate bill No. 228 (file No. 136), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for completing and furnishing the attics of the northern Michigan asylum for the insane, and building a detached cottage therefor.

Senate bill No. 484 (file No. 272), entitled

A bill to detach the county of Arenac [Gladwin] from the eighteenth judicial district and attach the same to the twenty-third judicial district.

House bill No. 315, entitled

A bill to enlarge the powers of the township of Elk Rapids and the township board thereof.

Senate bill No. 432 (file No. 267), entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Howell, in the county of Livingston, to raise money to make public improvements in said village.

House bill No. 251 (file No. 98), entitled

A bill to amend section 22 of chapter 7 of act number 326 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 92 (file No. 325), entitled

A bill to prevent the destruction of fish in Klinger Lake, White Pigeon township, Middle Lake in Sherman and Sturgis townships, and Thompson Lake in Sherman township, in the county of St. Joseph.

Senate bill No. 501 (filed No. 242), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Harrisville, in Alcona county, in the State of Michigan, to organize the township of Gustin in said county, to provide for the appointment of officers in and for said township of Gustin and for the assessment and collection of taxes therein.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

HENRY W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Fox moved that the Senate take a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.,

Pending which,

Mr. Gorman moved that the Senate adjourn,

On which

Mr. Potter demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then did not prevail by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Gorman, Laing,	Mr. Mayo, O'Reilly,	Mr. Palmer, Rairden,	Mr. Roof, Stark,	8
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Mr. Atwood, Babcock, W. I., Barringer, Barton,	Mr. Campbell, Crosby, Edwards, Fox,	Mr. Harshaw, Holbrook, Howell, Hubbell,	Mr. Potter, Seymour, Sharp, Westgate,	16
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The motion to take a recess then prevailed.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met, and was called to order by the President.

Roll call: a quorum present.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. W. I. Babcock to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:
Senate bill No. 66 (file No. 275), entitled

A bill to provide for indeterminate sentences and disposition, management and release of criminals under such sentence.

Senate bill No. 50 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend section 3, chapter 280, of Howell's annotated statutes, being compiler's section 8137, relative to proceedings by and against corporations in courts of law.

Senate bill No. 175 (file No. 113), entitled

A bill to prohibit railroad companies from taking up their tracks, abandoning their stations and failing to operate their roads in certain cases,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No 210 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 5 and 6 of act No. 200 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons."

House joint resolution No. 6 (file No. 7), entitled

Joint resolution authorizing certain "Ottawa county scrip" to be used in locating swamp lands in any of the counties of the lower peninsula.

Senate bill No 171 (file No. 54), entitled

A bill to prohibit the selling, furnishing or giving of any spirituous, malt, fermented or vinous liquors to any inmate of the Michigan Soldiers' Home.

Senate bill No. 346 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the township of Au Train in the county of Alger.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

W. I. BABCOCK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 217 (file No. 282), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the State industrial home for girls for the years 1887 and 1888.

FLOYD L. POST, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Atwood for Monday, June 6.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Palmer for the morning session of Monday, June 6.

Mr. Mayo moved that the Senate adjourn until Monday, June 6, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Pending which,

Mr. Edwards moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which

Mr. Stark demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then did not prevail, by yeas and nays as follows -

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Post,
Barton,	Fox,	Laing,	

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Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Stark,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Westgate,

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The motion to adjourn until Monday, June 6 at 10 o'clock a. m. then prevailed.

Lansing, June 6, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 10 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Campbell, Gorman, Moon, Roof, Sharp, Stark and Willits

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

Leave of absence was granted to all absentees for the day.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 559 (file 438), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Midland, in Midland county, to convey certain real estate to the city of Midland,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 252 (file 63), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the township of Sanborn, in the county of Alpena,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hubbell offered a proposed substitute for

House bill Nos. 255 and 782 (file No. 375), entitled

A bill to extend and regulate the liability of employers to make compensation for personal injuries suffered by workmen or employes in their service,

Which said House bill was on the general order, and which substitute was entitled

A bill to secure compensation to workmen in certain cases,

Whereupon

Mr. Hubbell moved that the proposed substitute be ordered printed, re-

ferred to the committee of the whole and placed upon the general order for consideration together with said House bill.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Harshaw to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 411 (file No. 79), entitled

A bill to facilitate exchange of traffic between railroad companies at connecting and junction points.

Senate bill No. 281 (file No. 87), entitled

A bill to require persons and corporations owning or operating any railroad wholly or partly within this State, and not organized under the laws of this State for the incorporation of railroad companies, nor under the provisions of a charter granted by the Legislature, to comply with the law governing railroad companies incorporated under the laws of the State, so far as the same shall be applicable, and to further provide for the government of such persons and corporations,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 525 (file No. 278), entitled

A bill to amend act number 260 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 10, 1881, being chapter 52 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the protection of children in certain cases, by adding thereto four new sections to stand as sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 of said act,

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, of chapter 12 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, and section 4, same chapter and act, as amended by act No. 93, laws of 1883, relating to the examination of teachers and supervision of schools; also, to amend section 3 of chapter 4, and section 2 of chapter 5 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, relating to the duties of township clerks and county clerks concerning school reports,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 183 (file No. 279), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 52 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the "protection of children in certain cases," by adding four new sections thereto to stand as sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 of said act,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill be laid upon the table.

ANDREW HARSHAW, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bill.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill, and the same was laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: a quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 808. By Mr. Mayo: Remonstrance of 200 farmers against the passage of House bill No. 186, authorizing the township of Flushing, Genesee county, to borrow money for public improvements.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The remonstrance was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the remonstrance:

To the Honorable, the Senate of the State of Michigan:

We, the undersigned resident freeholders (farmers) of the township of Flushing, county of Genesee, Michigan, believing as we do that the bill before your honorable body authorizing the said township of Flushing to bond the township in aid of a railroad would if passed be detrimental and against the best interests of the people of said township and especially the farming community, we therefore respectfully remonstrate against the passage of said bill, hoping that after due consideration of said bill your honorable body may so determine, and we ever pray.

May 31, 1887.

Referred to the committee on counties and townships.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads to whom was re-referred

Senate bill No. 283 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, relative to the running of passenger trains, and to add two new sections to said act, to stand as sections 47 and 48,

Which the House amended as shown in its message of June 3, as follows:

1. By striking out all of section 1 of the bill and inserting the following to stand as section 1:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 46, of act No. 198, of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 174, of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883, be, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as hereinafter set forth, and that two new sections be added to said act to stand as sections 47 and 48, and to read as hereinafter set forth:

2. By striking out all of recited section 47 and inserting the following to stand as recited section 47:

SEC. 47. All railroad companies or other corporations or individuals owning or operating any railroad passing near any State institution located one mile or more from a regular station which institution or railroad company has or shall hereafter put in sidings suitable for the receipt and shipment of State property at a convenient point near said institution, or have established or shall hereafter establish a passenger station for the accommodation of officers and employes of the State, and other persons under State control, shall at all times furnish such reasonable service and facilities for the receiving and shipment of freight or for the accommodation of officers and employes of the State and persons whom they may have in charge in getting on and off passenger trains as the needs of the institution may demand. This act shall not be construed as requiring any railroad company to stop its trains to let passengers on or off who have come from, or are destined to a point not exceeding three miles from said institution. If the officers of the institution and the railroad company cannot agree as to what is reasonable service to be performed on the part of the railroad company, then the same shall be decided by the commissioner of railroads, upon application to him by the officers of the institution or the superintendent or manager of the railroad company.

And the title to which the House amended, as shown in the same message, so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No 174 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883, and to add two new sections to said act, to stand as sections 47 and 48,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the amendments made by the House to the bill and title, be concurred in, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Seymour,
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Post,	Westgate,
Fox,	Laing,	Potter,	Wisner,
Giddings,	Mayo,	Rairden,	President
Harshaw,			<i>pro tem.</i> , 17

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The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title,

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate concurred.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 307, entitled

• A bill to authorize the township board of Breitung, in the county of Menominee, to maintain a fire department in the incorporated villages of Quinnesec and Iron Mountain, and to authorize the appropriation of certain moneys to the payment of the expenses thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 499, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Sault Ste. Marie, approved May 29, 1879, by adding a new section thereto relative to the powers of the common council to allow the use of streets to railroad companies,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 156, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Menominee to join with Wisconsin authorities and construct a bridge across the Menominee river,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 308, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 264 of the local acts of 1883, providing for the establishment and maintainance of a fire department in the township of Norway, in the county of Menominee,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 280, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Sault Ste. Marie," approved May 29, 1879, by adding thereto several new sections, relative to special assessments,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 278, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Sault Ste. Marie,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Sault Ste. Marie, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Sault Ste. Marie," approved May 29, 1879, as amended,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute

do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

Pending the reference of the bill to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Post,	Wisner,
Fox,	Laing,	Potter,	President
Giddings,	Mayo,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 19

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Title agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Howell moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 656 (file No. 276), entitled

A bill to organize a medical corps of the Michigan State troops,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The bill was re-committed to the committee on military affairs.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Westgate to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 296 (file No. 274), entitled

A bill authorizing the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of lands for the improvement of Falls Creek, in the county of Alpena.

Senate file No. 258, being

Senate reprint of House bill No. 692 (file No. 347), entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of article 4 of act No. 198 session laws of 1873 entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof, being com-

piller's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 234, public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885,

House bill No. 96 and 871 (file No. 372), entitled

A bill to amend section 8218 of Howell's compilation, being section 6630 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 63, of the session laws of 1883, relative to proceedings by and against public bodies, having certain corporate powers, and by and against officers representing them.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

The President *pro tem.* having taken the chair,

The report was accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Hubbell moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 228 (file No. 136), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for completing and furnishing the attics of the Northern Michigan asylum for the insane, and building a detached cottage therefor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Seymour,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Edwards,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
Fox,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President
Giddings,			<i>pro tem., 17</i>

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Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,	4
Title agreed to.				

Mr. Crosby gave notice that within the prescribed time he would move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill.

House bill No. 315, entitled

A bill to enlarge the powers of the township of Elk Rapids and the township board thereof,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Barton,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Post,	Wisner,
Fox,	Laing,	Potter,	President
Giddings,			<i>pro tem.</i> 21

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 178 (file No. 236), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7 and 36 of article 2 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State," approved May 1, 1873, as amended, being compiler's section 3350 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act No. 174 of the session laws of 1883,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	President
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 22
Fox,	Laing,	Rairden,	

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 432 (file No. 267), entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Howell, in the county of Livingston, to raise money to make public improvements in said village.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	President
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 22
Fox,	Laing,	Rairden,	

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect

Senate bill No. 484 (file No. 272), entitled

A bill to detach the county of Arenac [Gladwin] from the eighteenth judicial district and attach the same to the twenty-third judicial district,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President	
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i>	
Fox,	Mayo,			21

NAYS.

Mr. Harshaw,	1
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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Post moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to detach the county of Gladwin from the twenty-first judicial circuit and attach the same to the eighteenth judicial circuit,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Pending the third reading of

House bill No. 251 (file No. 98), entitled

A bill to amend section 22 of chapter 7 of act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883,

On motion of Mr O'Reilly,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 501 (file No. 242), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Harrisville, in Alcona county, in the State of Michigan, to organize the township of Gustin in said county, to provide for the appointment of officers in and for said township of Gustin and for the assessment and collection of taxes therein,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Potter,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Laing,	Rairden,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Mayo,	Seymour,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	President,	
Edwards,	Howell,	Palmer,	<i>pro tem.,</i>	19

NAYS.

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Harshaw moved to amend the title so as to read as follows

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Harrisville, in Alcona county, in the State of Michigan, to organize the township of Gustin, in said county, and to provide for the appointment of boards of registration and inspectors of election in and for said township of Gustin,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

House bill No. 92 (file No. 325), entitled

A bill to prevent the destruction of fish in Klinger Lake, White Pigeon township, Middle Lake in Sherman and Sturgis townships, and Thompson Lake in Sherman township, in the county of St. Joseph,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	President
Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Fox,			20

NAYS.

Mr. Holbrook,	1
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 346 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the township of Au Train in the county of Alger,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Westgate,
Edwards,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Fox,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Giddings,	Laing,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i>
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NAYS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. O'Reilly,
Crosby,			5

Mr. Westgate moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 66 (file No. 275), entitled

A bill to provide for indeterminate sentences and disposition, management and release of criminals under such sentence,

Was read a third time, and

Pending the passage of the bill,

Mr. Crosby moved to strike out the enacting clause,
Pending which,

Mr. Post moved that the bill be laid on the table,
Which motion prevailed.

House joint resolution No. 6 (file No. 7), entitled
Joint resolution authorizing certain Ottawa county scrip to be used in
locating swamp lands in any of the counties of the lower peninsula,
Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,
By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 14 of the preamble the words "eighty-nine" and in-
serting in lieu thereof the word "ten," and by making the same changes in
lines 3 and 4 of the resolution,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The joint resolution as amended was then passed, a majority of all the
members elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Barringer.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President,	
Fox,	Laing,		<i>pro tem.</i> ,	22

NAYS.

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Title and preamble agreed to.

Senate bill No. 50 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend section 3, chapter 280, of Howell's annotated statutes, be-
ing compiler's section 8137, relative to proceedings by and against corpora-
tions in courts of law,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect vot-
ing therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President	
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem</i>	
Fox,	Mayo,			21

NAYS.

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 3, chapter 205 of the compiled laws of 1871, being
compiler's section 8137 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan relative
to proceedings by and against corporations in courts of law.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Wednesday, June 8.

Pending the third reading of

Senate bill No. 175 (file No. 113), entitled

A bill to prohibit railroad companies from taking up their tracks, abandoning their stations and failing to operate their roads in certain cases,

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 210 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 5 and 6 of act No. 200, of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons,"

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Westgate,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	President,	
Edwards	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem</i>	
Fox,	Laing,			17

NAYS.

Mr. Howell,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,	3
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Title agreed to.

Pending the third reading of

Senate bill No. 171 (file No. 54), entitled

A bill to prohibit the selling, furnishing or giving of any spirituous, malt, fermented or vinous liquors to any inmate of the Michigan soldiers' home

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The bill was laid on the table.

Pending the third reading of

Senate bill No. 411 (file No. 79), entitled

A bill to facilitate exchange of traffic between railroad companies at connecting and junction points,

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid on the table.

Pending the third reading of

Senate bill No. 281 (file No. 87), entitled

A bill to require persons and corporations owning or operating any railroad wholly or partly within this State, and not organized under the laws of this State for the incorporation of railroad companies, nor under the provisions of a charter granted by the Legislature, to comply with the law governing railroad companies incorporated under the laws of this State, so far as the same shall be applicable, and to further provide for the government of such persons and corporations,

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 12 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, and section 4 same chapter and act, as amended by act No. 93, laws of 1883, relating to the examination of teachers and supervision of schools; also to amend section 3 of chapter 4, and section 2 of chapter 5 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, relating to the duties of township clerk and county clerk concerning school reports,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Mayo,	Westgate,	
Barton	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Howell,	Post,	President	
Fox,	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i>	17
Giddings,	Laing,			

NAYS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,	4
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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 525 (file No. 278), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 52 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the "protection of children in certain cases," by adding four new sections thereto to stand as sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 of said act,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Mayo,	Rairden,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Post,	President	
Fox,			<i>pro tem.</i>	21

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 296 (file No. 274), entitled

A bill authorizing the board of control of swamp lands to make an appropriation of lands for the improvement of Falls Creek, in the county of Alpena,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Holbrook.	Palmer,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	President	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i>	21
Giddings,	Laing,			

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

Senate file No. 258, being

Senate reprint of House bill No. 692 (file No. 347), entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of art. 4 of act No. 198, session laws of 1873, entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating

any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof," being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 234 public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Westgate,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	President
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Fox,	Laing,		17

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby.,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,	3
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Title agreed to.

Pending the third reading of

House bills Nos. 96 and 871 (file No. 372), entitled

A bill to amend 8218 of Howell's annotated statutes, being sec. 6630 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act number 63. of the session laws of 1883, relative to proceedings by and against public bodies, having certain corporate powers, and by and against officers representing them,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The bill was laid on the table.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 6, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

Senate bill No. 345, file No. 194, being,

An act to incorporate the public schools of the township of Onota, in the county of Alger,

Also,

[Senate bill No. 262, being],

An act to amend sections 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 28, 31, 33, 34, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 58, 61 and 64 of act No. 372, of the laws of 1867, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Flint," approved March 20, 1867, and the acts amendatory thereof, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 65 of said act,

Also,

Senate bill No. 239 (file 112), being

An act to amend sections 15 and 16, chapter 192 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's sections 7674 and 7675 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to judgments and executions so as to confer the power of appointment of persons therein named upon circuit judges, and to extend

such power to the service of all processes in any proceeding at law or in equity,

Also,

Senate bill No. 43 (file No. 186), being

An act to amend section 2 of act No. 222, public acts of 1885, entitled *An act making appropriations for the expenses of the State officers and State government, for the years 1885 and 1886, and to provide a tax for the payment of the same,* approved June 18, 1885,

Also,

Senate bill No. 220 (file No. 151), being

An act to amend section 5 of act 31 of the session laws of 1858, entitled *An act to provide for the sale of the swamp lands, and the reclamation thereof, and to secure the pre-emption claims of settlers thereon,* approved February 4, 1858, being consecutive section 3942 of the compiled laws of 1871, and compiler's section 5394 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 181 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885,

Also,

Senate bill No. 209 (file No. 226), being

An act to protect the chastity of girls between the ages of 14 and 16 years and to punish the violation thereof.

C. G. LUCE,

Governor.

The message was laid upon the table.

Mr. Howell moved that the Senate go into committee of the whole on the general order,

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 7, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M. Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The following bills, which were passed yesterday, were ordered to take immediate effect, viz:

1. House No. 525 (file No. 278), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 260 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 10, 1881, being chapter 52 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the protection of children in certain cases, by adding thereto four new sections to stand as sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 of said act.

2. Senate bill No. 296 (file No. 274), entitled

A bill authorizing the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of lands for the improvement of Falls Creek, in the county of Alpena.

Two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor.

Mr. Crosby having given notice that within the prescribed time he would move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed,
Senate bill No. 228 (file No. 136), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for completing and furnishing the attics of the Northern Michigan asylum for the insane, and building a detached cottage therefor.

He gave further notice that he waived his rights to move for such reconsideration.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was then ordered to take immediate effect, two-thirds of all the elect voting therefor.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 809. By Mr. Rairden: Petition of L. A. 6369 K. of L., asking for the passage of Ogg's bill prohibiting scrip store orders in payment of wages. Referred to the committee on labor.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 295, entitled

A bill authorizing the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to improve Norwegian Creek, in the township of Alpena, in the county of Alpena,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 10 (file No. 264), entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 5, 9, 18, 19, 38, 43, 57 and 84 of act No. 249 of the session laws of 1871, entitled An act to incorporate the city of Alpena, approved March 29, 1871, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

JOHN RAIRDEN, *Acting Chairman*.

Report accepted.

By the committee on university:

The committee on university to whom was referred:

His excellency's message of June 2d, relative to Senate bill 36 (file No. 140), making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the university, would respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have been unable to ascertain any reason for recommending to your honorable body the recall of said bill:

To the needs of the university, the attention of your committee was early in this session directed by his excellency, Gov. Luce. In his annual message he spoke as follows:

THE UNIVERSITY.

I suppose that no citizen of the State is without pride in our widely celebrated university. The board of regents will present reports and memorials more in detail of its needs as the session progresses. The excellency of its courses of study attracts to it constantly increasing numbers, and by reason of this comes the increased demand for facilities to maintain its established high character.

The board of regents ask for seventy-five thousand dollars as a part of their needs for the erection and equipment of a building for a microscopical and historical laboratory, a physiological laboratory, and a laboratory for teaching physics, and natural philosophy.

Another purpose included in the said amount is the establishment of a hygienic laboratory. This last named object is a new feature recommended by the State board of health. While the board of regents do not urge this, they indicate a willingness to take charge of the same if established. *The first departments above enumerated are those already existing, and appropriations are only asked for the purpose of more fully developing their usefulness and answering their growing demands.* The last, however, calls for the establishment of a new branch, and requires due and careful consideration. And this, not alone because of present appropriations asked, but because of the after appropriations it may entail upon the State, and the kindred demands for other branches that may be clinging to it. Should this latter object be thought inadvisable at the present time, the appropriation above named could be correspondingly reduced without crippling the first-named objects.

II.

It will be seen that his excellency directed the attention of the Legislature specially to the request of the board of regents for an appropriation of \$75,000 for the erection and equipment of a building for scientific laboratories and ask that it receive due and careful consideration. Your committee then interpreted that portion of his excellency's message herein quoted as favoring the appropriation asked, and they fail to find the least indication of his disapproval therein. They are unable to learn of any facts that then existed that does not now exist, for the appropriation recommended by his excellency and which has received your favorable action.

Your committee, as the representative of your honorable body, with the committee on University from the honorable House of Representatives, visited the University on the 8th of February last and remained there for two days conferring with the board of regents and faculty, and examined in detail the several items for which appropriations were asked. At this meeting, the two subjects to which his excellency directs your honorable body's attention, viz: The building for scientific laboratories and the question of additional fees for non-resident students, received your committee's very careful consideration and was the subject of discussion and investigation then and afterwards.

Your committee from their examination came to the conclusion that the erection of the building for scientific laboratories was much needed, and after a careful examination of the plans prepared and submitted they were unanimously of the opinion that while the amount asked for was large, yet it would be economy to build the entire building at one time instead of dividing the appropriation and building at different times.

The report of the joint committee showing the result of their investigation and containing their recommendation of appropriations for the university with the reasons therefor, was made March 14th, 1887, and will be found on pages 570, 571, 572 and 573 of the Senate journal.

Your committee when considering the question of tuition of non-resident students, found that sec. 8 of article 13 of the Constitution of the State of Michigan provided as follows:

"The board of regents shall have the general supervision of the University and the direction and control of all expenditures from the University interest fund."

Your committee also found that for 36 years and upwards there had been upon the statutes books of this State two sections bearing upon the subject, being sections 4916 and 4917 of Howell's annotated statutes, which read as follows:

"SEC. 4916. The fees of admission to the regular University course in the department of literature, science and the arts, shall not exceed ten dollars ; but such course or courses of instruction as may be arranged under the provisions of section nine of this act, shall be open without fee to citizens of this State."

"SEC. 4917. The University shall be open to all persons resident of this State without charge of tuition, under the regulations prescribed by the regents ; and to all other persons under such regulations and restrictions as the board may prescribe."

The constitution giving to the board of regents the general supervision of the university and the law declaring that it shall be open to all non-resident persons under such regulations and restrictions as the board may prescribe, your committee fail to see any reason for tacking on to an appropriation bill the proviso suggested by his excellency, such a proviso in the opinion of your committee would be in direct conflict not only with sec. 8 of article 13 of the constitution heretofore quoted, but also with sec. 20 of act 4 of the constitution which declares that "No law shall embrace more than one object, which shall be expressed in its title."

Independent of the constitution and the statutes, your committee would not deem it wise to require the regents to raise the fees of non-resident students. The board of regents are elected by the people, and have ever had within its number some of our most trusted, distinguished and far-sighted citizens. To them this subject can safely be left with the assurance that the true interests of the State and of the University will be jealously guarded. In considering that subject, the following considerations must be kept in mind:

First. The original and the only permanent endowment of the university is a gift of lands from the United States. These lands were sold by the State for about \$530,000, the money was paid into the State treasury and the State holding it as a trust fund, pays the interest to the university. In the whole history and administration of the university, this gift by the nation has been deemed to justify and even to call for hospitable and generous treatment of students from our sister States in the enjoyment of the advantages offered by the university.

Second. It is instructive to consider the following tabular statement of the number of students and the fees from resident and non-resident students respectively in each department for the current year. This includes the matri-

culatation and the annual fees alone, but does not include the graduation and laboratory fees which would not alter the relative proportion of money received from the two classes;

STUDENTS' FEES, 1886-'87.

Departments.	Number of Michigan students.	Number of non-resident students.	Fees paid by Michigan students.	Fees paid by non-resident students.	Total number of students.	Total amount of fees.
Department of Literature, Science and the Arts.....	\$418	277	\$9,810	\$11,230	695	\$21,040
Department of Medicine and Surgery.....	147	174	4,225	8,155	321	12,380
Department of Law.....	108	230	3,180	11,500	338	14,680
School of Pharmacy.....	48	24	1,245	1,215	72	2,460
Homeopathic Medical College.....	32	30	830	1,480	62	2,310
College of Dental Surgery.....	45	46	1,286	1,400	91	2,686
Total.....	761	781	\$20,656	\$34,980	1,572	\$55,636

It will be seen that the fees paid by the non-resident students amount to 175 per cent. of those paid by the residents. In the medical department they amount to nearly twice as much as those of the resident students, and in the law department to nearly four times as much. In fact the fees of non-resident students in the law department amount to enough to pay all the salaries in the law department, and \$1,400 more. These students are therefore a source of clear profit to that department, if no fees were charged to Michigan students.

Third. We are informed that the regents, desirous of increasing the income of the University, have seriously considered whether they could not profitably increase the fees of non-resident students. In 1882, after a thorough discussion, the regents ventured to raise the annual fees for non-resident students in the literary department five dollars and in the professional schools ten dollars. The fees therefor then stood and now stand as follows:

MATRICULATION FEES.

Michigan students.....	\$10 00
Non-residents.....	25 00

ANNUAL FEE, LITERARY DEPARTMENT.

Michigan students.....	\$20 00
Non-residents.....	30 00

ANNUAL FEE, PROFESSIONAL DEPARTMENTS.

Michigan students.....	\$25 00
Non-residents.....	35 00

The result was that the number of non-resident students rapidly declined. They numbered as follows:

In 1881-2 (old fees).....	846
In 1882-3 (increased fees).....	769
In 1883-4 (increased fees).....	707
In 1884-5 (increased fees).....	651

The old number has never been regained, it being this year 781, although the total attendance is larger than it was in 1881-2.

The fees from non-resident students in 1881-2 were \$21,100 and in the increased rate in 1884-5 they were only \$21,800. These facts indicate, we think, that pecuniarily there would be an actual loss if the fees were raised very much. At any rate it shows that the subject needs to be handled with care.

Fourth. Our inquiries lead us to believe that far less, than might at first thought be supposed, could be saved in expenses, even if the fees were so raised as to prevent all non-resident students from coming. In the professional schools where instruction is given mainly by lectures the additional expense incurred by the presence of non-resident students in addition to the Michigan students is little or nothing. It costs no more to secure lectures to 400 students than to 200, when, as is the case, the lecture rooms are already provided. In the literary department and in some of the laboratories, especially the chemical, there is additional expense, because additional instructors and assistants are needed when the number of students is increased. But even then the additional expense is far less than the receipts from the fees of non-resident students. If we should send away every non-resident student, we should still need professors in every department of instruction, unless indeed we are to change entirely the character of the institution which we believe no one desires to do. To teach the 416 Michigan students in the literary departments we should need the whole of the present teaching force with perhaps the exception of four or five instructors. In the chemical laboratory we might perhaps dispense with four assistants. The instructors receive \$900 each and the chemical assistants from \$100 to \$250 each. The saving would then be as follows on what we believe to be a liberal estimate:

Five instructors, each.....	\$900 00	\$4,500 00
Four assistants, at say.....	\$250 00	\$1,000 00
Total.....		\$5,500 00

The expense of heating and lighting the buildings would not be reduced. On the most extravagant allowance, we do not think the saving could be more than \$8,000. Call it \$10,000 and still the fact remains that the fees of the non-resident students exceed this sum by \$25,980. In short, accepting the fact that we are to educate our Michigan students as well as we do now, the non-resident students are really a source of profit and not of expense.

Fifth. It must be remembered that many western institutions are charging smaller fees than our university does, and some of them of good standing furnish instruction gratuitously. The eastern colleges referred to in his excellency's message have scholarships and various other funds which furnish gratuitous education to needy students. The president of Harvard college publicly announces, in circulars and otherwise, that no deserving student need avoid coming to that college for want of funds, because they shall be furnished him.

Sixth. We are impressed with the conviction that the non-resident students are a great source of strength to the institution and a great benefit to the State. The very fact that we draw students from all parts of the union is a just title to fame. It awakens pride everywhere, and makes our Michigan

students willing to remain in Michigan and get their education. The mingling of our sons and daughters at the University with students from other States is of itself a valuable part of their education. Then how many of our most useful and honored citizens are men who have been attracted to us by the University and then have settled among us?

Seventh. We should therefore regret to see any action taken which should deprive the University of its true natural character by preventing the resort to its halls of students from our sister States. Such action would seem to be a pecuniary damage to its treasury, and would certainly lower it from its present high position of which we and every citizen of Michigan are now so justly proud.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

JNO. C. SHARP,
J. W. BABCOCK,
C. W. WISNER,
University Committee.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The report was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 6, 1887. }

To the Senate:

In compliance with the provisions of the Constitution, which authorizes the Governor to communicate and recommend such measures to the Legislature as he shall deem expedient, I had the honor on the 2d inst., to communicate to both Houses some views entertained in relation to Senate bill No. 36, file No. 140, being a bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan. There are many provisions of the bill which it would have afforded me pleasure to approve; yet, after a faithful consideration, others were found which seemed to me ought not to receive the Executive sanction, and the message was therefore sent with the sincere hope that the bill might be recalled, and such amendments made as would commend themselves to the Legislature, the Executive, the University, and the judgment of the people.

But as the Legislature has not complied with my respectful request, I can now but obey that other provision of the constitution which requires the Executive to return to the Legislature such bills as he cannot approve, without his signature, and ask a reconsideration at your hands. And in so doing I desire to disclaim any purpose of embarrassing the University. This institution has performed such an important part in our educational history that every citizen of Michigan must feel an honorable pride in its success. In returning the same, allow me to briefly append the following reasons among the many suggesting themselves for such action.

1. It is unjust to burden the taxpayers of our State to educate foreign students, and with inadequate returns in tuition from them. It is unfair that Michigan, with its 791 students, shall pay approximately \$411,110.94 during the next two years, and that 781 foreign students shall receive equal advantages there and pay only about \$70,000. The lands from which the univer-

sity interest fund is derived belonged to us as our portion upon a division of the same among the States, and no citizen of another State has any more right to its benefits without recompense than to any other tax raised for other purposes.

All of the first-class colleges of the eastern States ranking with and even below the University, have found from long experience that they can, and do charge a tuition to foreign students many times larger than the University does. And, were the same provision incorporated into the University bill, that the Legislature wisely, in my opinion, attached to the Agricultural College bill, viz: Requiring foreign students to pay such tuition as would compensate the State for extra expense incurred in their accommodation, then I believe the amount appropriated by this bill might have been materially lessened.

2. I am unchanged in my opinion that a greater part of the \$75,000 item asked for the purpose of an experimental and chemical laboratory, should be eliminated from the bill. That additions and changes should be made in the laboratory privileges is unquestioned, but I am thoroughly convinced that such additions as are seriously needed can be nearly or quite met by the funds received from the increase in tuition of foreign students above suggested and from the increasing one-twentieth mill tax, which will add \$13,000 to former receipts from this source during the next two years.

3. The University has arisen to its present high position with much less appropriations than is provided in this bill, and with no material change in the number of students. I find that during the last two biennial periods there was raised by general taxation for the support of the University, excluding the University interest fund, the following amounts, viz.:

1883-1884.....	\$155,900
1885-1886.....	200,500

While, if this bill becomes a law, it will be necessary to raise by taxation for such purposes the sum of \$299,110.94 for the next two years.

Believing that the permanent prosperity of the university will be enhanced by a material reduction in the appropriation provided in this bill, and that it will increase the confidence of the people, whose institution it is, in its wise, prudent and economical management, I do hereby respectfully return the same for your consideration.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

Mr. Sharp moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill. Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was laid upon the table.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 182 (file No. 153), entitled

A bill to amend compiler's section 4709 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being compiler's section 6196 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the filing of chattel mortgages.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Roof,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Howell,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Mayo,			26

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Rairden moved that

Senate bill No. 157 (file No. 283), entitled

A bill in relation to conspiracy and unlawful agreements against public policy in certain cases,

Be stricken from the files.

After some debate as to the motion being in order,

The motion was withdrawn.

The President announced that the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being for the consideration of Senate file No. 285, being
Senate reprint of House bill No. 739 (file No. 385), entitled

A bill to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of co-operative and mutual benefit associations, and to define the powers and duties and regulate the transactions of the business of all such corporations and associations doing business within this State.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Deyo to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have under consideration the following:

Senate file No. 285, being

Senate reprint of House bill No. 739 (file No. 385), entitled

A bill to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of co-operative and mutual benefit associations, and to define the powers and duties, and regulate the transactions of the business of all such corporations and associations doing business within this State,

Have made some progress therein, but not having gone through therewith, have directed their chairman to report that fact to the Senate, and ask leave to sit again.

CHAS. I. DEYO, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The committee was granted leave to sit again.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock, P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem*.

Roll called: quorum present.

The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem*. announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate bill No. 174 (file No. 220), entitled

A bill to take away from the Detroit and Saline Plank Road company, a corporation incorporated under act No. 100 of the session laws of 1848, entitled "An act to incorporate the Detroit and Saline Plank Road Company," all that part of its present road lying west of a public highway crossing it at right angles at a point about seven miles east of the city of Ypsilanti, known as Sheldon's corners.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a two-thirds majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem*. also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The office of hull inspector must be filled by a man who has passed examination as a pilot, barring out a practical ship carpenter from holding the position; therefore

Resolved, (The House concurring,) that our Senators and Representatives in Congress be requested to use their influence to separate these two parts of the duties of said office, so that a practical ship carpenter may be appointed to said office of hull inspector, and that it be the duty of said hull inspector to regulate the draft of vessels on the inland lakes to prevent overloading of such;

Resolved, That the secretary of state be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to forward a copy of these resolutions to our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

In the passage of which the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The concurrent resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

SPECIAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order,

Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Deyo to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate file No. 285, being

Senate reprint of House bill No. 739 (file No. 385), entitled

A bill to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of co-operative and mutual benefit associations, and to define the powers and duties and regulate the transaction of the business of all such corporations and associations doing business within this State,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

CHAS. I. DEYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bill.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Barringer,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Barton,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Moon,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.,</i>
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Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Mayo,	4
Title agreed to.				
By unanimous consent.				
The Senate took up the regular order of business.				

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 810. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of P. M. Rowell, C. O. Rowell, E. L. Brewer and 70 others asking for the passage of the bill to protect the keepers of stallions.

Referred to the committee on agricultural interests.

No. 811. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of W. W. Stockey and many others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 812. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of R. B. Carns and many others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 813. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of W. T. Adams and 26 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 814. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of Wright Hawkins and many others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 815. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of Samuel Cross and many others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 816. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of G. W. Parker and many others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 817. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of J. F. White and many others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 818. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of W. H. Smith & Bro., and many others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 819. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of F. B. Galbrith and 42 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 820. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of J. B. Peters and many others on the same subject,

Same reference.

No. 821. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of H. D. Nye and many others on the same subject,

Same reference.

No. 822. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of J. M. White and many others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 823. By Mr. Sharp: Petition of F. R. Shank and many others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 824. By Mr. Hubbell: Remonstrance of the Kalamazoo Paper Company against the passage of House bill No. 233,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The remonstrance was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the remonstrance:

Kalamazoo, Mich., June 6, 1887.

Hon. J. A. Hubbell, Lansing, Mich.

DEAR SIR:—My attention has been called to file No. 391, House of Representatives No. 233, to a bill introduced by Mr. Perkins. I think this bill will do great injury to the manufacturing interests of this State, but allude more particularly to Sec. 4 in which, paper, woolen, pulp, drug and chemi-

cal factories are prohibited from allowing any of their waste wash-water or spent liquors to find its way into any stream or lake in the State. The copy before me has some interlinings, intended perhaps as amendments, but which in no way would do these manufacturers any good if the bill should become a law. I think the supreme courts of several eastern states have established that wastage from paper mills does not pollute the stream.

I would call your attention to the large amount of wash water used by paper and ground wood pulp mills in the manufacture of their goods. We have one pump supplying our washers with 1800 gallons a minute during the 24 hours of the day. Of course this at times is not so large, and at other times all of it is used and finds its way through the stock that is being washed carrying with each gallon a very small amount of dirt washed from the rags. Our washing of paper stock does not differ very much from the common washing of clothes in laundry or families, except that we use a very large amount in proportion to the rags we wash. The small amount of waste liquor in our business at the present time, which would consist of a very small solution of chloride of lime, soda ash and quick lime only reaches the river in a very dilute condition. I do not think it would be possible for it to be detected by analysis a few hundred yards away. These weak liquids from lime, soda and chloro. lime would have a tendency to cleanse and purify the water, while the fact remains that the 20 years that our mill has been in operation, the fishing in the pond below, within a few hundred rods, is probably better now than it was then. I think that paper and ground wood pulp mills should be stricken from section 4.

Let me say, that should this section pass and be enforced it would compel every paper mill in the State to shut down, as it could find no place where it could otherwise dispose of the waste and refuse washings, from which the strength has been taken so that it should not find its way into any stream or lake in the State. We pump for washing papers about one-half as much water as the city of Kalamazoo pumps for its daily consumption, and would say that it would be impossible for us to dispose of that amount of water so that no part of it should find its way in any stream or river. It is evident that the originator of this bill was not aware of the harmless nature of the small amount of chemicals used in the paper business.

We trust that you will look into the above matter and see that the manufacturing interests of this State are not burdened with prohibitory or useless burdens.

Yours very truly,

P. A. GIBSON,
Superintendent Kalamazoo Paper Co.

Referred to the committee on fisheries.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on public health:

The committee on public health, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 74 (file No. 127), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Barry to drain and reclaim certain swamp and overflowed lands by opening and deepening Thornapple river near the outlet of Thornapple lake, to authorize a tax to complete the same and provide for such opening and deepening of such outlet,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill making an appropriation of money for opening and deepening Thornapple river, near the outlet of Thornapple lake, in the county of Barry, for the purpose of benefitting the public health and providing for the performance of said work,

Recommending that the substitute be ordered printed for the use of the committee.

GEORGE HOWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Howell

The substitute for the bill was ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill file No. 402, entitled

A bill to provide that the crime of larceny when committed by a passenger or employe on a railroad train may be punished in another county than that in which such crime is committed,

Being a substitute for

Senate bill No. 152 (file No. 197), entitled

A bill authorizing a prosecution for larceny committed in any railroad car while en route in any county through which said train passes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass; and they do further recommend that the title thereto be amended so as to read as follows, viz: "A bill authorizing a prosecution for larceny committed in any railroad car while in this State, and en route in any county through which said car passes," and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 851 (file No. 400), entitled

A bill to provide additional record evidence of the trust capacity of executors, administrators and guardians in certain cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 387 (file No. 439), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act number 198 of the public acts of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and enforcement of assignments for the benefit of creditors," approved May 13, 1879, as amended by act number 278 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 11, 1881, being compiler's section 8740 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 229 (file No. 427), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 64 of act No. 153 of the public acts of the year 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order at the head of the calendar.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 302 (file No. 433), entitled

A bill to amend section 53 of act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order at the head of the calendar.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 327 (file No. 247), entitled

A bill to authorize the sale in certain cases of land devised or bequeathed by will without power of sale,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands,

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House bill No. 560 (file No. 334), entitled

A bill to provide for the straightening, opening, deepening, and widening Little Sturgeon Creek, in Midland county, and making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House bill No. 193 (file No. 415), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Barry to drain and reclaim certain swamp and overflowed lands by opening and deepening Thornapple river near the outlet of Thornapple lake, to authorize a tax to complete the same and provide for such opening and deepening of such outlet,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of opening, cleaning out, dredging and deepening Thornapple river, near the outlet of Thornapple lake, in the township of Hastings, in the county of Barry,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on roads and bridges:

The committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred

House bill No. 552 (file No. 420), entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of a State road bridge across Black river, in the township of Grant, in St. Clair county, and to appropriate State swamp land, the proceeds of which to be used for the construction of said bridge,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WARREN J. WILLITS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 283 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, as amended by act number 174 of the public acts of 1883, relative to the running of passenger trains, and to add two new sections to said act, to stand as sections 47 and 48.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 174 (file No. 220), entitled

A bill to take away from the Detroit and Saline plank road company, a corporation incorporated under act No. 100 of the session laws of 1848, entitled an act to incorporate the Detroit & Saline Plank Road Company," all that part of its present road lying west of a public highway crossing it at right angles at a point about seven miles east of the city of Ypsilanti, known as Sheldon's Corners,

Senate concurrent resolution entitled

Concurrent resolution relative to the office of hull inspector.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on labor:

The committee on labor, to whom was referred

House bill No. 358 (file No. 297), entitled

A bill to prohibit the use of scrip or store orders in the payment of wages of laborers in mines, mills, shops and factories,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. S. LAING, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered reprinted, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the Senate :

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

[Senate bill No. 409, file No. 261, being]

An act appropriating money for additional buildings, improvements and general repairs for the State prison at Jackson.

Also,

[Senate bill No. 10, file No. 264, being]

An act to amend secs. 2, 3, 5, 9, 18, 19, 38, 43, 57 and 84 of act No. 249 of the session laws of 1871, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Alpena," approved March 29th, 1871, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

Also,

[Senate bill No. 283, file No. 259, being]

An act to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1st, 1873, as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883, and to add two new sections to said act to stand as sections 47 and 48.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 825 (file No. 450), entitled

A bill to amend section 41 of act No. 153 of the public acts of the year 1885, being an act entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon, approved June 9, 1885,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate bill No. 134 (file No. 139), entitled

A bill to amend section 15, chapter 3, of an act entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes contravening the provisions of this act," being act No. 164 of the public acts of 1881, as amended by act No. 93 of the public acts of 1883.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

By striking out section 1 of the bill, and inserting the following to stand as section 1:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 15 of chapter 3 of act number 164 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes contravening the provisions of this act," approved May 21, 1881, as amended by act number 93 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 16, 1883,

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 15 of chapter 3 of act No. 164 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes contravening the provisions of this act," approved May 21, 1881, as amended by act No. 93, of the public acts of 1883, approved May 16, 1883.

In the passage of which, as thus amended, with the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Fox,	Mayo,		25-

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The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title,

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The Senate concurred.

Title as amended agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 448 (file No. 218), entitled

A bill to amend section 7449 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 135 of the session laws of 1873, being section 9023 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the fees of appraisers, commissioners and others,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same by striking out section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following to stand as section 1:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 7449 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 135 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 22, 1873, being compiler's section 9023 of Howell's annotated statutes, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 7449 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 135 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 22, 1873, being compiler's section 9023 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the fees of appraisers, commissioners, and others.

In the passage of which, as thus amended, and with the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W. L.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> 25
Fox,	Mayo,		

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The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the title,

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The Senate concurred.

Title as amended agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 169 (file No. 195), entitled

A bill to make it a misdemeanor to remove, destroy, damage, or dispose of any personal property that shall have been seized on an attachment or levied upon under an execution issued from any court of competent jurisdiction in the State, while such seizure or levy is in force, without first giving the bond or other security therefor, if any, required by law, and to provide the punishment therefor.

2. Senate substitute for House bill No. 49 (file No. 70, Senate file No. 217), entitled

A bill to regulate the sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine and other articles and substances resembling butter, and to provide a penalty for the violation of this act.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 69 (file No. 131), entitled

A bill to provide for the dissemination of useful information concerning fish culture and the fishing industries of the State,

In the passage of which the House has non-concurred.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 265 (file No. 451), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of Merchants and traders' associations,

2. House bill No. 183 (file No. 310), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 171, session laws of 1873, entitled An act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders, approved April 29, 1873, as amended by act No. 37 public acts of 1875, approved March 19, 1875, being compiler's section 9894 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 168 public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885.

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on banks and incorporations.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on state affairs.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 392 (file No. 192), entitled

A bill to amend section 12 of an act amendatory of the several acts relating to the Wesleyan Seminary at Albion, and the Albion Female Collegiate Institute, approved February 25, 1861, as added thereto by act number 91 of the session laws of 1865,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a two-thirds majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 286 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill relative to the improvement and maintenance of highways, and the repairing and preservation of bridges within the State,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

1st. By striking out of line 2, section 5, the word "surveyed."

2d. By striking out of section 5 all after the word "assessed" in line 3.

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the improvement and maintenance of highways, and the repairing and preservation of bridges within the State, and to repeal act No. 57 of the public acts of 1885, and all acts inconsistent with this act."

In the passage of which as thus amended, and the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,			<i>pro tem.</i> 25

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The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the title,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 692 (file No. 347), entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of article 4 of act No. 198, session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management and fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof," being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 234, public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885.

Which the Senate amended, as shown by message of June 6, so as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact,* That section fifteen of article four of act number one hundred and ninety-eight, session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and fix the

duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof," being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act number 234, public acts of 1885, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. [15] 3377. Every railroad company formed under this act or any former act, and every corporation owning or operating any such railroad, shall erect and maintain in effective condition of repair fences on each side of the right of way of their respective roads, as hereinafter provided. A legal railroad fence shall not be less than four and one-half feet high, and shall be made of boards and posts in combination as follows: The boards to be of pine or hemlock, six inches in width and sixteen feet in length; the posts to be of cedar, tamarack, or oak, not less than seven feet in length and six inches in diameter, to be set not less than two and one-half feet in the ground at a distance apart not more than eight feet from center to center. First a board shall be nailed to the posts close to the ground; five inches above such first board, a second; six inches above the second, a third; six inches above the fourth, a fifth; all to be capped with a like board securely nailed to the fifth board and to the posts. All the boards to be firmly nailed to the posts with not less than two eight or ten-penny fence nails at each post. Or it may be constructed of posts, boards and wire in combination as follows: The posts shall be of cedar, tamarack, or oak, not less than seven feet in length and six inches in diameter, to be set not less than two and one-half feet in the ground, at a distance apart of not more than eight feet from center to center. At a height of sixteen inches from the ground a pine or hemlock fence board six inches in width, and seven inches above such first pine or hemlock board; second of the same width; both boards to be firmly nailed to the post with two eight or ten-penny fence nails at each post. At the height of five inches from the ground a barbed fence wire, and at ten inches from the ground a second barbed wire; forty-four inches from the ground, or nine inches from the second pine or hemlock board, a third barbed wire; and fifty-three inches from the ground, or nine inches above the third barbed wire, a flat Brinkerhoof strip, or some other metallic strand of similar pattern; or it may be constructed [with such posts and set as above prescribed and made] as follows: At a height of six inches from the ground a barbed fence wire; at thirteen inches from the ground a second barbed wire; at twenty inches from the ground a third barbed wire; at twenty-eight inches from the ground a fourth barbed wire; at thirty-seven inches from the ground a fifth barbed wire; at forty-eight inches from the ground a six inch pine or hemlock fence board, capped with a six inch pine or hemlock fence board. Such wires and strips to be properly strained, and the posts sufficiently braced wherever necessary to prevent the wires from becoming loose or sagging, and the wires to be securely fastened to the posts with sufficient staples. All inequalities of the ground under the fence to be surfaced and leveled so that no animals can pass under the lower strand: *Provided*, Any railroad company that has already erected fences along the line of its road shall not be required to construct the fence herein provided for [unless after complaint under oath to the commissioner of railroads, the said fence is decided by him to be insufficient.] Such right of way fences shall be provided with suitable connecting fences and cattleguards at all highways and street crossings, which shall at all times be kept in effective repair and sufficient to prevent stock of all kinds from passing upon the track of the railroad at such highway or street cross-

ings. Convenient farm crossings shall also be constructed by any such railroad corporation across the right of way and track of its railroad, with the necessary gates or bars therefor as the owner or occupant of the premises may erect, at the sides of the right of way, which said gates or bars shall be of sufficient width to admit the free and easy transportation of all farm machinery, including harvesters or binders, in form as the same are usually drawn, upon the application of the owner or owners of land lying upon both sides of such railroad track, the same being enclosed by exterior fences, and being adjacent to such right of way. And in case of disagreement between the owner of any such lands and the railroad corporations as to the necessity for, location of, or character of farm crossing so applied for or as to the plan or construction of the gates as herein provided, then either party may present the matter in dispute to the commissioner of railroads, who shall proceed to investigate the same as soon as may be, and render his decision thereon, which shall be final and binding upon the parties respectively; and such farm crossings shall be constructed within the time prescribed by the said commissioner of railroads, under a penalty of ten dollars for each and every day that such construction of the farm crossing shall be delayed beyond the expiration of the time fixed for its completion by the said commissioner of railroads. And until such fences and cattle-guards as hereinbefore provided for shall be duly constructed, the company or corporation owning or operating such road shall be liable for all damages done to cattle or other animals thereon which may result from the neglect of such company or corporation maintaining or operating such road to construct and maintain in repair such fences and cattle-guards as aforesaid, to be recovered by the owner of such cattle or other animals in a civil action before any court of competent jurisdiction, together with an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars, to be taxed as costs against the defendant in case of recovery in such action, and after such company or corporation shall have constructed such fences and cattle guards as hereinbefore provided, and while they shall continue to maintain the same in good and sufficient repair, it shall not be liable for any such damages as aforesaid unless negligently or wilfully done. And every such company or corporation owning or operating any such railroad shall within two or three months from the time any section or portion of such road is finished and put in general use by running regular trains there, and in the case of any road now in use [* * *] from the time that this act shall take effect, erect and maintain the fences and cattle guards as herein provided. Any violation of the provisions of this section on the part of any railroad corporation owning or operating any railroad in this State, by failure or neglect to construct and maintain fences and cattle-guards as herein required, shall be punished by a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day that such neglect or failure shall continue: *Provided*, That [if] such fences and cattle-guards shall not be built as aforesaid along such portions of any line of road as is or may be constructed north of a line extending due west from the mouth of the Saginaw river, the corporation or company owning or operating any such line of road shall not be liable to the said penalty unless such fence shall be ordered by the commissioner of railroads, but shall be liable to all the other provisions of this section; and if any person shall ride, lead or drive, or intentionally permit any horse or other animal upon such road and within such fences or cattle-guards [other than farm crossings, or shall injure or destroy, or make openings or passages

through or over such fences or cattle-guards], or neglect to close any gates or bars immediately after passing through the same, without the consent of such company or corporation, he shall, for every such offense, be liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, and shall also pay all damages which shall be sustained thereby to the party aggrieved: *Provided further*, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the erection of any other fence than that herein provided for, as may be agreed upon in writing between the duly authorized agent or officer of any railroad corporation and the owner of any land through which the road of such corporation shall be in operation.

Now to inform the Senate that in the bill as so amended the House non-concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The bill was laid on the table.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. J. W. Babcock to the chair. After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 131 (file No. 262), entitled

A bill to repeal act 241 of the public acts of 1871, approved June 8, 1881.

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause thereof, and ask the concurrence of the Senate in their action.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Chairman*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Howell moved that the Senate concur in the action of the committee of the whole in striking out all after the enacting clause of the above named bill,

On which Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred in the action of the committee by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, W.I.	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President,
Edwards,	Moon,	Roof,	<i>pro tem,</i> 19

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Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Mayo,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Laing,	Sharp,
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On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,
The title and enacting clause of the above named bill were laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,
The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 8, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Roberts.

Roll called: a quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 825. By Mr. Fox: Remonstrance of Hon. R. Wisner and nine other business men of Port Austin, Huron county, against the passage of three bills now before the Senate affecting railroad interests.

Referred to the committee on railroads.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

House bill No. 97 (file No. 407), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of article 2 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, being an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act number 177, public acts of 1877, approved May 22, 1877, being compiler's section 3323 of Howell's annotated statutes as amended by act number 116, public acts of 1883, approved May 24, 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Seymour moved that the bill be referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 257 (file 292), entitled

A bill to provide for the furnishing to the probate court of each organized county in this State a full set of the reports of the supreme court of the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred House bill No. 410 (file No. 382), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the State board of fish commissioners for the year ending June 30, 1888, and for the year ending June 30, 1889,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on asylums for the insane:

The committee on asylums for the insane, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 347, entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for lighting the Michigan Asylum for the insane with electric light.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEORGE HOWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on asylums for the insane:

The committee on asylums for the insane, to whom was referred House bill No. 314 (file No. 361), entitled

A bill to prevent judges of probate from serving as trustees of any of the asylums for the insane in the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEORGE HOWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred House bill No. 265 (file No. 451), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of merchants and traders' associations,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred House bill No. 719 (file No. 387), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of central and local associations of mint growers,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Willite,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 249, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Sherman in the county of Iosco, to borrow money for the payment of the highway and other indebtedness of the said township,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill making an appropriation of swamp land for the construction of a drain in the townships of Wisner and Gilford, in Tuscola county,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 478, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 282 of the local acts of 1875 entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Lansing," approved March 25, 1875, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, by adding thereto a new title to stand as title XVII., and to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of title XII. of said act.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on state affairs:

The committee on state affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 327, entitled

A bill to preserve evidence of error or fraud in election returns and the count of the board of canvassers,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on state affairs:

The committee on state affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 95, entitled

A bill to amend section 2, act 148, session laws of 1869, being section 1756 Howell's annotated statutes as amended in act 261, session laws of 1881, relative to the appointment of superintendents of the poor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 82, entitled

A bill to amend section 2, of chapter 42 of Howell's annotated statutes No. 1756, relative to the support and maintenance of the poor at public expense by counties,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 235, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Marine City, in the county of St. Clair, and repeal act No. 328 of the local acts of 1885, approved April 23, 1885, entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Marine City, in St. Clair county,"

Which was re-transmitted to the House as shown by former message, together with the objections of the Governor to the passage of the same, and in accordance with the provisions of the constitution, the bill and the message were presented to the House.

The question being "shall the bill pass, the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding," and two-thirds of the members elect not voting therefor, the bill was not passed but was returned to the Senate with a statement of the facts, and subsequently returned to the House on its request for the same. Which request was made for the purpose of a reconsideration of the vote by which it failed to receive the requisite two-thirds vote to become a law, the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding.

Now to inform the Senate that the motion for such reconsideration was ruled out of order and that the bill is therefore again returned to the Senate with its standing unchanged, it having failed to receive the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elect to the House, as shown by former message.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was laid upon the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 112 (file No. 146), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 228 of the public acts of 1885, being an act to authorize the board of control of swamp lands to cause the removal of jams or rafts of flood-wood, and to clear out and deepen, where necessary, the channel of Swan Creek, in the county of Midland, and appropriate two sections of land therefor;

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

1. By inserting in line 4, section 1, after the word "therefor," the words "approved June 20, 1885."
2. By inserting in line 5, section 1, after the word "Midland" the words "and the main creek in Saginaw county."
3. By striking out of line 6, section 1, the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three."
4. By adding the following at the end of section 1: "Provided, that two sections of said land shall be used for said purpose in the county of Midland, and the balance in the county of Saginaw."
5. By inserting in line 5, section 2, after the word "in" where it first occurs in said line 5, the words "one or more."
6. By inserting in line 5, section 2, after the word "in" and before the word "said" the words "each of."

7. By making the word "county" where it occurs in line 5, section 2, read "counties."

8. By adding to the end of line 5, section 2, the words "and Saginaw."

9. By striking out of line 2, section 3, the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three."

10. By striking out of line 5, section 3, the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title of the bill so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend act No. 228, of the public acts of 1885, being "An act to authorize the board of control of swamp lands to cause the removal of jams or rafts of floodwood, and to clear out and deepen, where necessary, the channel of Swan creek, in the county of Midland, and appropriate two sections of land therefor, approved June 20, 1885,

In the passage of which, as thus amended, and with the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Post,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barringer,	Laing,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Mayo,	Potter,	Willits,
Deyo,	Monroe,	Rairden,	Wisner,
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The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the title,

On motion of Mr. Post,

The Senate concurred.

Title as amended agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Willits moved to take from the table

House bill No. 719 (file No. 387), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of central and local associations of mint growers,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The bill was laid upon the table.

Mr. Campbell moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 160, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Pinconning in Bay county, Michigan,
Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 667, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Saginaw and to repeal act number 227, local acts of 1883, entitled An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw, and to repeal act No. 496 of the laws of 1867, entitled An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw, approved Feb. 5, 1859, as amended by act No. 338, local acts of 1885, approved April 29, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendment to the House amendments to the Senate amendments to said bill, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the said House amendments, when so amended, be concurred in, and ask to be discharged from further consideration of the subject. (Senator Edwards dissenting.)

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

Pending concurrence in the amendments made by the House,

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Mayo moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 171 (file No. 54), entitled

A bill to prohibit the selling, furnishing or giving any spirituous, malt, ferment, or vinous liquors to any inmate of the Michigan Soldiers' Home,
Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out all of line 4, section 1,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the title as follows:

By inserting after the word "home" in line 3, section 1, the words "except when on furlough and away from the city of Grand Rapids,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Monroe,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Deyo,	Hubbell,		

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Mr. Crosby,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Wisner,
Gorman,			

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Title agreed to.

The President announced that the hour of ten o'clock had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the further consideration of

Senate file No. 278, being

Senate substitute for House bill No. 504 (file No. 414), entitled

A bill to revise consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order,

Whereupon the President called Mr. Holbrook to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate file No. 278, being

Senate substitute for House bill No. 504 (file No. 414), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State.

Have made some progress therein, but not having gone through therewith, have directed their chairman to report that fact to the Senate and ask leave to sit again.

JOHN HOLBROOK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The committee were granted leave to sit again.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. O'Reilly submitted the following invitation:

To the Honorable President of the Senate.

We have the honor to transmit the following, and respectfully beg your acceptance of the invitation extended:

By Alderman Jacob.

WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State have nearly completed the work of their present session and are about to adjourn, and

WHEREAS, The people of the city of Detroit are very largely interested in the welfare of the State, both from their close business relations and the burdens they are called upon to bear in taxation, and

WHEREAS, The State Legislature are called upon to take important action in reference to promoting business interests and government of the city of Detroit, it is therefore deemed wise and proper that close and friendly relations should be cultivated between the State government and the representatives and citizens of Detroit; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Governor and the State Legislature are cordially invited to visit the city of Detroit in a body on Saturday, June 11 inst., as the guest of the city government.

And be it further resolved, That a committee consisting of the president of the board of aldermen, three members of this board, to be designated by the Chair, and the Hon. Joseph Nicholson, superintendent of the house of correction, be constituted a committee of invitation.

LON BURT,
JOHN CHAS. JACOB,
FRANK N. REVES,
JOSEPH NICHOLSON,
Committee on Invitation

Mr. O'Reilly offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That the Legislature do accept the invitation extended to them by the board of aldermen of the city of Detroit to visit that city in a body on Saturday, June 11, inst.,

Pending the adoption of which,

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met, and was called to order by the President.

Roll call: a quorum present.

The question pending at the time of taking a recess being the adoption of the concurrent resolution relative to accepting the invitation of the people of Detroit,

Mr. Sharp moved that the resolution be laid upon the table.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr Sharp moved that the further consideration of the invitation be made the special order for Thursday, June 9, at 9:30 o'clock A. M.

Which motion did not prevail.

Pending the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. J. W. Babcock offered the following substitute:

Resolved (the House concurring), That the Legislature acknowledge with pleasure the invitation of the common council of the city of Detroit to the Legislature to visit that beautiful city on the 11th inst., and while thanking the said common council most cordially for said invitation, yet, owing to the pressure of business, the Legislature feel called upon to, and do so most respectfully decline said invitation.

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The substitute was then agreed to, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Stark,	
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Roof,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Seymour,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Sharp,		19

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Mr. Barton,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. O'Reilly,	
Crosby,	Gorman,	Laing,	Rairden,	8

The substitute was then adopted.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 8, 1897. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, A company from the Michigan military academy at the late national drill at Washington won the distinction and honor of being the best drilled company present:

Therefore Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the congratulations and thanks of the Legislature are hereby extended to the management and cadets of the academy, and the Governor is hereby authorized to forward to Col. J. Sumner Rogers, superintendent, a copy of this resolution,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The resolution was then adopted by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Monroe,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp	
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Laing,			30

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SPECIAL ORDER,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Holbrook to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: Senate file No. 278, being

Senate substitute for House bill No. 504 (file No. 414), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

JOHN HOLBROOK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bill and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then did not prevail, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Barton,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Post,	
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	Hubbell,	Roof,	8

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Bairden,	
Campbell,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Howell,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Edwards.	Mayo,	Potter,		19

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate go into committee of the whole on the general order.

On which,

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Bairden,	
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	Hubbell,	Roof,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Mayo,		11

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Potter,	
Barton,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Deyo,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Monroe,	Post,	Willits,	16

Mr. Crosby moved that the Senate adjourn,

On which

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Barton,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, J. W.	Crosby,	Post,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Roof,	Stark,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,			14

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Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	
Deyo,	Holbrook,	Monroe,	Rairden,	
Edwards,	Howell,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Fox,	Laing,	O'Reilly,	Willits,	16

Mr. W. I. Babcock moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Harshaw moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Barton,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, J. W.	Crosby,	Palmer,	Sharp.	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Post,	Stark,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Roof,		15

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Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	
Deyo,	Holbrook,	Monroe	Rairden,	
Edwards,	Howell,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Fox,	Laing,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,	16

By unanimous consent,

The Senate returned to the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 150 (file No. 66), entitled

A bill to provide for an appropriation for the preparation, publication and distribution of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the Michigan superintendents of the poor, for the years 1887 and 1888,

Which passed the Senate with an amendment April 22, in which amendment the House non-concurred, as is shown by the following message:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, April 29, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 150 (file No. 66), entitled

A bill to provide for an appropriation for the preparation, publication, and distribution of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the Michigan superintendents of the poor, for the years 1887 and '88,

Which the Senate, as shown by message of April 22, amended as follows:
By adding thereto a new section to stand as section three and to read as follows:

SEC. 3. The auditor general shall add to and incorporate in the State tax, for the year 1887, the sum of \$150, and, for the year 1888 the sum of \$150, to be assessed, levied, and collected as other State taxes are assessed, levied and collected, which sums, when collected, shall be placed to the credit of the general fund to reimburse it for the sums appropriated by section one of this act.

and to inform the Senate that in said amendment the House has non-concurred.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend that the Senate insist upon the amendment, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The report was adopted.

By the committee on agricultural college:

The committee on agricultural college, to whom was referred the following concurrent resolution:

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Michigan (the House concurring), That the annual appropriation of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) made available to the State of Michigan under the act of congress for the maintenance of an experiment station for the benefit of agriculture in connection with each college, established under the act of Congress, approved July 2, 1862, be and the same is hereby assented to and placed under the control of the State board of agriculture in control of the Michigan State agricultural college, subject to the rules and regulations expressed or implied in the act of congress above named.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the resolution be adopted, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The concurrent resolution was adopted.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 380 (file No. 431), entitled

A bill to preserve evidence of error or fraud in the counting of ballots and in election returns, and in the count of inspectors of election and the declaration of the board of canvassers in contested elections,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and

that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 392 (file No. 192), entitled

A bill to amend section 12 of an act amendatory of the several acts relating to the Wesleyan Seminary at Albion, and the Albion Female Collegiate Institute, approved February 25, 1861, as added thereto by act number 91 of the session laws of 1865.

2. Senate bill No. 286 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill to provide for the improvement and maintenance of highways, and the repairing and preservation of bridges within the State, and to repeal act No. 57 of the public acts of 1885, and all acts inconsistent with this act,

3. Senate bill No. 134 (file No. 139), entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of chapter 3 of act No. 164 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes contravening the provisions of this act," approved May 21, 1881, as amended by act No. 93, of the public acts of 1883, approved May 16, 1883,

4. Senate bill No. 448 (file No. 218), entitled

A bill to amend section 7449 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 135 of the session laws of 1873, being section 9023 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the fees of appraisers, commissioners and others,

5. Senate bill No. 169 (file No. 195), entitled

A bill to make it a misdemeanor to remove, destroy, damage, or dispose of any personal property that shall have been seized by due process of law issued from any court of competent jurisdiction in the State, while such seizure or levy is in force, without first giving the bond or other security therefor, if any, required by law, and to provide the punishment therefor,

6. Senate substitute for House bill No. 49 (file No. 70, Senate file No. 217), entitled

A bill to regulate the sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine and other articles and substances resembling butter, and to provide a penalty for the violation of this act,

7. Senate bill No. 112 (file No. 146), entitled

A bill to amend act number 228 of the public acts of 1885, being An act to authorize the board of control of swamp land to cause the removal of jams or rafts of floodwood, and to clear out and deepen, where necessary, the channel of Swan creek, in the county of Midland, and appropriate two sections of land therefor.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 338 (file No. 172) entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Portsmouth, in the county of Bay, to raise money by loan upon the bonds of the township,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on counties and townships :

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 650, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Deep River, Arenac county, to borrow \$3,000 to be used in paying outstanding obligations created by the construction and improvement of highways in aforesaid township,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Monroe,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,		27
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

[Senate concurrent resolution, being]

Concurrent resolution, requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to use their influence to so amend or regulate the appointment of hull inspector, that the office may be filled by a practical ship carpenter, and defining his duties.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

The message was laid upon the table.

The President also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 365 (file No. 182), being

An act to provide for the care and maintenance of indigent and insane persons in private asylums within this State.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

The message was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 542, entitled

A bill to establish a board of assessment and review for the city of East Saginaw and to repeal all provisions of the present charter of said city inconsistent therewith.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The committee on cities and villages were instructed to report the bill to the Senate and that the request of the House be complied with.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate adopted the substitute for the concurrent resolution relative to accepting the invitation of the people of Detroit.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The substitute and the original resolution were withdrawn.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Legislature accepts the invitation of the Detroit board of aldermen to visit their city on the date mentioned in their invitation—June 11—and to enjoy the hospitality of the citizens of said city,

Which has passed the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Fox demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred in the adoption of the resolution, by the yeas and nays as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Laing,	Roof,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Howell,			18

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Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	4
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The President also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

Sir—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate bill No. 290, entitled

A bill to reincorporate the village of Red Jacket, now incorporated under an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Red Jacket, in Calumet township, Houghton county, approved March 19, 1875, under the provisions of act No. 62 of the public acts of 1875, entitled An act granting and defining the powers and duties of incorporated villages," approved April 1, 1875, and the several acts amendatory thereof, being chapter 81 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, and the amendments thereto,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

House bill No. 178 (file No. 443), entitled

A bill to preserve the purity of election and guard against abuses of the elective franchise,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 575, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of article 2, sections 1 and 2 of article 3, section 2 of article 6, section 1 of article 10, section 5 of article 13, sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of article 14, sections 1, 2 and 3 of article 15, and section 3 of article 16 of act No. 245 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the village of Allegan," approved March 2, 1869, as amended, by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to add 4 new new sections to said act to stand at sections 7 of article 3 and sections 9, 10 and 11 of article 13,

2. House bill No. 537, entitled

A bill to amend sections 15 and 20 of act No. 211 of session laws of 1861 entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Lowell," approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereon.

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 7, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 11 (file No. 12), entitled

Joint resolution directing the Board of State Auditors to settle a claim of the Northwestern Manufacturing Company of the city of Detroit, Wayne county, against the State of Michigan for damages sustained by reason of the passage of act No. 186 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to prevent deception in manufacture and sale of dairy products, and to preserve the public health,"

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The joint resolution was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 228 (file No. 308), entitled

A bill to amend sections 8033 and 8035 of the compiled laws of 1871 relative to county jails and the regulation thereof as amended, the same being compiler's section 9649 and 9651 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 132 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 2, 1885, and by act No. 224 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 17, 1885,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on State affairs.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill entitled:

Senate bill 432 (file No. 267), entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Howell, in the county of Livingston, to raise money to make public improvements in said village,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 501 (file No. 242), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Harrisville, in Alcona county, in the State of Michigan, to organize the township of Gustin, in said county, and to provide for the appointment of boards of registration and inspectors of election in and for said township of Gustin,

In the passage of which, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 732 (file No. 453), entitled

A bill to lay out and establish a State road along or near the principal Base line of Bois Blanc Island, in the county of Mackinac, from the eastern to the western terminus of said line, and appropriating swamp lands upon said Island for the construction thereof,

2. House bill No. 798 (file No. 458), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the city of Muskegon,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on education and public schools.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate returned to the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred House bill No. 542, entitled

A bill to create a board of assessment and review of the city of East Saginaw, and to repeal all provisions of the present charter of said city inconsistent therewith,

Respectfully report the same back to the Senate in accordance with instructions, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was returned to the House.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 802, House (file 396), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Greenbush, in the county of Alcona, and organize the same into a separate township to be known as the township of Mikado.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Howell moved that the Senate take a recess until 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Pending which,

Mr. Westgate moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed.

Lansing, June 9, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M.
Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Beale.

Roll called: a quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 826. The president presented the following communication which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

Detroit, Mich. June 9, 1887.

To the Honorable, the Senate of Michigan:

GENTLEMEN,—After the most careful consideration of the Bettinger bill, to provide for the furnishing of free school books to the pupils of the public schools of this city, this district assembly K. of L., No. 50, unanimously resolved to ask your honorable body to pass the same.

J. M. MCGREGOR,
HENRY H. ROBINSON,
JOHN DESLIE,

Legislative Committee for D. A. No. 50, K. of L.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 827. Mr. Stark presented the following petition, which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

Uo the Honorable the Legislature of the State of Michigan :

We, the undersigned residents of the city of Grand Rapids in Kent county, in said State, respectfully petition your honorable body, and pray that no law be enacted at the present session, affecting rates to be charged for the carriage of persons or goods by the railroads in this State.

In the present condition of affairs we believe that legislation in the direction contemplated by pending measures would prove highly injurious to public and business interests.

Dated Grand Rapids, June 2d, 1887.

Burkley, Lanon & Hoops, Wholesale Grocers,
Hawken & Perry, Wholesale Grocers,
Olney Shields & Co., Wholesale Grocers,
Ed. Telfer, Wholesale Spices,
Hozeltums, Perkins & Doyle, Wholesale Druggists,
H. Leonard & Sons, Wholesale Crockery,
Union Hardware Co., Wholesale Hardware,
Putman & Brooks, Wholesale Confectioners,
P. Dykema & Son, Grain Dealers,
Grand Rapids Packing and Provision Co., Packers and Provision Dealers,
Taylor, Stevens & Co., Wholesale Hardware,
Spring & Company, Wholesale Dry Goods,
Hart & Amberg, Wholesale Liquors,
Rindge, Bertsch & Co., Wholesale Boots and Shoes, Dealers and Manufacturers,
Eaton & Lyon, Wholesale Books and Stationery,
L. D. Harris, Wholesale Paper,
Auburn Paper Co., Paper Manufactory,
Kortlander & Grady, Wholesale Liquor Dealers,
S. C. Len. Wholesale and Retail Clothing,
S. P. Bennett, Wholesale and Retail Coal,
H. Schneider & Co., Wholesale Tobacco and Cigars,
West Michigan Oil Co., John C. Bonnell, Pres.,
O. E. Brown, Grain Dealer,
G. R. Ice and Coal Co.,
Peck Bros., Wholesale and Retail Drugs,
Horton & Perkins, Retail Grocers,
M. G. Randall, Retail Grocer,
Charles H. Taylor, Retail Grocer,
Morris H. Treusch, Wholesale Tobacconist,
Ed. E. Mohl, Wholesale Tobacco and Cigars,
Paul Steketee & Sons, Dry Goods,
E. R. Wilson, Druggist,
Voygt Herposhiemer & Co., Wholesale Dry Goods,
G. R. Mayhew, Boots and Shoes,
H. F. Hastings, Mdse. Broker,
John Benjamin & Sons, Dry Goods,
McDonald & Williams, Clothing,

Nelson Bros.' & Co., Wall Paper Dealers,
 Geo. A. Hall & Co., Stationers,
 Heyns & Co.,
 Houseman, Donnelly & Jones, Manufacturers and Dealers in
 Clothing,
 G. Kalmbach,
 S. Tyroler,
 Paul W. Friedrich, Music Dealer,
 Vossin Bros., Dry Goods,
 D. J. Evans & Co.

Referred to the committee on railroads.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred
 Senate bill No. 362, entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of Alpena county to issue bonds
 for the purpose of raising money to improve the highways leading from the
 city of Alpena to the several townships in said county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and
 have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment,
 and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the fur-
 ther consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and
 placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following
 entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 203 (file No. 143), entitled

A bill to legalize and validate all the proceedings had, up to and including
 the issuing of certain bonds issued by the township of Warren, in the county
 of Midland, State of Michigan,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all
 the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect
 by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for
 enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 872, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5 and 33 of an act to establish a police government for the city of Detroit, approved April 17, 1881, and the amendments thereto.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Fox,	Mayo,			30

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Crosby moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate bill No 311 (file No. 286), entitled

A bill to amend section 7, 9, 10, 23, and 33 of chapter 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and being act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 1, sec. 33, "160" and inserting in place thereof "95;" same line by striking out "session laws" and inserting "public acts;" line 2, by striking out "1881," and inserting "1887;" line 3, by striking out "5" and inserting "6;" lines 5 and 8, by striking out "third" and inserting "fourth,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J.W.,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Roof,	
Babcock, W.I.	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Edwards,				29

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Wisner moved to take from the table

House bill No. 667, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Saginaw and to repeal act number 227, local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw, and to repeal act No. 496 of the laws of 1867, entitled "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw," approved February 5, 1859, as amended by act number 338, local acts of 1885, approved April 29, 1885,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made to the bill by the House, as amended by the Senate,

Mr. Wisner addressed the Senate

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The address was ordered spread at length upon the Journal.

The following is the address:

In the month of February last, Saginaw City, by her chosen representative, presented in the other end of the capitol, a bill to amend and revise the charter of the city of Saginaw. In that bill they sought to extend the boundaries so as to include a strip of territory called Florence, lying upon her water front, extending in length nearly one mile, being about 500 feet wide at one end and 400 feet wide at the other. This territory formed a portion of the territory of Carrollton. The measure met with considerable opposition in the House, mainly for the reason that neither the people of Carrollton who were losing more than two hundred thousand valuation, or the parties owning the strip, most of whom live in East Saginaw, had been consulted in the matter. The township of Florence was stricken from the bill and it came to the Senate for our concurrence. When I, the Senator representing all the territory to be affected, put the provision back, and you endorsed my action by an almost unanimous vote. I told

you then, upon this floor, that I acted in the interest of consolidation, and that the annexation of this strip of land to Saginaw City was a long stride in that direction. I told you that my name did not appear upon the tax roll of either city. That I did not own one dollar's worth of property and was not engaged or interested in any business whatever in either city. That I lived in the country three miles away from the river, from which point I calmly surveyed the contest between the two cities. But I told you that for twenty years I had been an advocate of the consolidation of the two cities, and I advocated the annexation of this strip of land as the entering wedge, as the key-stone to the grand arch, that in the near future should span both cities and unite the business interests of 60,000 people, in a grand effort to build up in the Saginaw valley a city second only to the City of the Straits. But I must not dwell, for I have not the time to indulge in sentiment. The bill went back to the House for their concurrence in the annexation of Florence and a special committee of five Representatives was agreed upon to visit the territory and report. They went there and met the citizens interested, and after hearing arguments upon both sides of the question, came back and unanimously reported in favor of the Senate amendment annexing Florence, and also in favor of a consolidation of Saginaw City, Florence and Carrolton and East Saginaw into one city, and the chairman of the committee offered an amendment to the Senate amendments to accomplish that result, and that question is before us.

And now, gentlemen, I want you to read carefully the provisions of that amendment. It provides for the annexation of Florence from and after this date, and the balance of the territory in 1890, after the next enumeration of the general government, so that we can change the formation of our representative districts so as to adjust them to our changed condition. It provides further,

"That six months prior to the next session of the Legislature a committee consisting of three persons from the city of Saginaw shall be appointed by the common council of said city, and a committee consisting of three persons from the city of East Saginaw shall be appointed by the common council thereof, who shall prepare upon a just and equitable basis, so as to properly protect the rights and interests of all the people residing within the territory to be affected by the consolidation of the same, a charter for said city of Saginaw. And, in case of any disagreement of said committee, the questions upon which they disagree shall be submitted to Benton Hanchett, of Saginaw City, who shall act as an arbiter, and whose decision shall be binding and conclusive upon said committee, as to the provisions of said charter.

And provided, That in case one of said cities shall neglect or refuse to appoint such committee, then the committee appointed by one of the said cities shall act and perform all the duties imposed by this amendment, with said Benton Hanchett added as aforesaid, who shall then act as one of said committee, and the compensation of said committee shall be audited and allowed by the common council appointing the same. And said committee shall submit the charter so prepared to the next legislature for its adoption.

I had the honor to draft that provision, and in doing so I had but one object in view, and that was to guard and protect the rights of all. I gave them three members on the west side where they have a population of sixteen thousand, and on the east side with a population of thirty-five thousand I only gave them a committee of three. And then so as to make the weak stronger,

to make them understand that no wrong could under any circumstances be done them, I selected as final arbiter a man upon the west side in whom all have confidence, one of the best lawyers in this State. A man of ability, integrity and high moral worth, who has spent the best years of his life in promoting the growth of Saginaw City, where he has accumulated large property interests, and who is to-day in favor of consolidation. The duty of that committee is to take this tangled web of divers interests and weave them into a charter, that in the language of the proviso shall be upon a just and equitable basis, so as to properly protect the rights and interests of all the people residing in the territory to be affected by consolidation, and then to submit that charter to the next Legislature for its approval." Could anything be fairer? And I stand here to-day for thirty-five, yes, for forty thousand people residing in that territory, to say that we will faithfully carry out and stand by the charter drafted by that committee. That charter comes before the next Legislature and with this enabling act upon the statute books, they will stand by the committee also.

And were I a citizen of East Saginaw, having large property interests there, I should hesitate somewhat before placing myself, bound hand and foot, to the action of a committee, a majority of whom would naturally give their sympathy, at least, to their friends and neighbors upon their side of the river. But as long as the citizens of East Saginaw did not complain, I would be content. I know her people; I know their great, generous hearts; I have lived among them during the best part of my life, and what little money I have, I have made there. I have been honored by them, and if at times I have not been as fully appreciated as I desired, it was my fault, not theirs. And I know they are willing to surrender everything in the charter except the grand idea of consolidation, which has taken possession of them all. We have not only protected them by giving them a majority of the committee, but they have upon their side three members of the Legislature, with but one upon the east side. I believe this representation will continue in the next Legislature, and with this act in their hands, what has Saginaw City to fear?

It has been suggested that the question of consolidating these cities should be submitted to the electors of the localities interested. There is apparent force in the suggestion, because it is apparently in harmony with the principle of the right of each community to govern itself. But it is merely apparent, and is without substance or vitality. There is no question to-day to be submitted except the question of consolidation in the abstract, and upon that question this Legislature does not require the opinion of the electors of these cities in order to form an intelligent judgment. We feel and know that it is desirable that those warring communities upon the banks of the Saginaw, ought to be united and form one great and harmonious community, and that if that can be done upon a basis which shall be fair and equitable, the union will prove not only of incalculable benefit to their people, but to the State at large.

Now, this bill does no more nor less than to say to those people that it is the deliberate judgment of this Legislature that the consolidation of the Saginaws is desirable, is feasible and is inevitable, and that they must take steps looking to such a consummation. This bill, therefore, provides that each of those two cities shall appoint, six months before the next Legislature meets, a committee of three each to draft a charter for the consolidated city, and it makes Benton Hanchett, a resident of Saginaw City, the umpire to pass upon questions in dispute, arising between such joint committees. Is there any reason to doubt

that a charter thus prepared will be fair, equitable and acceptable to those people? Be that as it may, when that charter is presented to the next Legislature, and has received its approval, that Legislature can then submit to the people of those cities the question of uniting and consolidating upon the basis presented in that charter. Then, and not till then, will the electors have the question presented in a fair and intelligent manner. Men who now oppose consolidation may then favor it, and some who now favor it, may, when they learn upon what terms and conditions it is to be made, will oppose it. In my judgment that charter could very properly be submitted to the people. But what is to be gained by ascertaining their views upon consolidation now when the terms and conditions are wholly undetermined? Such an opinion would show little and be of no value whatever.

And I was much surprised when I heard his excellency, ex-Governor Jerome, state before the committee on cities and villages the other evening that Saginaw City did not want Florence and did not ask to have it put back in the bill in the Senate. It placed me in rather a delicate position before this body. Saginaw City did not want Florence. Then why was it that a committee appointed by the common council, at the head of which body was ex Mayor Hill, after six months' solemn deliberation, put Florence in the bill? Why was it that a committee composed of these very men who now oppose consolidation, came down here and worked faithfully with me in the House and out of it to have the Senate amendment, annexing Florence, concurred in by that body? Faithfully, earnestly and diligently we worked side by side to that end, and now I find myself deserted by the very men who stood at my back upon this question. They basely and treacherously abandoned me in the thickest of the fight, and I stand solitary and alone, so far as their company is concerned, championing the same cause in which I first enlisted for the war. No! I am not alone! I have rallied to my banner a host of the bravest and best citizens of Saginaw City. And where I had before a few aged men, who had passed the term of enlistment and whose limbs were too weary for the march, and whose whose arms were too weak to wield the sword, I have to-day a gallant army of the young, prosperous and progressive business men of Saginaw City, who have come nobly to my support. And standing here before this honorable Senate to-day, responsible to my constituents, I solemnly declare that I put in the bill the annexation of Florence at the request of some of the best men of Saginaw City, and I hold myself personally responsible for the justice and wisdom of the act. Men who opposed consolidation did not ask me to submit the question to a vote of the people interested. You did not then advocate consulting the men who own the territory. You were willing to take two hundred thousand valuation from poor Carrolton and annex it to your city, leaving her with a township composed of less than two sections and a half of land, without even a petition or a single vote cast in its favor by the people interested. Where, then, was your position upon the question of the right of the people to decide by the ballot, great questions of local interest, which you advocate so strongly to-day? Let Saginaw City vote, but don't let Carrolton vote! Gobble Florence without the consent of her people. But for God's sake don't let us gobble any more without a vote, not of the people to be gobbled, but of the gobbler. The only difference in your attitude and mine upon the question of annexation of Florence was the motive. I wanted Florence for the purposes of consolidation, and I so told the Senate, and had I not frankly told them so, I could not have obtained Florence. You wanted it to prevent consolidation, but you dare not tell the Senate so or

the people. But ex-Governor Jerome says, "I did not take any part in it." Of course you did not. You never show your hand when there is any important preliminary step taken to put money in your pocket. You know that three Jeromes and two others own the only street railway between the two cities. You know that it is the most valuable line (for its length) in the whole United States. You know that the citizens of the two cities have just subscribed ten thousand dollars, each side paying half, to purchase a driving park on your side of the river, and that thirty-five thousand people want an independent street car line to that park. And you wanted this strip of land called Florence, so as to control the approaches to the free bridge, and by your common council prevent in the future, as you have in the past, any competition with your street car line. No, David, you did not openly advocate the annexation, but your trusted lieutenants and henchmen were here, who for twenty years have marched to your music and danced when you pulled the wire from behind the screen. And David it has been your selfish resistance to just such measures as this for the public good that shipwrecked your political bark in the wildness of a November storm and sent its shattered fragments down into the depths of an unfathomable sea.

And I want to make another statement right here while upon this branch of the subject. You said before the committee that consolidation did not originate with Saginaw City, but that it was an East Saginaw scheme. I now assert it as a fact that consolidation was put in this bill at the request of a Saginaw City man, who was four years ago your Senator upon this floor, and who for years has been an earnest and eloquent advocate of a union of the cities, and he is backed by more than 600 of your best citizens, who represent two millions of your valuation, men who looking to the future want to end this useless strife, and work together for the benefit of all, but Jerome say, "We have had no trouble, we want peace; let us alone, we are a contented and happy people."

I state what I know to be a fact, as a result of thirty years' observation and twenty-five years' actual residence among you, I never knew the time when there was not more or less trouble growing out of the rivalry between the two cities, but I defy you, in all your malice and hatred of us, in all your bitter vindictive anti-consolidation nest, to find one person who can truthfully point out one single instance where a citizen of East Saginaw, acting for the people, has ever injured you in reputation or estate, while I can point out many acts committed by you not in accordance with that spirit of justice and equity that should exist between man and man. I should not refer to these things at this time and upon this floor had you not dragged some of them from the obscurity where I would fain let them repose forever, and argued them before the committee who made this report.

Why, I remember when you wanted to reach out into the country upon your side of the river and bring the Gratiot and Saint Louis plank road into your city to help your trade, and open up the county on the west and south the city of East Saginaw, issued and gave you her bonds to the amount of \$15,000, upon the express condition that that road should be built to some point on Genessee street, opposite the business center of East Saginaw, and after you had commenced the work and constructed the road to the business part of Saginaw City, you sued out an injunction and served it upon the contractor and stopped the work then and there, confiscating over \$15,000 without any corresponding benefit to us.

I remember upon another occasion you wanted aid to build the St. Louis railroad, and asked us to subscribe to the stock, and we did so to the amount of some \$40,000, upon your express guarantee that a railroad bridge should span the river, and extend the road to our side, and you stopped it upon yours, and for nearly ten years, and until you sold out to another line, we received no benefit from the construction of the road. I have reason to remember this transaction, for you, Jerome, accompanied by a valued and responsible citizen of East Saginaw, came to me, I was poorer then than now, but I put my name to a note for \$100 and gave it to you upon this express condition, and I afterwards paid it in full. And how have you rewarded us for these kindly acts. Some years ago we wanted to bridge the river at the foot of Genesee street, so that our citizens who owned this strip of land called Florence and had built valuable industries there, giving employment to hundreds of laboring men, could go back and forth to their business without the aid of the old rope ferry.

You, Jerome, packed your satchel, headed these men opposed to consolidation, as they wended their way to Washington to convince the secretary of the navy that a bridge across the river, although provided with a draw and swing, would seriously impede navigation, and that this great government, in the interest of commerce, should intervene to prevent its construction. My friend Hubbell remembers all about it, for he was an honored member of congress from Michigan at that time, and worked earnestly in your behalf. I remember how you fought us, and the government finally detailed an engineer to go Saginaw and investigate the whole subject, and report to the secretary of war, and the government acted upon his report. He came, he went, and soon the sound of the hammer and the buzz of the saw were heard fashioning the timber and welding the iron and steel that was to span the river and grapple the other shore, as the first cord to bind the two cities together, to be followed later by others, reaching across the river, binding the two cities into one consolidated unit. My friend, did you ever hear of commerce being impeded by those bridges, did you ever hear of a vessel being stranded by them? Was you acting in the interest of commerce when you made that bitter, earnest fight, or rather, did you not look with prophetic eye through the years that have intervened and see a prosperous people crowding that busy thoroughfare, the shores lined with business houses and a mighty people numbering more than 50,000, whose interests are identical, shouting the glad song of consolidation, Peace on Earth and Good will to Man.

And I also remember that at the last session of congress when Tarsney was fighting that memorable fight with Bay City for the location of a United States court, he was confronted with a petition from Saginaw City, praying for its location at Bay City, rather than at East Saginaw. I might recount other instances, but I forbear. The mention of these repeated acts of injustice towards the people of East Saginaw are alike unpleasant and distasteful, and I have only referred to them to refute the argument of his excellency that there was no trouble between the cities, but that they were living near each other as happy and contented as lambs in the same flock, or cooing doves in the same nest.

There have been scores of cities consolidated all over the United States, and mostly in cases where a river has divided the two places. In each of them there has been two business centers and in all of them both centers of business have in the end been improved by consolidation, and the statement that the annexation of South Saginaw to East Saginaw in 1873 "has wholly destroyed South

Saginaw as a business center" is wholly and absolutely false. The business and population of South Saginaw has been on the increase from that date to the present time. Property has largely increased in value and no part of the city of East Saginaw is more unanimous and hearty in their demand for consolidation than are the citizens of the 7th and 8th wards, which formerly constituted the village of South Saginaw. And they all point with pride to the benefits they have received from consolidation. No one seeks to cripple the business center of Saginaw City. It is in the near proximity to the court house, and we all concede that no change shall be made in the location of the court house and we firmly assert that the property of Saginaw City will be largely increased in value by joining the cities together. All we seek is to benefit and build up, not to destroy.

No one seeks to destroy or injure the schools of Saginaw City. The proposition is simply ridiculous. Schools are just as well managed in large cities as in smaller ones. Boston has never had any such difficulty, though several times she has added to her corporate limits villages much larger than Saginaw City. Florence has a little school of her own, but no one thought that it would be injured by being thrown into the common system of Saginaw City. We admit that the Saginaw City schools are most excellent, but they are no better than those of East Saginaw, and each may be improved by joining them together, by adopting the best methods on each side of the river and discarding the errors of each. It is nonsense to claim that our schools will suffer by being under one general management.

As to the court house, we admit that Saginaw City raised \$100,000, which should have been paid by the county, and when the details of consolidation are arranged by the Legislature we propose that the territory now embraced in East Saginaw shall assume its full share of that indebtedness.

We do not propose to tear up any railroad tracks, to take away any telegraph offices or express offices from Saginaw City. The same business which caused their location where they are will keep them there on both sides the river. Indeed, consolidation will lead to new railroads, and will give us all better telegraph and express service than we now have.

Just where the city buildings would be located it is impossible to state, but a place can be selected which will best accommodate the entire people, and one argument in favor of consolidation now is that neither city has as yet built its city buildings, and when a proper place is selected the new city can build such halls and offices as will be a credit to us all, and the Legislature can, if it chooses, determine in the new charter where such location shall be. In no case will the majority seek to wrong the minority.

As to the postoffice East Saginaw would be the one to complain. Saginaw City has its office, has the name, and would retain it. East Saginaw would cease to be a city at all and would lose its identity at once. Both offices could be left as they are, but undoubtedly the department would at once put them both under one head and free delivery would instantly be given to the entire new city, with stations to accommodate all its people just as they are now, only that the mail facilities of Saginaw City and Carrolton would be immensely benefited by the change. It is simply foolish to claim that the United States government will be unable to get letters to 60,000 people, when they are making such prompt and perfect delivery to places running from 100,000 up to 2,000,000 of people.

As to money put into railroads, the city of East Saginaw has paid vast sums

in excess of what has been paid by Saginaw City, to secure such roads. Saginaw City has secured the location of two railroads and only two, and East Saginaw people paid large sums to aid them in securing those. While East Saginaw has secured five roads which run into that city in addition to the two into Saginaw City.

The City of Saginaw will have no portion of it when consolidated that will have done more for its prosperity than the people now living in East Saginaw.

As to the committee sent to examine into the Florence matter they were sent without instructions, as the Journal shows. They viewed the whole ground, heard the whole case, and unanimously recommended that Florence be annexed to Saginaw City and also that this Legislature take steps to consolidate the entire cities and villages into one city. I believe they were right; the House by a vote of 60 to 11 said they were right, and we ask the Senate simply to indorse their decision.

As to the debts of the two cities, I simply assert that no money has been wasted in East Saginaw. Whatever their debt is, they have in sewerage, in water mains, in paved streets, in school buildings and other property something substantially to show for all they owe. When the charter shall be made for the consolidated city, all these matters can be justly and fairly arranged, as they were in the case of South Saginaw, and this act provides for a committee to prepare and present such a charter, which committee is so constituted that Saginaw City certainly cannot complain.

I would further add that the amendments put into this bill by the house, are clearly in the best interests of all the people of the Saginaws. The people of East Saginaw are a unit in favor of a consolidated city. So are the citizens of Florence and Carrolton. A very large number of the people living in Saginaw City also favor it, including half of the common council. On each side of the river that will run through the consolidated city are our main industries. There are located on that stream 46 mills, lumber yards, planing mills, shingle mills and factories of various kinds. A careful canvass of these industries show that out of the entire 46 industries, the owners and managers of 39 of them favor the consolidation scheme and only seven are opposed to it. And of those located on the Saginaw City side of the river, six oppose consolidation and fifteen favor it. We have just raised money to build a union park and fair grounds on the Saginaw City side. Of the money raised for that purpose \$20,000, over \$15,000 of it was subscribed by men who favor consolidation. They have just raised \$8,000 to establish a hospital in Saginaw City, \$6,000 of that money is paid by men who favor consolidation.

The Saginaw barrel works, with a capital of \$150,000 and by far the largest factory on the Saginaw City side of the river, is owned, over forty thousand dollars of it, by parties outside of the State; of the \$100,000 owned in the cities, less than \$8,000 of it is owned by men opposed to consolidation, over \$90,000 of it by men who favor this union of the two cities. Now, what do we give you for consolidation? We give you an equal interest in \$251,924.82 worth of school property upon which we do not owe one dollar. We give you an equal interest in our water-works system, which includes forty miles of iron pipe, including engines and hydrants, which to January 1st, 1887, cost \$474,760.39. We give you an equal interest in over 100 miles of plank sidewalk, over ten miles of paved streets, over seventeen miles of public sewers, including all that has been built since 1886, all free from any indebtedness that will ever be assessed upon your territory. We give you a

mail delivery by carriers immediately. We expect to help you build a city hall worth at least one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. We will help you build another free bridge at the foot of Court street, making five bridges in all that will span our beautiful river, binding our cities together with ribs of oak and bands of iron, making our union indissoluble forever. We expect to pay our share of your court house debt, to save the expense of one system of water works and electric lights, one fire and police department, one set of city officers, and we will, to your valuation of four million and a half, add our nine million eight hundred thousand dollars, making over fifteen millions in all, and then with your consent, we will bond the consolidated city for a million to build factories, and set a million wheels and spindles in motion to give employment to surplus labor and make our city the great metropolis of Northern Michigan.

As part of my argument I now send up to the secretary a letter from one of the most prominent citizens of the Saginaw valley.

The secretary then read as follows:

East Saginaw, Michigan, May 20, 1887.

*Hon. C. W. Wisner,
Lansing, Mich.*

DEAR SIR,—I write you in the interest of the bill consolidating the cities of Saginaw and East Saginaw, with some adjacent territory, into one city. These cities lie on opposite sides of the river, extending about four and a half miles along its banks, on the west side of which lies the city of Saginaw, and on the east side the city of East Saginaw. A like distance of four and a half miles, east and west, will reach from the western boundary of Saginaw to the eastern boundary of East Saginaw.

The interests of the people of the two cities are identical. And if no other reason existed why they should be consolidated than the fact that there should be better facilities for the people to get from one side of the river to the other, that alone is sufficient. There is but one street car line extending across the river and this is owned by citizens of Saginaw who are among the most earnest opponents of consolidation. With consolidation effected other lines would cross the river and better accommodation be furnished the public.

The river has always been a barrier, and when a question comes up for bridging the river—and there are now two railroad and four highway bridges across it—there is opposition and dispute. Two of these highway bridges are now owned by the city of East Saginaw and one by the city of Saginaw. The fourth one is a toll bridge and is owned by a private corporation. All the bridges should be free and should be maintained at the general expense, and not at the separate expense of either side of the river. I believe ninety-nine per cent. of the people in East Saginaw favor consolidation, and I believe a majority of the voters in the city of Saginaw are also in favor of it.

Mr. George F. Lewis, editor of the Saginawian and a resident of Saginaw City, a few years ago, in the interest of consolidation, wrote letters to different cities throughout the United States, similarly situated, where consolidation had in fact taken place, as to the result of union. The answers received were uniformly to the effect that those who anticipated failure had been disappointed, and that the results were beneficial to all concerned. Mr. Lewis was in favor of consolidation, and published these answers received by him to show the benefits to be derived from a union of the two cities.

Those who oppose consolidation say that they fear East Saginaw, being numerically the stronger, will not treat them fairly. I do not believe there is

any cause for this apprehension. Besides, the seventh and eight wards of East Saginaw would be as likely to work with the wards on the west side of the river as with those on the east side, and by such a union their numerical strength would be the greater. I am sure the disposition on the part of the people of East Saginaw is to treat this matter fairly and in the utmost good faith. As a result of the strife between the two cities the City of Saginaw has been compelled to assume the burden of building the county jail and court house. As an evidence of their good faith, the people of East Saginaw are entirely content to pay their share of the cost of these buildings (and East Saginaw pays forty per cent of the taxes paid in Saginaw county), and thus relieve the City of Saginaw to that extent. As an additional safeguard, the municipal corporation to be formed will be under the care and control of the legislature, and no wrong could be perpetrated but what the legislature could remedy.

It will be readily seen, also, that in the matter of fire protection and police protection much more effective service can be rendered to all in the whole territory, if managed as one jurisdiction. In the matter of the construction of street car lines, the question of gas and electric lighting, the matter of water supply, and in many other departments of municipal government, a greater economy would follow consolidation.

As to the time of passing this bill and the time it should take effect, it seems peculiarly appropriate as it passed the House. If the question of consolidation could be absolutely settled now, and three years' time given the present municipalities and the citizens thereof to shape their affairs, so that they may have a system for united action perfected before the date of union arrives, it would enable everything to start in smoothly, and with none of that friction which would come should there be an immediate union of the municipal governments. I think it eminently wise that the fact of consolidation should be now established, leaving the act of consolidation to follow when there shall have been such mature deliberation as to details of the union as will be likely to prevent mistakes and secure the most beneficent results.

Very respectfully yours,

W. L. WEBBER.

Mr. Wisner resuming spoke as follows:

But the opposition claim that this act of consolidation is illegal, unconstitutional and void. I am tired of this oft reiterated tyrant's plea; a plea so persistently urged, that they would make us believe that the laws and constitution of this country were framed for the purpose of throttling civilization and stopping the wheels of progress in its resistless march. In all great contests fought in the interests it has ever been thus. When our Anglo-Saxon fathers, upon the plains of Runnymede, compelled a reluctant monarch to affix his sign manual to Magna Charta the act was declared unconstitutional. When at a later day the same people dethroned the Stuarts and placed the crown upon the head of the Prince of Orange, prescribing his coronation oath, and teaching royal tyrants that though kings could do no wrong, they could die like other men, the act was declared unconstitutional.

When from the heights of Bunker and from behind the hedgerows of Concord our patriot fathers hurled live thunder and winged deadly bullets at the hired minions of King George, the act was declared unconstitutional. When Massachusetts soldiers shed the first blood of the rebellion upon the streets of Baltimore, marching to coerce the rebellious hosts of Jeff Davis and in defense of the glorious flag of our country, the act was declared unconstitutional.

When Abraham Lincoln, with one stroke of his pen, struck the death note of the rebellion, and enfranchised a race, the act was declared unconstitutional.

When, at the present day, in the interests of the people, and for the good of all, we seek to do what has been done in nearly every State in the Union, the act is declared unconstitutional. Mr. President, this is not idle declamation, it is but illustrating and defining the great law by which civilization and progress throughout the world has overturned her enemies and achieved her victories.

I want to now mention one fact in the history of this contest, unknown to the Senate, but patent to me, from the commencement of this fight: Saginaw City, last fall, in the heat of a political contest, and for the purpose of marching to certain victory, nominated and elected Milo H. Dakin as the representative of their district in the other end of the capitol. Milo H. Dakin was then and is now, an uncompromising consolidationist. He had prepared a bill, and was to present it in the House, to unite the two cities. Saginaw City could not afford to have a man upon the floor representing 16,000 people in her district, who was heart and soul in favor of a scheme opposed to the wishes and hopes of this dozen men, who in the past have ruled that people with a rod of iron, Milo H. Dakin, uneducated, weak perhaps in mind, but sound upon the question of the hour, must go, and they put a legal blood-hound upon his track, who finally entrapped him in a snare deliberately set for him by these men in a saloon. And as long as Milo Dakin's ghost walks these corridors and his blood stains that map, so long as the sobs of his wife and the tears of his disgraced children cry to heaven for justice, so long will this spirit of consolidation march on. It has been said the blood of the martyr is the seed of the church; it is equally true the blood of Dakin is the seed of this consolidation, and poor Shakelton, your mayor, unsophisticated but honest, working side by side with Dakin for consolidation, is now being investigated by these very men with a view to consign him to the same disgraceful political oblivion, into which they have sent their representative.

Dakin and Shakelton might live if they would recant. But Dakin bared his neck and bowed his head to the block as Algernon Sidney did in defense of a great principle. Exclaiming with him when he, like a Roman, like a Christian, exclaimed "Strike, axmen, strike! Algernon Sidney will never rise more till the morning of the resurrection."

More than eighty years ago, upon opposite banks of the Saginaw river, where our cities now stand, there dwelt two Indian tribes who fought many a fierce battle for the mastery, one was the Chippewa, the other the Sioux; the ring of the war whoop broke the stillness of the summer night, and the glittering tomahawk and scalping knife flashed at noonday in God's sunlight as they engaged in the death grapple, and reddened the waters of the Saginaw with Indian blood. There was Toandogane and Neome on the one side, and Kasawsunk and Nocachigame, assisted by their gallant squaws, upon the other.

Go with me to the most populous part of Saginaw City, where, unmindful of the busy hum of industry, they now sleep, and where in digging sewers and excavating to lay water pipe, they have dug up the rusty weapons of savage warfare, and wired together the decaying bones of To-an-dog-ame and Neome, and breathed into them the breath of life. The one represented by Jerome and the other by P. C. Andre, are to-day covered with war paint, and stand upon the banks of the Saginaw river, hurling defiance at their ancient enemy upon the other side. I can see my old friend Andre, rattling his aged bones and

clawing the death mold of eighty years from his hair, as he shakes his bony finger at my friend Horr, who represents Kas-a-aw-sunk, upon the other side, holding in one hand a belt of wampum, and in the other the pipe of peace, praying to the great spirit that this unholy warfare may cease, that must inevitably result as of yore, in the annihilation of his people; while To-on-dog-ane Jerome, draws his bow and wings his arrow, and says, in the Indian tongue: "Dam Chippewa, me big Injun, me fight for street railroad." But I forget in the excitement of the moment I have neglected to mention one important personage, whose influence was all powerful in the savage warfare of those early days, she was Twa-cum-e-go-quā the faithful mistress in unholy wedlock to To-on-dog-ane Jerome. She performed his menial duties, skinned his deer he brought from the chase and cooked the catfish and muskrat that he speared upon the marsh, ever present to sing the song of victory, or to chant the wailing death strain over the bodies of her fallen braves. Her raven tresses were parted near the middle, and her dark, flashing eyes gleamed from below a modern bang, and she is to-day represented in the lithe and graceful form of ex-Mayor Arthur Hill, as she fights with savage hatred, consolidation, and champions her claim by right of heirship to all the Indian lands in Isabella county.

Now, gentlemen, I have nearly done. The details of this question may be dry and uninteresting to you, but to me they represent the dreams of my boyhood, the hopes of my manhood, and the consummation of my declining years. Nearly thirty years ago I stood upon the banks of the Saginaw and dreamed this dream, now so nearly to become an accomplished fact. I have fought this question since 1872. I have met the same enemies, and heard the same speeches made by the opposition, from that time until now. I love East Saginaw, I love her people, her history, and her name. To-day we surrender that name, transfer that history to a heretofore avowed enemy across the stream. We say to them: "Take us and do with us as you think best. The idea of consolidation is so dear to us that we are willing to relinquish all else. Make your charter, protect your rights in every possible way, we cheerfully submit to the wise judgment of the next legislature to do what is right to all parties to the contract.

I am satisfied to base my hopes on the future, when the people upon a sober second thought shall render their verdict upon the action of to-day; when the passion shall have subsided and the rancor and jealousy fostered by years of bitter strife shall have passed away, and a happy and prosperous people shall unitedly march forward to the accomplishment of grand results, and when I die I want no better inscription upon the slab that marks my resting place, as I quietly sleep near those who have disagreed with me upon this subject, than the simple words: "He helped to consolidate," and if possible I will send up through the moist earth the richness of a decaying heart to tint the leaf and paint the flower planted by the hand of an appreciative people above my sleeping head. I have done.

Pending concurrence in the amendments,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding to the second House amendment the following words:

"*And provided further*, That no part of the above proviso shall become operative unless at special elections held, as annual elections are by law required to be held in each of the municipalities specified in said provisos within

six months from the date of the passage of this act, a majority of the voters voting thereat in each of said municipalities shall vote in favor of the consolidation of said municipalities as provided in this act. The time of holding such special elections shall be determined by the common councils of the cities and the township board of the townships, respectively, to be affected thereby. In case of any special election hereunder the form of the ballots of those voting in favor of such consolidation shall be 'For consolidation, yes;' and the form of the ballots of those voting against such consolidation shall be 'For consolidation, no.' The notices of such special elections shall clearly specify the object thereof, and be printed in as large type as long primer type, and be posted in at least fifty conspicuous places in the municipality where such election is to be held, at least twenty days next before the date of such election, and be published for the same time in a daily newspaper published in such municipality if any is published therein."

On which,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then did not prevail by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Edwards,

Mr. Harshaw,

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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,

Mr. Giddings,

Mr. Monroe,

Mr. Roof,

Babcock, W. I.,

Gorman,

Moon,

Sharp,

Barringer,

Holbrook,

O'Reilly,

Stark,

Barton,

Howell,

Palmer,

Westgate,

Crosby,

Hubbell,

Potter,

Willits,

Deyo,

Laing,

Rairden,

Wisner,

Fox,

Mayo,

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The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill, as amended by the Senate,

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,

Mr. Giddings,

Mr. Monroe,

Mr. Roof,

Babcock, W. I.

Gorman,

Moon,

Seymour,

Barringer,

Harshaw,

O'Reilly,

Sharp,

Barton,

Holbrook,

Palmer,

Stark,

Campbell,

Howell,

Post,

Westgate,

Crosby,

Hubbell,

Potter,

Willits,

Deyo,

Laing,

Rairden,

Wisner,

Fox,

Mayo,

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NAYS.

Mr. Edwards,

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On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock, P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Holbrook for the afternoon.

The Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sharp moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 140), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan.

Which motion prevailed

The question being on the passage of the bill the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding,

Pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Sharp moved that there be a call of the Senate:

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senator was reported absent without leave: Mr. Harshaw.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was directed to notify the absentee.

The bill was then passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J.W.,	Edwards,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W.I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,
Crosby.,	Laing,		

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NAYS.

Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Rairden,
Harshaw,			

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Post moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 499, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Sault Ste. Marie, approved May 29, 1879, by adding a new section thereto relative to the powers of the common council to allow the use of streets to railroad companies.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The bill was referred to the committee on cities and villages.

Mr Gorman moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 466, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled "An act concerning churches and religious societies, establishing uniform rules for the acquisition, tenure, control and disposition of property conveyed or dedicated for religious purposes, and to repeal chapter 57 of the revised statutes, and all acts amendatory thereof, being chapter 170 of Howell's annotated statutes to provide for the incorporation of Roman Catholic churches.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

The bill was ordered printed and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Monroe moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 719 (file No. 387), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of central and local associations of mint growers.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on banks and incorporations.

Mr. Seymour moved to take from the table

House bill No. 692 (file No. 347), entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of art. 4 of act No. 198, session laws of 1873, entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof, being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 234 public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Seymour moved that the Senate do insist on its amendments, and ask for a committee of conference,

Which motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 828. By Mr. Atwood: Remonstrance of D. D. Aitken, Ira H. Wilder and 145 other citizens of Genesee county against the passage of House bill No. 233 (file No. 391).

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The remonstrance was ordered spread at length on the journal. The following is the remonstrance:

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan :

Your petitioners, citizens and tax-payers of Genesee county, Michigan, most respectfully but earnestly protest against the passage of House bill No. 233 (file No. 391), entitled "An act to protect fish and preserve the fisheries of this State, etc., for the reason that section 4 of said act would necessitate the closing of mills that now employ more than 200 persons and provides a market for more than half a million pounds of wool and 2,000 tons of straw annually in this county alone, and the passage of such a law would in no manner benefit any one.

Referred to the committee on fisheries.

No. 829. By Mr. Campbell: Remonstrance of S. O. Fisher, S. A. Pluemuex, W. F. Benson & Son and 497 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred House bill No. 798 (file No. 458), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the city of Muskegon,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 100 (file No. 221), entitled

A bill to regulate telephone companies within the State of Michigan by fixing the rental of telephone instruments connecting with the wires of the companies, and prohibiting discrimination between patrons and providing penalties for its violation,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and that the bill be referred to the committee on appropriations and finance, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on state affairs:

The committee on state affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 264, entitled

A bill for the payment of the salaries of State officers,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and with the recommendation that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs to whom was referred

House bill No. 183 (file No. 310), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 171, session laws of 1873, entitled An act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders, approved April 29, 1873, as amended by act No. 37 public acts of 1875, approved March

19, 1875, being compiler's section 9894 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 168 public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on mines, minerals and mining interests:

The committee on mines, minerals and mining interests, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 161 (file No. 55), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of an inspector of mines, and defining his powers and duties and to punish violations thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 501 (file No. 242), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Harrisville, in Alcona county, in the State of Michigan, to organize the township of Gustin, in said county, and to provide for the appointment of boards of registration and inspectors of election in and for said township of Gustin,

2. Senate bill No. 432 (file No. 267), entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Howell, in the county of Livingston, to raise money to make public improvements in said village,

3. Senate bill No. 203 (file No. 143), entitled

A bill to legalize and validate all the proceedings had, up to and including the issuing of certain bonds, issued by the township of Warren, in the county of Midland, State of Michigan,

4. Senate bill No. 290, entitled

A bill to reincorporate the village of Red Jacket, now incorporated under an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Red Jacket in Calumet township, Houghton county, approved March 19, 1875, under the provisions of act No. 62 of the public acts of 1875, entitled An act granting and defining the powers and duties of incorporated villages," approved April 1, 1875, and the several acts amendatory thereof, being chapter 81 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, and the amendments thereto.

JOHN RAIDEN, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The President announced that the hour of 2:30 o'clock P. M. had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Senate bill No. 483 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 9, of article 2, of the session laws of 1873, being
 "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," as amended by act number 116 of the session laws of 1883.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Giddings to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 483 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of article 2 of the session laws of 1873, being
 "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," as amended by act No. 116 of the session laws of 1883,

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause thereof, and ask the concurrence of the Senate in their action.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the action of the committee of the whole in striking out all after the enacting clause of the bill,

Mr. Seymour demanded the yeas and yeas.

The Senate then concurred by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Palmer,
Babcock, J. W.	Deyo,	Laing,	Post,
Barringer,	Fox,	Moon,	Westgate,
Barton,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Campbell,			

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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Seymour,
Edwards	Mayo,	Rairden,	Sharp,
Gorman,	Monroe,	Roof,	Stark,
Harshaw,			

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Mr. Hubbell moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in the action of the committee of the whole.

Pending which,

Mr. Mayo moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which,

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood, Babcock, W. L. Edwards,	Mr. Harshaw, Mayo, Monroe,	Mr. Potter, Rairden,	Mr. Roof, Seymour,	10
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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W., Barringer, Barton, Campbell, Crosby,	Mr. Deyo, Fox, Giddings, Gorman, Howell,	Mr. Hubbell, Laing, Moon, O'Reilly, Palmer,	Mr. Post, Sharp, Stark, Westgate, Willits,	20
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The question being on the motion to reconsider,
Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to lay the motion on the table,

On which,

Mr. Gorman demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows, the President voting aye:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood, Babcock, J. W. Barringer, Barton,	Mr. Campbell, Deyo, Fox, Giddings,	Mr. Hubbell, Laing, Moon, O'Reilly,	Mr. Post, Westgate, Willits,	15
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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I., Crosby, Edwards, Gorman,	Mr. Harshaw, Howell, Mayo, Monroe,	Mr. Palmer, Potter, Rairden, Roof,	Mr. Seymour, Sharp, Stark,	15
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The title and enacting clause of the bill were laid on the table.

Mr. Sharp moved to take from the table

House bill No. 97 (file No. 407), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of article 2 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, being an act entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, as amended by act No. 177, session laws of 1877, and act No. 116, public acts of 1883.

Pending which,

Mr. Edward moved that the Senate adjourn,

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I., Campbell, Crosby, Edwards,	Mr. Gorman, Harshaw, Mayo, Monroe,	Mr. Moon, O'Reilly, Palmer, Rairden,	Mr. Roof, Sharp, Stark,	15
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood, Babcock, J. W., Barringer, Barton,	Mr. Deyo, Fox, Giddings, Howell,	Mr. Hubbell, Laing, Post, Potter,	Mr. Seymour, Westgate, Willits,	15
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[The President voting aye and announcing the Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 10, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by Senator Deyo.

Roll called: a quorum present.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

Leave of absence was granted to himself for the balance of the week.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 830. By Mr. Gorman: Petition of David Keischner and 31 other citizens of Monroe county asking for the passage of House file No. 183.

Referred to the committee on agricultural interests.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 194 (file 392), entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for the erection of an addition to the normal school building, and for providing the necessary heating apparatus, furniture and fixtures therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN. W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 825 (file No. 450), entitled

A bill to amend section 41 of act No. 153 of the public acts of the year 1885, being an act entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon, approved June 9, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 155 (file No. 88), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, compensation and duties of a stenographer of the sixth judicial circuit,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment,

and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills subject to amendment as in committee of the whole.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 134 (file No. 80), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation, and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit court for the counties of Manistee, Mason, Lake and Osceola, now comprising the 19th judicial circuit,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of the bills, subject to amendment as in committee of the whole.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 596 (file 314), entitled

A bill providing for the employment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer of the 13th judicial circuit, State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills subject to amendment as in committee of the whole.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 156 (file 312), entitled

A bill to provide compensation to stenographers for transcripts stenographically reported in the courts for the fifth judicial circuit of the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill placed on the order of third reading of bills subject to amendment as in committee of the whole.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 87 (file No. 306), entitled

A bill defining the duties and regulating the compensation of the official stenographer of the 14th judicial circuit of the State of Michigan in the matter of filing transcripts of court proceedings in the circuit courts thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills subject to amendment as in committee of the whole.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 415 (file No. 305), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Allegan and Ottawa, now comprising the 20th judicial district,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills, subject to amendment as in committee of the whole.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 161 (file No. 313), entitled

A bill providing for the employment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the second judicial circuit, State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills subject to amendment as in committee of the whole.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 76, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 6 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the circuit court for the county of Saginaw," approved May 7, 1881, being sections 6527, 6528 and 6530 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the bill be placed on the order of third reading of bills subject to amendment as in committee of the whole.

Pending which,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend by making the order relative to the bill providing for printing.

Which motion to amend did not prevail.

The motion to place on the order of third reading then prevailed.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 442, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Branch and St. Joseph, now composing the 15th judicial circuit,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading, subject to amendment as in committee of the whole.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 300, entitled

A bill to revise the laws providing for the appointment, duties and compensation of stenographers and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, compensation and duties of a stenographer of the twenty-fourth judicial circuit,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading subject to amendment as in committee of the whole.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 47, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Mecosta and Newaygo, now composing the 27th judicial,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills subject to amendment as the committee of the whole.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 349 (file No. 90), entitled

A bill to authorize the Erie and Kalamazoo railroad company to change its line between Palmyra Junction and the city of Adrian,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads to whom was referred

House bill No. 22 (file No. 23), entitled

A bill to amend section 3323 of article 2, chapter 91, of the general statutes of Michigan, compiled by Andrew Howell, as amended by act 116 of the session laws of 1883, relative to the corporate powers and duties of directors of railroad companies,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred Senate substitute for House bill No. 445 (file No. 356), entitled

A bill to provide additional fire protection at the Michigan Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the substitute back to the Senate, being Senate file 280, entitled,

A bill to provide additional fire protection, and for other purposes, at the Michigan Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Recommending that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 64, entitled

A bill to authorize the village council of the village of Sheridan, in the county of Montcalm, State of Michigan, to pass ordinances establishing fire limits or districts, within which wooden buildings or structures shall not be erected, placed or enlarged, and the manner of constructing, altering or repairing all buildings or structures within such districts,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred House bill No. 262 (file No. 384), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 2, and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 12 of chapter 3, of act No. 326 of local acts of 1883, entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, relating to registration and elections in said city,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 499, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Sault Ste. Marie," approved May 29, 1879, by adding a new section thereto, relative to the powers of the common council to allow the use of streets to railroad companies,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the council of the village of Alma, in the county of Gratiot, to borrow money and issue the bonds of said village therefor,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 911, entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 2, sections 4 and 5 of chapter 5, sections 17, 23 and 56 of chapter 7, sections 6 and 14 of chapter 9, section 10 of chapter 12, section 1 of chapter 14, section 6 of chapter 15, section 1 of chapter 17, sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11 of chapter 19, of act number 390, local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885, and to add two new sections thereto to stand as section 30 of chapter 17 and section 21 of chapter 20 respectively,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Barringer,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 27, entitled

A bill providing for the employment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the seventh judicial circuit, State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in,

and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills subject to amendments as in committee of the whole.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 439 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to provide a general law under which corporations may be formed to carry on printing, publishing and book making, and any or either of them,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 9, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

Senate bill substitute for House bill 49, file 70 (file No. 217), being,

An act to regulate the sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine and other articles and substances resembling butter, and to provide a penalty for the violation of this act,

Also,

Senate bill No. 134 (file No. 139), entitled

An act to amend section 15 of chapter 3 of act No. 164 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes contravening the provisions of this act," approved May 21, 1881, as amended by act No. 93, of the public acts of 1883, approved May 16, 1883,

Also,

Senate bill No. 169 (file No. 195), being

An act to make it a misdemeanor to remove, destroy, damage, or dispose of any personal property that shall have been taken into the due process of law, from any court of competent jurisdiction, while such seizure or levy is in force, without first giving security therefor, if any, required by law, and to provide a penalty therefor,

Also,

Senate bill No. 448 (file No. 318), being

An act to amend section 7449 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 135 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 22, 1873, being compiler's section 9023 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the fees of appraisers, commissioners, and others,

Also,

Senate bill No. 112 (file No. 146), being

An act to amend act No. 228 of the public acts of 1885, being an act to authorize the board of control of swamp land to cause the removal of jams or rafts of flood-wood, and to clear out and deepen, where necessary, the channel of Swan Creek in the county of Midland, and appropriate two sections of land therefor, approved June 20, 1885.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

The message was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 9, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 547 (file No. 390), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 233 of the public acts of 1881, being an act entitled "An act to reorganize the Michigan institute for educating the deaf and dumb," the same being compiler's section 1836 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

2. House bill No. 408, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Kawkawlin and attach the same to the township of Bangor in Bay county.

3. House bill No. 889 (file No. 449), entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Sand Beach, in Huron county, to borrow money for the purpose of building a public hall in said village of Sand Beach,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on institution for the deaf and dumb.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 109 (file No. 111), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the maintenance and support of the mining school at Houghton, in the county of Houghton, Mich., for the year A. D. 1888,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

Amend section 1 by inserting in line 6 after the word "treasury" the words "not exceeding the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars,"

And for convenience in consideration of the same the House has re-printed the bill as House file No. 447.

In the passage of which as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,	20

NAYS.

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On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 9, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 278, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Sault Ste. Marie, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Sault Ste. Marie," approved May 29, 1879, as amended,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No 373 (file No. 434), entitled

A bill to regulate the sale of malt, brewed, or fermented, spirituous and vinous liquors in counties in this State,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 9, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 311 (file No. 286), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7, 9, 10, 23 and 33 of chapter 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and being act numbered 326, of the local acts of 1883,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 1 (file No. 110), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the mining school at Houghton, in the upper peninsula of Michigan, and for heating, lighting and furnishing the same,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. Amend section 1 by inserting in line 3 after the word "thousand" the word "dollars;"

2. Amend section 1 by inserting in line 5 after the word "thousand," the word "dollars."

3. By striking out all of section 8 and inserting the following to stand as section 8:

SEC. 8. Money for payments under this act shall be drawn from the State treasury on requisition of the board of control signed by the president and secretary thereof, which shall be presented to the auditor general who shall draw his warrants on the State treasury therefor,

4. By striking out all of section 9 and inserting the following to stand as section 9:

SECTION 9. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer of said Board of Control to render monthly or quarterly accounts to the Auditor General and file vouchers as required by act No. 148 of the session laws of 1873.

5. Amend section 11 by striking out of line 11 the figures "148" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "70."

6. Amend section 11 by striking out of line 11 the figures "1883" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1885."

And for convenience, in consideration of the same, the House has reprinted the bill as House file 446,

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Pending concurrence in the amendments,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Howell moved to take from the table

House bill No. 314 (file No. 361), entitled

A bill to prevent judges of probate from serving as trustees of any of the asylums for the insane in the State of Michigan.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Howell

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

Mr. Howell moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 349 (file No. 90), entitled

A bill to authorize the Erie and Kalamazoo railroad company to change its line between Palmyra Junction and the city of Adrian.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Sharp moved that

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 140), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan,

Be given immediate effect.

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

Mr. Seymour moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 22 (file No. 23), entitled,

A bill to amend section 3323, of article 2, chapter 91 of the general statutes of the State of Michigan, compiled by Andrew Howell, as amended by act No. 116, session laws of 1883, relative to the corporate powers and duties of directors of railroad companies.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out subdivision ninth and inserting in lieu thereof the following to stand as subdivisions ninth and tenth:

Ninth, To regulate the time and manner in which passengers and property shall be transported, and to fix such tolls and compensation therefor *as shall be reasonable and just*; but such compensation for transporting any passenger and his or her ordinary baggage, not exceeding in weight *one hundred and fifty pounds*, shall not, except on railroads operating less than twenty miles of road, exceed the following prices, viz: For a distance not exceeding five miles, four cents per mile; for all other distances, not exceeding two cents per mile; and no fare shall be less than five cents, and that amount in any case may be charged and collected; and the price of tickets may, for convenience in making change, be fixed for that multiple of five which is nearest the exact amount of the fare in each case, as fixed by the foregoing rates: *Provided*, That in the upper peninsula, a maximum rate of three cents per mile may be charged and collected on all railroads for a period of five years after the passage of this act, and a maximum rate of two and one-half cents per mile thereafter: *And provided further*, That the provisions of the ninth subdivision of this act shall not be applied to any tunnel built in pursuance of the provisions of this act. Nothing in this act contained shall prevent new railroads, not leased, operated or controlled in any way by any other railroad corporations or companies from charging a rate not to exceed three cents per mile for passengers for a period of five years from the commencement of the running of passenger trains on such new roads.

Tenth, All companies whose railroads are, or shall hereafter be crossed, intersected or joined, shall receive from each other and forward to their destination all cars, goods merchandise, and other property intended for points on their respective roads, with the same dispatch and at the same rate of

freight not exceeding the local tariff rate charged for similar cars, goods, merchandise and other property received at and forwarded from the same point for individuals and other corporations: *Provided*, That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to require any railroad company to move upon its road any cars which do not conform in breadth of gauge and other respects to its own cars.

Pending which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary and the following Senator was reported absent without leave: Mr. Monroe.

Mr. Hubbell moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion to amend,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Edwards, Gorman, Harshaw,	Mr. Holbrook, Mayo,	Mr. O'Reilly, Rairden,	Mr. Sharp, Wisner,
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood, Babcock, J. W. Babcock, W. I. Barringer. Barton, Campbell,	Mr. Crosby, Deyo, Fox, Giddings, Howell,	Mr. Hubbell, Laing, Moon, Palmer, Post,	Mr. Potter, Roof, Seymour, Westgate, Willits,
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Mr. Sharp moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to adopt the substitute for subdivisions ninth and tenth.

Pending which,

Mr. Hubbell moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table,

On which

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood, Babcock, J. W., Barringer, Barton,	Mr. Campbell, Crosby, Deyo, Giddings,	Mr. Hubbell, Moon, Post, Potter,	Mr. Seymour, Westgate, Willits, Wisner,
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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I., Edwards, Fox, Gorman,	Mr. Harshaw, Holbrook, Howell, Laing,	Mr. Mayo, O'Reilly, Palmer,	Mr. Rairden, Roof, Sharp,
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The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Roof moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on railroads with instructions to report an amendment providing that on all roads in the lower peninsula of Michigan 500 mile tickets shall be sold at a price not to exceed ten dollars, and 1,000 mile tickets at a price not to exceed twenty dollars,

Which motion did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Roof moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of subdivision ninth, the following words:

"And provided further, That one thousand mile tickets good for six months shall be sold to any person desiring them at a price not exceeding twenty dollars."

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. L.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Roof,	
Campbell,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	Wisner,	12

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Deyo	Laing,			18

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Roof,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Barton	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,				25

NAYS.

Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Wisner,	3
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table

House bill No. 97 (file No. 407), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of article 2 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, being an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corpora-

tions owning or operating any railroad in this State," as amended by act number 177, session laws of 1877, and act number 116, public acts of 1883.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On which,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,			18

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Edwards,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Wisner,	12

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 1 (file No. 110), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the Mining school at Houghton, in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan (and for heating, lighting and furnishing the same),

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,			30

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Harshaw moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 356 (file No. 244), entitled

A bill to amend section 16 of local act No. 316 of the session laws of 1883, entitled An act to incorporate the public schools of the township of Maple Ridge, Alpena county,

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Laing,	Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Mayo,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Wisner,	
Deyo,				25

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Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Rairden,	2
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem*.

Roll called: a quorum present.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House joint resolution No. 11 (file No. 12), entitled

Joint resolution directing the Board of State Auditors to settle a claim of the Northwestern Manufacturing Company of the city of Detroit, Wayne county, against the State of Michigan for damages sustained by reason of the passage of act No. 186 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to prevent deception in manufacture and sale of dairy products, and to preserve the public health,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The joint resolution was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on institution for the deaf and dumb:

The committee on institution for the deaf and dumb, to whom was referred

House bill No. 547 (file 390), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 233 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to reorganize the Michigan Institute for educating the deaf and dumb," approved June 7, 1881, the same being compiler's section 1836, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 166 (file No. 64), entitled

A bill to establish the Michigan home and training school for feeble minded children and making an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on military affairs:

The committee on military affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 571 (file No. 394), entitled

A bill to provide for the publication of the names and postoffice address of ex-soldiers, sailors and marines living in the State of Michigan and to make an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on military affairs:

The committee on military affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 609 (file No. 354) entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for marking by monuments, the places where the 1st, 3d, 4th, 5th, 7th, 16th, and 24th Michigan Infantry, the 1st, 5th, 6th, and 7th Michigan Cavalry, the 9th Battery, "I," Michigan Artillery, and Companies "C," "I" and "K," of the 1st Regiment of U. S. S., and Company "B," 2d Regiment of U. S. S., known as Berdan's Michigan Sharp-

shooters, or any other command of Michigan volunteers who fought upon the battlefield of Gettysburg, and providing for the erection of the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on railroads :

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate joint resolution No. 27, entitled

Joint resolution declaring forfeited all the uncertified lands within the limits of the Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagon Railroad land grant, together with all the lands certified or uncertified, which lie opposite the uncompleted section of said railroad, extending from L'Anse to Ontonagon,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled,

Joint resolution declaring forfeited all the uncertified lands within the limits of the Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagan railroad land grant, together with all the lands certified or uncertified, which lie opposite the uncompleted section of said railroad, extending from L'Anse to Ontonogon, and authorizing the railroad board of control to confer said lands and all the rights, franchises, powers and privileges which were granted to the State of Michigan by the United States, to aid in the construction of a railroad from Marquette to Ontonagon, in said State, upon some other competent company.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the joint resolution by the committee.

The joint resolution was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House bill No. 732 (file No. 453), entitled

A bill to lay out and establish a State road along or near the principal Base line of Bois Blanc Island, in the county of Mackinac, from the eastern to the western terminus of said line, and appropriating swamp lands upon said Island for the construction thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on canals and river and harbor improvements:

The committee on canals and river and harbor improvements, to whom was referred

House bill No. 707, entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of damming, excavating, constructing and maintaining water courses with water power appurtenant thereto, for accumulating, storing, conducting, selling, furnishing and supplying upon an agreed rental, water and water power for mining, milling, manufacturing, domestic, municipal and agricultural purposes and for purposes of navigation,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

DANIEL CAMPBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 159, entitled

A bill empowering the township of Charlevoix, in the county of Charlevoix, to bond the township to the amount of not exceeding \$20,000 for the purpose of making public improvements in said township,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The bill was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 10, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No 739 (file No. 385), entitled

A bill to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of coöperative and mutual benefit associations, and to define the powers and duties and regulate the transaction of the business of all such corporations and associations doing business within this State,

Which the Senate amended as shown by its message as follows:

1. By adding to the end of section 11 the following proviso:

Provided, That any corporation heretofore organized, whose members are limited to the order of Free and Accepted Masons, their wives and widows, shall not be required to accumulate any emergency fund as provided by this section, unless the board of directors of such corporation shall adopt a resolution requiring it to be done, and file the same with the commissioner of insurance.

2. By striking out of line 8 of section 15, after the word "certificate," the words "according to the terms and conditions of such policy or certificate."

3. By adding to the end of section 15 the following proviso:

Provided, That any corporation heretofore organized, whose membership is limited to the order of Free and Accepted Masons, their wives and widows, shall not be required to pay upon any death loss, any sum beyond the amount actually realized upon the assessment made upon such death loss, if it clearly appears in the policy or certificate of membership to have been so intended at the time of insuring.

4. By striking out of line 5 of section 16 the words "and acknowledge the same before some officer authorized to take acknowledgments of deeds."

5. By adding to the end of section 16 the following proviso:

Provided, That nothing in this section contained shall prohibit the reinstatement of a risk on any life where the policy may have lapsed through inadvertence or otherwise; nor shall this section apply to accident insurance policies.

6. By inserting in line 18 of section 17 after the word "member" the words "and that it is paying, and for the 12 months next preceding has paid the highest amount named in its policies or certificates in full."

7. By inserting in line 25 of section 17 after the word "department" the words "if any."

8. By striking out of line 3 of section 21 the words "and spirit."

9. By striking out of lines 5 and 10 of section 22 the words "and spirit."

10. By inserting in line 29 section 22 after the word "association" the words "with its consent."

11. By inserting in line 32 of section 22 after the word "therefor" the words "but only to the extent to which they are liable."

12. By inserting in line 33 of section 22 after the word "plans" the word "and."

13. By inserting in line 33 of section 22 after the word "under" the words "the contract by."

14. By inserting in line 33 of section 22 after the word "are" the word "severally."

15. By striking out of line 1 of section 23, the words "knowingly and."

16. By inserting in line 2 of section 25, after the word "councils" the words "now doing business or that may be organized in this State."

17. By inserting in line 2 of section 25 after the word "are" the words "or shall be."

18. By striking out of line 4 of section 25, the word "or."

19. By striking out of line 5 of section 25, the words "or that may be hereafter organized."

20. By striking out section 30 of the bill, as follows:

SEC. 30. No policy or certificate issued by any corporation or association doing business under the provisions of this act shall be cancelled for the non-payment of any assessment or the non-payment of dues without first having

mailed to the holder of such policy or certificate at his or her last known postoffice address the following notice, by registered letter:

You are hereby notified that assessment No. — on policy or certificate No. — has not been paid. Unless the amount of \$——, the amount due on said assessment and 10c as charges for this notice is paid within thirty days from the date hereof, your policy or certificate will be cancelled.

Now to inform the Senate that the House has made the following amendments to said Senate amendments:

1. Amend the first named Senate amendment by inserting after the word "heretofore" in line 1, the words "or that may be hereafter."

2. Amend the third named Senate amendment by inserting in the first line, after the word "heretofore" the words "or that may be hereafter;"

3. Amend the sixteenth named Senate amendment by inserting in the second line, before the word "organized" the word "hereafter;"

And further to inform the Senate that in said first named Senate amendment as amended, second, third, as amended, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth, eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth, as amended, seventeenth, eighteenth, and nineteenth,

The House has concurred.

And still further to inform the Senate that in said twentieth named amendment

The House has non-concurred.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Gorman moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate adopted the 20th named amendment,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion to amend by striking out section 30,

Pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Gorman moved to amend section 30 so as to read as follows:

SEC. 30. No policy or certificate issued by any corporation or association doing business under the provisions of this act shall be cancelled for the non-payment of any assessment or the non-payment of dues without first having mailed to the holder of such policy or certificate at his or her last known postoffice address the following notice, by registered letter:

You are hereby notified that assessment No. — on policy or certificate No. — has not been paid. Unless the amount of \$——, the amount due on said assessment, and fifty cents as charges for this notice, is paid within ten days from the date hereof, your policy or certificate will be cancelled.

Which motion prevailed.

The motion to strike out section 30 then did not prevail.

Mr. Gorman moved that the Senate do concur in the House amendments above set forth and pass the bill as above amended,

Which motion prevailed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,
Babcock, J. W.,

Mr. Fox,
Giddings,

Mr. Laing,
Mayo,

Mr. Rairden,
Roof,

freight not exceeding the local tariff rate charged for similar cars, goods, merchandise and other property received at and forwarded from the same point for individuals and other corporations: *Provided*, That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to require any railroad company to move upon its road any cars which do not conform in breadth of gauge and other respects to its own cars.

Pending which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary and the following Senator was reported absent without leave: Mr. Monroe.

Mr. Hubbell moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion to amend,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Edwards, Gorman, Harshaw,	Mr. Holbrook, Mayo,	Mr. O'Reilly, Rairden,	Mr. Sharp, Wisner,
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood, Babcock, J. W. Babcock, W. I. Barringer. Barton, Campbell,	Mr. Crosby, Deyo, Fox, Giddings, Howell,	Mr. Hubbell, Laing, Moon, Palmer, Post,	Mr. Potter, Roof, Seymour, Westgate, Willits,
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Mr. Sharp moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to adopt the substitute for subdivisions ninth and tenth.

Pending which,

Mr. Hubbell moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table,

On which

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood, Babcock, J. W., Barringer, Barton,	Mr. Campbell, Crosby, Deyo, Giddings,	Mr. Hubbell, Moon, Post, Potter,	Mr. Seymour, Westgate, Willits, Wisner,
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Mr. Babcock, W. I., Edwards, Fox, Gorman,	Mr. Harshaw, Holbrook, Howell, Laing,	Mr. Mayo, O'Reilly, Palmer,	Mr. Rairden, Roof, Sharp,
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The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Roof moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on railroads with instructions to report an amendment providing that on all roads in the lower peninsula of Michigan 500 mile tickets shall be sold at a price not to exceed ten dollars, and 1,000 mile tickets at a price not to exceed twenty dollars,

Which motion did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Roof moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of subdivision ninth, the following words:

"And provided further, That one thousand mile tickets good for six months shall be sold to any person desiring them at a price not exceeding twenty dollars."

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. L.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Roof,	
Campbell,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	Wisner,	12

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Deyo	Laing,			18

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Roof,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Barton	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,				25

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Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Wisner,	3
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table

House bill No. 97 (file No. 407), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of article 2 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, being an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corpora-

and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills subject to amendments as in committee of the whole.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 439 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to provide a general law under which corporations may be formed to carry on printing, publishing and book making, and any or either of them,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 9, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

Senate bill substitute for House bill 49, file 70 (file No. 217), being,

An act to regulate the sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine and other articles and substances resembling butter, and to provide a penalty for the violation of this act,

Also,

Senate bill No. 134 (file No. 139), entitled

An act to amend section 15 of chapter 3 of act No. 164 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes contravening the provisions of this act," approved May 21, 1881, as amended by act No. 93, of the public acts of 1883, approved May 16, 1883,

Also,

Senate bill No. 169 (file No. 195), being

An act to make it a misdemeanor to remove, destroy, damage, or dispose of any personal property that shall have been seized by due process of law, from any court of competent jurisdiction in the State, while such seizure or levy is in force, without first giving the bond or other security therefor, if any, required by law, and to provide the punishment therefor,

Also,

Senate bill No. 448 (file No. 218), being

An act to amend section 7449 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 135 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 22, 1873, being compiler's section 9023 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the fees of appraisers, commissioners, and others,

Also,

Senate bill No. 112 (file No. 146), being

An act to amend act No. 238 of the public acts of 1885, being an act to authorize the board of control of swamp land to cause the removal of jams or rafts of flood-wood, and to clear out and deepen, where necessary, the channel of Swan Creek in the county of Midland, and appropriate two sections of land therefor, approved June 20, 1885.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

The message was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 9, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 547 (file No. 390), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 233 of the public acts of 1881, being an act entitled "An act to reorganize the Michigan institute for educating the deaf and dumb," the same being compiler's section 1836 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

2. House bill No. 408, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Kawkawlin and attach the same to the township of Bangor in Bay county.

3. House bill No. 889 (file No. 449), entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Sand Beach, in Huron county, to borrow money for the purpose of building a public hall in said village of Sand Beach,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on institution for the deaf and dumb.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 109 (file No. 111), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the maintenance and support of the mining school at Houghton, in the county of Houghton, Mich., for the year A. D. 1888,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

Amend section 1 by inserting in line 6 after the word "treasury" the words "not exceeding the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars,"

And for convenience in consideration of the same the House has re-printed the bill as House file No. 447.

In the passage of which as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,	20

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On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 9, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 278, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Sault Ste. Marie, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Sault Ste. Marie," approved May 29, 1879, as amended,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No 373 (file No. 434), entitled

A bill to regulate the sale of malt, brewed, or fermented, spirituous and vinous liquors in counties in this State,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 9, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 311 (file No. 286), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7, 9, 10, 23 and 33 of chapter 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and being act numbered 326, of the local acts of 1883,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 8, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Mr. Wisner,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	President	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i>	22
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,		0
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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the title as follows:

By inserting after the words "villages in," the words "the county of Wayne in."

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Deyo moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following senators were reported absent without leave: Messrs. Fox, Holbrook, Post, Roof, and Seymour.

Mr. Sharp moved that the Sergeant-at-Arms be despatched after the absentees.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sharp moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion did not prevail.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Holbrook at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

Mr. Holbrook was admitted within the bar, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Fox at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

Mr. Fox was admitted within the bar, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Seymour at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

Mr. Seymour was admitted within the bar, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

Mr. Gorman moved that the Senate adjourn,

On which

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	Wisner,	15
Barton,	Holbrook,	Seymour,		

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Giddings,	Moon,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Edwards,			12

The President *pro tem.* announced that the Senate would stand adjourned until Monday, June 13, at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

Lansing, June 13, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Barringer, Holbrook, Moon, Potter and Roof.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

Leave of absence was granted to all absentees for the session.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 831. By Mr. Howell: Petition of J. H. Morrow and 25 others of the city of Adrian, in favor of the Grenell election bill.

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 10, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 174 (file No. 220), being

An act to take away from the Detroit and Saline plank road company, a corporation incorporated under act No. 100 of the session laws of 1848, entitled an act to incorporate the Detroit & Saline Plank Road Company," all that part of its present road lying west of a public highway crossing it at right angles at a point about seven miles east of the city of Ypsilanti, known as Sheldon's Corners,

Also,

Senate bill No. 392 (file No. 192), being

An act to amend section 12 of an act amendatory of the several acts relating to the Wesleyan Seminary at Albion, and the Albion Female Collegiate Institute, approved February 25, 1861, as added thereto by act number 91 of the session laws of 1865,

Also,

Senate bill No. 432, being

An act to authorize the village of Howell, in the county of Livingston, to raise money to make public improvements in said village.

Also,

Senate bill No. 501 (file No. 242), being

An act to detach certain territory from the township of Harrisville, in Alcona county, in the State of Michigan, to organize the township of Gustin, in said county, and to provide for the appointment of boards of registration and inspectors of election in and for said township of Gustin,

Senate bill No. 290, being

An act to reincorporate the village of Red Jacket, now incorporated under an act of the Legislature entitled An act to incorporate the village of Red Jacket, in Calumet township, Houghton county, approved March 19, 1875, under the provisions of act No. 62 of the public acts of 1875, entitled An act granting and defining the powers and duties of incorporated villages, approved April 1, 1875, and the several acts amendatory thereof, being chapter 81 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, and the amendments thereto,

Also,

Senate bill No. 203, file No. 143, being

An act to legalize and validate all the proceedings had, up to and including the issuing of certain bonds issued by the township of Warren, in the county of Midland, State of Michigan.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 10, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to inform the Senate relative to the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 692 (file No. 347), entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of article 4 of act No. 198, session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management and fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof," being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 234, public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885.

Concerning which there exists a disagreement between the two Houses, upon which disagreement the Senate has asked a committee of conference,

Now to inform the Senate that the House grants such committee, and that Messrs. Herrington, T. H. Williams and Dickson have been appointed as such committee on the part of the House, and that the bill is in their hands.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The President announced that he would name the committee on the part of th Senate at some future time.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 10, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

1. House bill No. 536, entitled

A bill to confirm assessments and the levy of taxes for municipal purposes in the city of East Saginaw for the years 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876, 1877, and 1878, under the provisions of the charter of said city and all titles to lands based on the sales made by said city for non-payment thereof, and to authorize said city to institute suits for the recovery of such lands, and in certain cases to maintain proceedings in chancery for the enforcement of the lien of said taxes.

House bill No. 722, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Stanton in the county of Montcalm to borrow money to make public improvements in said city,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 10, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 471 (file No. 273), entitled

A bill to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking, and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows :

1. Amend section 4, line 20, by inserting after the word "discount" the following: "*Provided, That this restriction shall not authorize any transaction for a less sum than fifty cents.*"

2. Amend section 6, line 3, by striking out the words "or private."

3. Amend section 21, line 5, by striking out the words "and directed;"

4. Amend section 27, line 10, by striking out the words "of its real estate," and inserting after the word "valuation" the words "except by a vote of two-thirds of the board of directors such bonds may be purchased if the total liabilities do not exceed ten per cent. of its assessed valuation."

5. Amend section 35, line 3, by striking out the words "guaranty or indemnity" and insert in lieu thereof the words "or safety deposit."

6. Amend section 40, line 3, by striking out the word "twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten."

7. Amend section 47, line 7, by striking out the word "utterly."

8. Amend section 64, line 2, by striking out the words "shall be and the same."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Monroe,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,	24

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. J. W. Babcock offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That the thanks of the legislature be and the same are hereby extended to the citizens of the city of Detroit for the magnificent manner in which the legislature were entertained at the recent visit to said city, and that the marshal of the day, Captain Joe Nicholson, and the committee of arrangements be especially thanked for the complete manner in which the reception was conducted.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 14, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Beattie.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Barringer, Crosby, Holbrook and Moon.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Holbrook for the morning session.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. Crosby.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

Leave of absence was granted to all absentees for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 832. By Mr. J. W. Babcock: Remonstrance of Geo. E. Taylor and 41 others against the passage of House bill No. 233.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The remonstrance was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the remonstrance:

Columbiaville, Mich., June 8, 1887.

Hon. J. W. Babcock, Lansing, Mich.

DEAR SIR: We enclose herewith a copy of Mr. Perkins's bill No. 233, which has passed the House of Representatives amended, but which we consider very detrimental to the interests of this village as seriously affecting the manufacturing interests, and would respectfully request that section four of said bill be entirely stricken out.

Trusting you will use your influence in behalf of the petitioners, we are
Respectfully yours, &c.

Referred to the committee on fisheries.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on public health:

The committee on public health, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 145, entitled

A bill to prevent the sale of impure, unwholesome, adulterated, or swill-milk in the city of Detroit,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEORGE HOWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on university:

The committee on the University have received from Senator Crosby the accompanying table, showing the amount each county and other municipal corporations will be required to pay on account of the \$75,000 appropriation for the University. The committee ask that the same be spread at length upon the Journal.

JOHN C. SHARP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The report was adopted.

The following is the table:

Counties.	\$945,450,000.00 Valuation.	\$75,000.00 University Specialty Tax to County.	Population.	Per capita- tion Tax.
Alcona.....	\$2,500,000 00	\$198 32	4,028	.0482
Alger.....	2,500,000 00	198 32	-----	-----
Allegan.....	15,000,000 00	1,189 92	38,666	.0807
Alpena.....	3,500,000 00	277 64	12,683	.0219
Antrim.....	3,250,000 00	257 81	8,761	.0294
Arenac.....	1,250,000 00	99 16	4,027	.0246
Baraga.....	1,500,000 00	118 99	3,089	.039
Barry.....	18,000,000 00	1,081 27	24,102	.045
Bay.....	22,000,000 00	1,745 21	51,221	.034
Benzie.....	1,500,000 00	118 99	4,889	.0271
Berrien.....	17,000,000 00	1,348 57	37,776	.0356
Branch.....	17,500,000 00	1,352 54	27,661	.0489
Calhoun.....	28,000,000 00	2,221 18	41,585	.0534
Cass.....	15,000,000 00	1,189 92	21,202	.0561
Charlevoix.....	2,500,000 00	198 32	9,275	.023
Cheboygan.....	3,500,000 00	277 64	9,946	.0279
Chippewa.....	3,500,000 00	277 64	8,422	.0329
Clare.....	3,500,000 00	277 64	5,549	.05
Clinton.....	17,000,000 00	1,348 57	27,175	.0496
Crawford.....	1,750,000 00	128 82	2,289	.0573
Delta.....	3,500,000 00	277 64	9,982	.0273
Eaton.....	17,500,000 00	1,352 54	21,802	.0425
Emmet.....	2,000,000 00	158 67	7,944	.0199
Genesee.....	22,000,000 00	1,745 21	38,776	.045
Gladwin.....	1,250,000 00	99 16	1,589	.0644
Grand Traverse.....	4,000,000 00	317 81	12,082	.0262
Gratiot.....	9,500,000 00	753 62	25,049	.08
Hillsdale.....	21,000,000 00	1,665 89	31,666	.0525
Houghton.....	6,500,000 00	515 68	23,146	.0193
Huron.....	6,500,000 00	515 68	24,521	.021
Ingham.....	18,500,000 00	1,411 87	34,989	.0404
Ionia.....	17,000,000 00	1,348 57	32,559	.0411
Iosco.....	2,000,000 00	158 67	10,602	.0149
Iron.....	4,750,000 00	376 81	-----	-----
Isabella.....	4,500,000 00	356 97	16,011	.0223
Isle Royal.....	100,000 00	7 93	-----	-----
Jackson.....	31,000,000 00	2,459 17	45,232	.0543
Kalamazoo.....	24,000,000 00	1,906 87	35,281	.0589
Kalkaska.....	3,750,000 00	297 49	4,496	.0862
Kent.....	45,000,000 00	3,569 76	84,800	.0421
Keweenaw.....	2,750,000 00	218 15	4,657	.0467

Counties.	\$945,450,000.00 Valuation.	\$75,000.00 University Specialty Tax to County.	Population.	Per capita- tion Tax.
Lake.....	\$2,000,000 00	\$158 67	7,539	.081
Lapeer.....	13,500,000 00	1,070 98	30,057	.0866
Leelanaw.....	1,000,000 00	79 83	7,123	.0111
Lenawee.....	23,000,000 00	2,221 18	49,584	.0447
Livingston.....	15,000,000 00	1,189 92	21,563	.0551
Mackinac.....	2,500,000 00	198 32	5,171	.0383
Macomb.....	16,500,000 00	1,307 91	31,233	.0413
Manistee.....	7,000,000 00	555 29	19,375	.0279
Manitou.....	100,000 00	7 93	1,193	.0066
Marquette.....	15,000,000 00	1,189 92	31,397	.0373
Mason.....	4,000,000 00	317 31	13,221	.024
Mecosta.....	6,000,000 00	475 97	20,697	.0231
Menominee.....	6,250,000 00	495 80	19,120	.0259
Midland.....	2,500,000 00	198 32	3,776	.0236
Missaukee.....	3,250,000 00	257 31	3,393	.0761
Monroe.....	15,000,000 00	1,189 92	33,353	.0356
Montcalm.....	9,500,000 00	753 62	35,356	.0213
Montmorency.....	1,250,000 00	99 16	845	.117
Muskegon.....	11,000,000 00	372 61	37,554	.0332
Newaygo.....	4,750,000 00	376 31	13,993	.0193
Oakland.....	27,000,000 00	2,141 86	41,100	.0521
Oceana.....	4,000,000 00	317 31	14,519	.0213
Ogemaw.....	1,500,000 00	113 99	3,637	.0327
Ontonagon.....	3,750,000 00	297 43	4,336	.0315
Osceola.....	3,750,000 00	297 43	14,001	.0313
Oscoda.....	1,000,000 00	79 33	1,374	.0577
Otsego.....	2,000,000 00	153 67	3,906	.0403
Ottawa.....	13,000,000 00	1,031 27	36,225	.0234
Presque Isle.....	1,250,000 00	99 16	4,034	.0243
Roscommon.....	1,500,000 00	113 99	2,533	.0459
Saginaw.....	33,000,000 00	2,617 32	74,793	.0349
St. Clair.....	16,500,000 00	1,303 31	46,733	.023
St. Joseph.....	13,000,000 00	1,427 90	36,277	.0543
Sanilac.....	7,500,000 00	594 93	29,533	.0201
Schoolcraft.....	3,000,000 00	237 93	3,346	.0313
Shiawassee.....	15,000,000 00	1,139 92	33,073	.0423
Tuscola.....	10,000,000 00	793 23	30,723	.0263
Van Buren.....	14,000,000 00	1,110 40	30,341	.0366
Washtenaw.....	30,000,000 00	2,379 34	41,394	.057
Wayne.....	150,000,000 00	11,399 30	133,933	.0329
Wexford.....	3,250,000 00	257 31	10,513	.0245

Cities.	Population.	Proportion of \$75,000 Tax.	Cities.	Population.	Proportion of \$75,000 Tax.
Detroit.....	150,000	\$9,735 00	Monroe.....	5,216	185 00
Grand Rapids.....	41,984	1,765 42	Coldwater.....	5,102	249 40
Bay City.....	29,415	1,000 11	Ionia.....	4,643	190 88
East Saginaw.....	29,100	1,015 59	Niles.....	4,606	163 97
Jackson.....	19,138	1,089 08	Escanaba.....	4,389	120 61
Muskegon.....	17,845	414 00	Marquette.....	4,103	155 00
Kalamazoo.....	13,988	751 26	Marshall.....	4,061	217 93
Saginaw.....	13,767	480 47	Cadillac.....	3,916	95 94
Port Huron.....	10,390	290 92	Owosso.....	3,873	163 83
Manistee.....	10,373	289 41	Mt. Clemens.....	3,827	156 67
Battle Creek.....	10,021	535 12	Charlotte.....	3,598	162 92
Lansing.....	9,779	395 07	Wyandotte.....	3,575	79 32
West Bay City.....	9,492	322 73	Hillsdale.....	3,550	186 38
Adrian.....	9,350	417 95	Albion.....	3,171	169 23
Alpena.....	9,210	201 70	Greenville.....	3,084	65 00
Flint.....	9,086	406 58	Holland.....	2,972	84 40
Ann Arbor.....	7,922	451 55	Lapeer.....	2,897	103 05
Ishpeming.....	6,843	258 67	Hastings.....	2,638	112 64
Big Rapids.....	5,917	136 68	Dowagiac.....	2,351	131 89
Grand Haven.....	5,914	167 96	St. Ignace.....	2,236	85 64
Negaunee.....	5,612	212 13	Eaton Rapids.....	2,131	90 57
Menominee.....	5,578	144 47	St. Clair.....	2,081	56 87
Ludington.....	5,433	130 39	Mason.....	1,882	76 08
Pontiac.....	5,348	278 63	Stanton.....	1,740	37 06
Ypsilanti.....	5,302	300 21	Corunna.....	1,451	61 36
Total.....					\$24,344

Villages.	Population.	Tax.	Villages.	Population.	Tax.
Allegan.....	2,640	81 05	Brighton.....	855	47 01
Douglass.....	417	12 80	Fowlerville.....	1,065	57 08
Otsego.....	1,204	36 96	Howell.....	2,094	115 38
Plainwell.....	1,608	49 21	Pinckney.....	576	31 74
Saugatuck.....	753	23 12	Mackinac.....	708	26 92
Wayland.....	590	18 11	Armada.....	562	23 15
L'Anse.....	413	16 30	Memphis.....	578	23 81
Middleville.....	687	29 13	New Baltimore.....	1,020	42 02
Nashville.....	999	42 66	New Haven.....	590	24 31
Essexville.....	1,356	46 10	Richmond.....	818	33 70
Benton Harbor.....	1,388	49 41	Romeo.....	1,744	71 85
Berrien Springs.....	733	26 09	Utica.....	510	21 01
Buchanan.....	2,070	73 69	Palmer.....	370	13 99
Gallen.....	481	17 12	Mecosta.....	676	15 62
New Buffalo.....	598	21 11	Morley.....	464	10 72
St. Joseph.....	2,624	98 41	Midland City.....	2,177	49 20
Three Oaks.....	468	16 66	Dundee.....	1,226	43 65
Bronson.....	823	40 24	Petersburg.....	426	15 17
Union City.....	1,362	66 60	Edmore.....	1,189	25 38
Quincy.....	1,252	61 22	Howard City.....	1,180	24 07
Burlington.....	304	16 23	Lake View.....	874	18 62
Homer.....	1,044	55 75	McBride.....	1,306	27 32
Tekonsha.....	512	27 34	Pierson.....	385	7 14
Cassopolis.....	1,051	58 96	Sheridan.....	680	14 48
Marcellus.....	596	33 44	Cazenovia.....	114	2 64
Vandalia.....	408	22 89	Lakeville.....	1,509	35 01
Charlevoix.....	1,108	25 48	Montague.....	2,340	54 29
Cheboygan.....	3,717	108 70	North Musley.....	1,879	43 59
Mackinac City.....	245	6 84	Whitehall.....	2,343	54 35
Sault Ste. Marie.....	2,643	86 95	Croton.....	148	2 98
Clare.....	780	39 00	Fremont.....	868	17 19
Farwell.....	450	22 50	Hesperia.....	491	9 72
Maple Rapids.....	580	23 77	Newaygo.....	1,719	34 07
Ovid.....	1,466	74 71	White Cloud.....	606	12 00
St. Johns.....	2,553	126 63	Birmingham.....	840	43 76
Westphalia.....	400	19 84	Clarkston.....	400	20 84
Bellevue.....	736	31 28	Farmington.....	365	19 00
Grand Ledge.....	1,378	58 46	Holly.....	1,303	67 39
Olivet.....	694	29 50	Milford.....	1,214	63 25
Pottersville.....	536	23 78	Orion.....	556	28 97

Villages.	Population.	Tax.	Villages.	Population.	Tax.
Vermontville.....	729	30 98	Oxford.....	968	51 91
Harbor Springs.....	876	17 43	Rochester.....	986	48 77
Petoskey.....	2,198	41 54	South Lyon.....	668	34 80
Clio.....	465	20 98	Pentwater.....	1,468	32 00
Fenton.....	2,232	100 44	Evart.....	1,332	28 24
Flushing.....	822	36 99	Hersey.....	404	8 56
Gaines.....	325	14 63	Le Roy.....	346	7 34
Linden.....	610	27 45	Reed City.....	2,016	42 74
Mount Morris.....	776	33 92	Gaylord.....	787	31 14
Otisville.....	350	15 75	Coopersville.....	847	24 05
Traverse City.....	3,154	82 63	Spring Lake.....	1,930	54 81
Alma.....	1,163	34 89	Zeeland.....	620	17 61
Ithaca.....	1,311	39 33	Rogers.....	270	6 56
St. Louis.....	2,541	76 23	Roscommon.....	737	33 83
Jonesville.....	1,537	30 70	Carrolton.....	1,051	66 68
Litchfield.....	692	36 33	Chesaning.....	1,014	35 39
North Adams.....	498	25 88	St. Charles.....	795	27 75
Reading.....	896	47 04	Croswell.....	523	10 61
Hancock.....	1,337	35 45	Lexington.....	338	16 84
Houghton.....	1,564	30 19	Marlette.....	679	13 65
Red Jacket.....	2,103	40 59	Minden.....	379	7 62
Sand Beach.....	1,023	21 55	Port Sanilac.....	443	9 00
Sebewaing.....	810	17 01	Bancroft.....	627	26 52
Danaville.....	430	17 37	Byron.....	332	14 04
Leslie.....	1,150	46 46	Laingsburg.....	595	25 17
Webberville.....	516	20 35	Vernon.....	543	23 13
Williamston.....	1,080	43 63	Algonac.....	340	23 52
Hubbardston.....	539	24 21	Capac.....	436	13 61
Lyons.....	719	29 53	Emmet.....	200	5 60
Muir.....	723	26 92	Fort Gratiot.....	1,964	55 07
Pewamo.....	360	14 30	Marine City.....	2,006	57 63
Portland.....	1,675	63 84	Memphis.....	573	16 13
Saranac.....	906	37 24	Burr Oak.....	753	40 39
Au Sauble.....	2,332	34 75	Centerville.....	323	44 69
Blanchard.....	329	73 57	Constantine.....	1,396	75 91
Mount Pleasant.....	1,944	43 35	Mendon.....	300	42 44
Brooklyn.....	603	32 91	Sturgis.....	2,113	114 73
Concord.....	530	30 41	Three Rivers.....	3,363	133 61
Grass Lake.....	733	40 73	White Pigeon.....	932	53 32
Parma.....	532	30 62	Caro.....	1,300	46 44

Villages.	Population.	Tax.	Villages.	Population.	Tax.
Springport.....	485	26 34	Cass City	826	21 31
Augusta	488	26 30	Millington	496	12 85
Galesburg	502	31 91	Unionville.....	422	10 89
Richland.....	249	13 42	Vassar.....	1,660	42 83
Schoolcraft.....	907	48 89	Bangor.....	895	32 78
Vicksburg.....	894	48 19	Bloomington.....	391	14 31
Cedar Springs.....	1,024	43 11	Breedsville.....	272	9 95
Lisbon	112	4 72	Decatur	1,280	46 85
Lowell	1,841	77 51	Hartford.....	859	31 44
Rockford.....	815	26 31	Lawrence.....	554	20 23
Sand Lake.....	571	24 04	Lawton	757	27 70
Sparta	695	29 26	Paw Paw.....	1,430	52 70
Chase.....	999	29 97	South Haven.....	1,506	55 12
Almont	807	20 73	Chelsea.....	1,254	71 48
Columbiaville.....	541	19 26	Dexter.....	953	54 33
Imlay City.....	1,185	42 19	Manchester.....	1,274	72 63
North Branch.....	661	23 50	Saline	6 86	39 10
Otter Lake.....	373	13 28	Grosse Point.....	2 54	15 98
Blissfield.....	1,196	53 46	New Boston.....	2 60	16 35
Clayton.....	400	18 88	Northville.....	1,223	77 24
Clinton.....	843	37 68	Plymouth.....	1,023	64 34
Deerfield.....	477	21 32	Trenton.....	1,190	74 85
Hudson.....	2,311	108 30	Wayne.....	1,039	65 35
Morenci	1,294	57 84	Manton.....	606	14 85
Tecumseh.....	2,353	106 18			
Villages incorporated.....					\$7,996 64
Cities.....					24,344 32
Total.....					\$32,342 96

Per cent—cities, .421.

Per cent—country, .569.

The high average of a well-to-do farm with 300 acres and good buildings does not exceed \$10,000. The tax would be .79 8-10.

The tax given for incorporated villages is on *per capita basis*, not having any assessed valuation to govern it (at hand).

C. B. CROSBY.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sharp moved to take from the table the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (The Senate concurring), that from and after June 15th, A. D. 1887, the two houses will transact no other business than for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the approval of the Governor, and the entry of the same on the Journal by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House, and the time of final adjournment of the Legislature shall be Saturday, June 18th, at 12 m. of that day.

Which motion prevailed.

Pending the adoption of the concurrent resolution,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend by changing the dates from June 15 and June 18 to June 22 and June 25 respectively.

Pending which,

Mr. Edwards moved that the resolution be laid upon the table.

On which,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Palmer,	Roof,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,		15

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Willits,
Laing,	Seymour,	Stark,	Wisner,
Mayo,			

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THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 47, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Mecosta and Newaygo, now composing the 27th judicial,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting the following to stand as section 8.

SEC. 8. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the notes on the trial or hearing in any case shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness the full name of said witness and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause he shall securely attach together all of his notes taken in said cause and properly entitle them upon the outside, and within ten days from the conclusion of said trial file the same with the clerk of said court, and when so filed the said notes shall become a part of the files in said cause and of the records of said court: *Provided*, That said stenographer shall have the privilege, after the said ten days, of taking said notes temporarily from said files for the purpose of transcribing the same upon giving receipt to the clerk therefor.

And that the present section 8 be renumbered to stand as section 9.

Pending which,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the amendment by striking out all of the amendment after the word "outside" and by inserting in lieu thereof the following words:

"And safely keep the same in his office, and in the event of the death or resignation of the stenographer or his removal from office or from this State, said notes shall be transferred to the county clerk of the county where the cause was tried, who shall receive and safely keep the same subject to the directions of the circuit court for that county: *Provided*, That said notes shall be a part of the records in said cause and shall be subject to inspection as other records in said cause."

Which motion prevailed.

The motion to amend as amended then prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of section 4 the words "ten cents," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "eight cents,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Fox,				21

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 160, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Pinconning, in Bay county, Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Potter,	Willits,	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,	24

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 27, entitled

A bill providing for the employment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the seventh judicial circuit, State of Michigan,

Was read a third time and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting the following to stand as section 11:

SEC. 11. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the notes on the trial or hearing in any case shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness the full name of said witness and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause he shall securely attach together all of his notes taken in said cause and properly entitle them upon the outside, and within ten days from the conclusion of said trial file the same with the clerk of said court, and when so filed the said notes shall become a part of the files in said cause and of the records of said court: *Provided*, That said stenographer shall have the privilege, after the said ten days, of taking said notes temporarily from said files for the purpose of transcribing the same upon giving receipt to the clerk therefor: *Provided*, That said notes shall be a part of the records in said cause, and shall be subject to inspection as other records in said cause, and by renumbering the present Sec. 11 of the bill so that it will stand as section 12.

On which,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, J. W.	Howell,	Potter,	Sharp,	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Gorman,	Monroe,	Roof,		15

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Westgate,	
Campbell,	Giddings,	Stark,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Palmer,			10

And the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, J. W.	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.	Howell,	Post,	Stark,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Fox,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Giddings,	Monroe.	Roof,	Wisner,	24

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Atwood

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 76, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 6 and 8 of an act entitled An act to provide for the appointment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the circuit court for the county of Saginaw, approved May 7, 1881, being sections 6527, 6528 and 6530 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding the following words to the enacting section: "And that a new section be added to said act to stand as section No. 13 and to read as follows:"

Also.

By adding to the bill the following words to stand as section 13:

SEC. 13. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the notes on the trial or hearing in any case shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness the full name of said witness and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause he shall securely attach together all of his notes taken in said cause and properly entitle them upon the outside, and safely keep the same in his office and in the event of the death or resignation or the removal from office or from this State of the stenographer said notes shall be transferred to the county clerk of the county where the cause was tried, who shall receive and safely keep the same subject to the direction of the circuit court for the county; *Provided*, That said notes shall be a part of the records in said cause and shall be subject to inspection as other records in said case.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 5, section 6, after the word "court" the words "or for any other reason."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W. L.	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,	Wisner,	24

NAYS.

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the title as follows:

By adding to the title the following words: "and to add a new section to said act to stand as section 13."

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President called the President *pro tem.* to the chair.

Senate bill No. 300, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, compensation and duties of a stenographer of the twenty-fourth judicial circuit,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding the following words to stand as section 12 of the bill:

SEC. 12. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the notes on the trial or hearing in any case, shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness, the full name of said witness, and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause, he shall securely attach together all of his notes taken in said cause, and properly entitle them upon the outside, and safely keep the same in his office, and in the event of the death or resignation, or his removal from office, or from the State of the stenographer, said notes shall be transferred to the county clerk of the county where the same was tried, who shall receive and safely keep the same subject to the direction of the circuit court; *Provided*, That said notes shall be a part of the records in said cause, and shall be subject to inspection as the other records in said cause.

And by renumbering the present sec. 12 so as to stand as sec 13.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Fox moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 2, sec. 6, the word "thirteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twelve" and by making the same change in line 2, sec. 8.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, J.W.,	Giddings,	Post,	Stark,	
Babcock, W.I.	Gorman,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Howell	Rairden,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	Wisner	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Seymour,	President,	
Edwards.	O'Reilly,		<i>pro tem,</i>	26
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 442, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit court for the county of Branch,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Willits moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of section 3 the words "ten cents" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "eight cents."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding to the bill the following to stand as section 6.

SEC. 6. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the notes on the trial or hearing in any case shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness the full name of said witness and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause he shall securely attach together all of his notes taken in said cause and properly entitle them upon the outside, and safely keep the same in his office, and in the event of the death or resignation, or his removal from office, or from this State of the stenographer, said notes shall be transferred to the county clerk of the county where the cause was tried, who shall receive and safely keep the same subject to the direction of the circuit court for that county; *Provided*, That said notes shall be a part of the records in said cause, and shall be subject to inspection as other records in said cause.

And by renumbering the present Sec. 6 so as to stand as Sec. 7.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Potter,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	Rairden,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Roof,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Seymour,	President
Deyo,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem</i> ,
Edwards,	Palmer,		25

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 161 (file No. 313), entitled

A bill providing for the employment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the second judicial circuit, State of Michigan,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding the following to stand as sec. 7.

SEC. 7. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the notes on the trial or hearing in any case shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness the full name of such witness and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause he shall securely attach together all of his notes taken in said cause and properly entitle them upon the outside, and safely keep the same in his office and in the event of the death or resignation, or his removal from office or from this State of the stenographer, said notes shall be transferred to the county clerk of the county where the cause was tried, who shall receive and safely keep the same subject to the direction of the circuit court for that county; *Provided*, That said notes shall be a part of the records in said cause, and shall be subject to in-

spection as other records in said case. And by re-numbering the present sections 7, 8 and 9 so as to stand as sections 8, 9 and 10.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,	
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Post,	Westgate,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Potter,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	President	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	
Edwards,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,		26

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 155 (file No. 88), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, compensation and duties of a stenographer of the sixth judicial circuit,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the title as follows:

By adding the following to stand as section 9.

Sec. 9. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the notes on the trial or hearing in any case shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness the full name of said witness and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause he shall securely attach together all of his notes taken in said cause and properly entitle them upon the outside, and safely keep the same in his office, and in the event of the death or resignation or his removal from office or from this State of the stenographer said notes shall be transferred to the county clerk of the county where the same was tried, who shall receive and safely keep the same subject to the direction of the circuit court for that county; *Provided*, That said notes shall be a part of the records in said cause and shall be subject to inspection as other records in said case,

And by renumbering the present sections 9, 10, 11 and 12 so as to read as sections 10, 11, 12 and 13.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Post,	Westgate,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Potter,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	President	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	
Edwards,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,		26

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No 134 (file No. 80), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation, and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit court for the counties of Manistee, Mason, Lake and Osceola, now comprising the 19th judicial circuit,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows :

By striking out of line 2, section 4, the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight,"

On which,

Mr. Westgate demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Sharp,	4
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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Edwards,				21

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding the following to stand as sec. 7:

"SEC. 7. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the notes on the trial or hearing in any case shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness the full name of said witness and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause he shall securely attach together all of his notes taken in said cause and properly entitle them upon the outside, and safely keep the same in his office and in the event of the death or resignation or his removal from office or from this State of the stenographer, said notes shall be transferred to the county clerk of the county where the cause was tried, who shall receive and safely keep the same subject to the direction of the circuit court for that county: *Provided*, That said notes shall be a part of the records in said cause, and shall be subject to inspection as other records in said case." And by renumbering the present sections 7 and 8 so as to stand as sections 8 and 9,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Post,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Wisner,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Roof,	President
Deyo,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Edwards,			

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Pending the third reading of

House bill No. 156 (file No. 312), entitled

A bill to provide compensation to stenographers for transcripts stenographically reported in the courts for the fifth judicial circuit of the State of Michigan.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 87 (file No. 306), entitled

A bill defining the duties and regulating the compensation of the official stenographer of the 14th judicial circuit of the State of Michigan in the matter of filing transcripts of court proceedings, in the circuit courts thereof,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding the following to stand as section 3:

SEC. 3. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the notes on the trial or hearing in any case shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness the full name of said witness and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause he shall securely attach together all of his notes taken in said cause and properly entitle them upon the outside, and safely keep the same in his office, and in the event of the death or resignation or his removal from office or from this State of the stenographer, said notes shall be transferred to the county clerk of the county where the cause was tried, who shall receive and safely keep the same subject to the direction of the circuit court for that county: *Provided*. That said notes shall be a part of the records in said cause, and shall be subject to inspection as other records in said cause."

Also by adding the following to stand as section 4:

SECTION. 4. In cases tried in the circuit court in which such stenographer shall be engaged, sections 1 and 4 of an act entitled An act to declare and establish the practice in charging or instructing juries and in settling the law in cases tried in circuit courts, approved March 26, 1869, shall not apply.

And by re-numbering the present section 3 so as to stand as section 5.

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 415 (file No. 305), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Allegan and Ottawa, now comprising the 20th judicial district,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent.

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 3, section 1, the words "continue to."

Also,

By striking out of line 4, section 1, the words "by the courts" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "by the Governor upon the nomination of the judge thereof,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding the following to stand as section 7:

SEC. 7. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the notes on the trial or hearing in any case shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness the full name of said witness and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause he shall securely attach together all of his notes taken in said cause and properly entitle them upon the outside, and safely keep the same in his office, and in the event of the death or resignation or removal from office or from this State of the stenographer, said notes shall be transferred to the county clerk of the county where the cause was tried, who shall receive and safely keep the same subject to the direction of the circuit court for that county: *Provided*, That said notes shall be a part of the records in said cause, and shall be subject to inspection as other records in said case.

And by renumbering the present sections 7 and 8 so as to stand as sections 8 and 9.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W. L.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Post,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Edwards,	Mayo,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 596 (file No. 314), entitled

A bill providing for the employment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer of the 13th judicial circuit, State of Michigan,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding the following to stand as section 7:

SEC. 7. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the

notes on the trial or hearing in any case shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness the full name of said witness and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause he shall securely attach together all of his notes taken in said cause and properly entitle them upon the outside, and safely keep the same in his office, and in the event of the death or resignation or removal from office or from this State of the stenographer, said notes shall be transferred to the county clerk of the county where the cause was tried, who shall receive and safely keep the same subject to the direction of the circuit court for that county: *Provided*, That said notes shall be a part of the records in said cause and shall be subject to inspection as other records in said case.

And by re-numbering the present sections 7, 8, and 9 so as to stand as sections 8, 9, and 10,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W.I.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	President
Fox,			<i>pro tem.</i> 25

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 722, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Stanton, in the county of Montcalm, to borrow money to make public improvements in said city,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J.W.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Babcock, W.I.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	Willits,
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	Wisner,
Edwards,			25

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Palmer.

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

The President announced the following:

I hereby appoint Messrs. W. I. Babcock, Howell and Roof as the committee of conference on the part of the Senate to whom shall be referred the matters of difference relating to

House bill No. 692 (file No. 347), entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of art. 4 of act No. 198, session laws of 1873, entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof, being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 234, public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

1. Senate bill No 109 (file No. 111), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the maintenance and support of the mining school at Houghton, in the county of Houghton, Mich., for the year A. D. 1888,

2. Senate bill No. 1 (file No. 110), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the mining school at Houghton, in the upper peninsula of Michigan, and for heating, lighting and furnishing the same.

JOHN RAIRDEN, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

House bill No. 296 (file No. 368), entitled

A bill to regulate the freight tariff, to provide for a uniform classification of freights and maximum freight rates, and to prevent unjust discrimination in charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of passengers or freights upon the railroads in this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on liquor traffic:

The committee on liquor traffic, to whom was referred

House bill No. 373 (file No. 434), entitled

A bill to regulate the sale of malt, brewed or fermented, spirituous or vinous liquors in counties in this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole.

Pending the placing of the bill on the general order,

Mr. Edwards moved that the further consideration of the bill be made the special order for Wednesday, June 15, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Pending which,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend by making the time Thursday, June 16, immediately following the consideration of

Senate file No. 278, being

Senate substitute for House bill No. 504 (file No. 414), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State.

On which,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then did not prevail by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,
Deyo,
Gorman,

Mr. Harshaw,
Laing,
O'Reilly,

Mr. Raiden,
Roof,
Sharp,

Mr. Stark,
Wisner,

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Willits,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Post,	

The motion fixing the time for special order at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday, June 15, then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 14, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 254 (file No. 75), entitled

A bill to amend section 2, chapter 53, of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to disorderly persons, as amended by act 136 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 31, 1883.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was taken from the table.

Mr. Sharp moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in the amendments to the bill and title.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made to the bill by the House.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was ordered returned to the House in compliance with the request of the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved (The Senate concurring), that from and after June 15th, A. D. 1887, the two houses will transact no other business than for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the approval of the Governor and the entry of the same on the Journal by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of House, and the time of final adjournment of the Legislature shall be Saturday, June 18th, at 12 m. of that day.

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Seymour,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, J. W.,	Roof	Sharp,	Wisner,
Gorman,			

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Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Palmer,
Campbell,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Post,
Deyo,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Rairden,
Edwards,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,

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Mr. Mayo moved to take from the table
House bill No. 156 (file No. 312), entitled

A bill to provide compensation to stenographers for transcript of cases stenographically reported in the courts for the fifth judicial circuit of the State of Michigan,

Which motion prevailed

The question being on the passage of the bill,

It was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon.

Mr. Mayo offered the following substitute:

A bill to provide for the appointment of a stenographer in the fifth judicial circuit of this State, to define his powers and duties, to fix his compensation, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That a stenographer for the fifth judicial circuit shall be appointed by the governor on the nomination of the circuit judge, whenever the judge of said court shall certify to him that the business of said court is such as to render the employment of a stenographer desirable. The nomination of any circuit judge shall be deemed to be advisory only and shall not make it obligatory on the governor to appoint the person so nominated; but he may appoint some other suitable person in the place of the person so nominated.

SEC. 2. The person so appointed shall take and subscribe the official oath prescribed by the constitution of this State. He shall be deemed an officer of the court, and shall hold his office during the term for which the judge of said circuit shall be elected: *Provided*, That the court shall have power to suspend him for incompetency, misconduct, or failure to properly perform the duties of his office, and in case of such suspension he shall thereafter cease to hold the office of stenographer, unless when cause shown, the governor shall revoke such order of suspension.

SEC. 3. In case of the death, resignation, removal, or suspension of the stenographer, the governor shall, upon like nomination, appoint a successor to the office; but in case of sickness, temporary absence, or suspension by the court as aforesaid of the stenographer, the presiding judge may appoint some competent person to act in his absence or during such suspension, the expense thereof to be paid by the stenographer holding the appointment, and the person so appointed shall take the oath of office above provided.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of said stenographer to attend upon the circuit court, in each of the counties composing said circuit, during each term thereof respectively, and to take full stenographic notes of all testimony given and proceedings had upon the trial or hearing of cases therein. The stenographer so appointed shall receive a salary of fifteen hundred dollars per annum, which sum shall be paid in monthly installments, as hereinafter provided, out of the county treasury of the counties composing said circuit in proportion to the number of suits, law and chancery, entered and commenced in the circuit court for such counties respectively the preceding year, upon the order of the clerk of said court, said clerk being hereby authorized and directed to draw such orders and the county treasurer to pay the same upon presentation:

Provided, The circuit judge shall certify thereon that said services have been faithfully performed. To make up and pay the salary fixed as aforesaid, the board of supervisors of the counties composing said circuit shall annually appropriate the amount of said salary, which sum shall be appropriated by said counties, according to and in proportion to the number of suits, law or chancery, entered and commenced in the circuit court for such counties respectively the preceding year, and it shall be the duty of the circuit judge of such circuit, on the first day of January of each year, or as soon thereafter as may be, to apportion the amount of such salary, to be paid by each county in his circuit, on the basis aforesaid, and to notify the county clerk of each of the counties in his circuit of his apportionment thereof: *Provided*, That the amount already appropriated for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven shall be applied on the payment of such salary for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven.

SEC. 5. Each and every issue of fact or law tried before the court or jury, and in each and every chancery case in which the proofs are taken in open court, in which the stenographer shall be employed, shall be taxed the sum of three dollars to be paid by the plaintiff or complainant at the commencement of such trial or hearing into the hands of the clerk, and by him paid into the county treasury of the county in which said case is tried or heard. And in case the plaintiff or complainant as the case may be, shall succeed in said trial or hearing, the amount so paid shall be recovered by him as a part of the taxable costs.

SEC. 6. It shall be the duty of the said stenographer upon the order of the court, or upon the direction of the judge thereof, to write out in legible English, a full copy of the notes taken by him on the trial or hearing of any cause, without costs to either party, and to file the same with the clerk of the county wherein such case was tried or heard, for the use of the court and the parties to said cause, and such copy shall be made and filed within such time as the court or judge shall order. It shall also be the duty of said stenographer to write out in legible English, without fee or charge, a full copy of the notes taken by him on the trial of any cause where the same may be necessary on the part of the people, upon the request of the prosecuting attorney, within such reasonable time as said prosecuting attorney may require the same. And in case it shall be necessary to procure a transcript of said stenographer's notes of the testimony and proceedings in any case at law or in chancery, in order to remove such case to the supreme court, then the amount of the stenographer's fees may be taxed, if the appellant shall prevail in the supreme court, as a proper disbursement; and said transcript may be used by the opposite party in proposing amendments to the record.

SEC. 7. It shall be the duty of said stenographer to furnish, without delay, copies of the notes taken by him, or of such parts thereof as requested, or a copy of the testimony of any witness in any cause, written out in legible English, to either party to a cause or his council, and the said stenographer shall be entitled to receive therefor the sum of six cents per folio for each folio so transcribed: *Provided, however*, That if each party to the cause or proceeding shall at the same time desire such transcript, said stenographer shall furnish each a copy of the same on payment to him therefor of four cents per folio for each copy.

SEC. 8. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the notes on the trial or hearing in any case shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness the full name of said witness and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause he shall securely attach together

all of the notes taken in said cause and properly entitle them upon the outside, and within ten days from the conclusion of said trial file the same with the clerk of said court, and when so filed the said notes shall become a part of the files in said cause and of the records of said court: *Provided*, That said stenographer shall have the privilege, after the said ten days, of taking said notes temporarily from said files for the purpose of transcribing the same upon giving receipt to the clerk therefor.

SEC. 9. In cases tried in the circuit court in which such stenographer shall be engaged, sections one and four of an act entitled "An act to declare and establish the practice in charging or instructing juries and in settling the law in cases tried in circuit courts," approved March twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, shall not apply.

SEC. 10. All acts and part of acts contravening or inconsistent with the provisions of this act, shall be and are hereby repealed.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute offered for the bill.

The substitute for the bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Laing,	Post,	Stark,
Deyo,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Willits,
Edwards,	Monroe,	Roof,	Wisner,
Fox,	Moon,		

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Palmer moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 225 (file No. 184), entitled

A bill to organize corporations for the purpose of carrying on the business of buying, selling and breeding cattle, sheep and horses, and also the power to acquire and hold title to lands necessary for the carrying on of such business,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of section 3 the following words:

And provided further, That the entire amount of Michigan lands held by such corporation shall at no time during its continuance exceed in value the amount of fifty thousand dollars.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 6, sec. 3, the words "two million" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one million,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Sharp,	
Edwards,	Monroe,	Potter,	Stark,	
Fox,	Moon,	Bairden,	Westgate,	
Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	Willits,	
Howell,	Palmer,	Seymour,	Wisner,	20

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Mayo,	2.
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Title agreed to.

Mr. Howell moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 828 (file No. 344), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of act 134 of the public acts of 1885, entitled
 "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Michigan,"

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, Whereupon the President called Mr. Willits to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate file No. 280, being Senate substitute for

House bill No. 445 (file No. 356), entitled

A bill to provide additional fire protection and for other purposes at the Michigan Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids, and to make an appropriation therefor.

House bill No. 418 (file No. 382), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State board of fish commissioners for the year ending June 30, 1888, and the year ending June 30, 1889.

House bill No. 257 (file No. 292), entitled

A bill to provide for the furnishing to the probate court of each organized county in this State a fullset of the reports of the supreme court of the State of Michigan.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

WARREN J. WILLITS, *Chairman*

The President *pro tem* having taken the chair,

The report was accepted and committee discharged.

The above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Sharp moved that the Senate go into committee of the whole on the general order.

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,
The Senate took up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 828 (file No. 344), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of act 134 of the public acts of 1885, entitled
"An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Michigan,"

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Laing,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Mayo,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 19

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

Pending the third reading of

Senate file No. 280, being Senate substitute for

House bill No. 445 (file No. 356), entitled

A bill to provide additional fire protection and for other purposes at the Michigan soldiers' home at Grand Rapids, and to make an appropriation therefor

Mr. Sharp moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on appropriations and finance,

Which motion prevailed.

House bill No. 194 (file No. 392), entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for the erection of an addition to the normal school building and for providing the necessary heating apparatus, furniture and fixtures therefor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Post,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Willits,
Deyo,	Mayo,	Roof,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Moon,	Seymour,	President
Fox,	O'Reilly,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 26

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 418 (file No. 382), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State board of fish commissioners for the year ending June 30, 1888, and the year ending June 30, 1889,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman,	Post,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Moon,	Roof,	President,
Edwards,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 24
Fox,			0

NAYS.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 257 (file No. 292), entitled

A bill to provide for the furnishing to the probate court of each organized county in this State with a full set of the reports of the supreme court of the State of Michigan.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Willits,
Deyo,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Moon,	Roof,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 24
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NAYS.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President *pro tem.* called Mr. Wisner to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 229 (file No. 427), entitled

A bill to amend section number 64 of act number 153 of the public acts of the State of Michigan, of the year 1885, relative to the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon.

House bill No. 825 (file No. 450), entitled

A bill to amend section 41 of act No. 153 of the public acts of the year 1885,

being an act entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and collection of property thereon.

House bill No. 302 (file No. 433), entitled

A bill to amend section 53 of act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 361 (file No. 291), entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of act 153 of the session laws of 1885, approved June 9, 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes thereon."

House bill No. 366 (file No. 133), entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road, to connect the East Saginaw and Sauble River State road with the Tawas and Manistee State road, in the counties of Arenac, Iosco and Ogemaw and to provide for its construction by an appropriation of Swamp lands and raising and expenditure of certain moneys therefor, by the townships through which said road passes.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 439 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed lands in Jackson county,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill be laid upon the table.

CHAUNCEY W. WISNER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill, and the same was laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate went into

House bill No. 194 (file No. 392), entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for the erection of an addition to the normal school building, and for providing the necessary heating apparatus, furniture and fixtures therefor.

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

With open doors,
The time being 6:50 o'clock P. M.
The executive session closed,
The time being 6 o'clock P. M.
By unanimous consent,
The Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred
House bill No. 587, entitled

A bill to amend sections 15 and 20 of act No. 211 of the session laws of 1861, entitled An act to incorporate the village of Lowell, approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 311 (file No. 286), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7, 9, 10, 23 and 33 of chapter 12 of an act entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, and being act No. 326 of the local acts of 1883.

FLOYD L. POST, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,
The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 15, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Barringer.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Barringer for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 833. Mr. Stark presented the following petition which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

Lowell, Mich., June 14, 1887.

Hon. Geo. Stark, Lansing, Mich.:

DEAR SIR,—We the undersigned, while laboring under a mistake, signed our names to a remonstrance against a bill now before the Senate in regard to water-works for the village of Lowell, desire to have our names withdrawn from said remonstrance, and desire to state that we are in favor of the bill and desire to have it pass.

H. T. M. Treglown, dry goods,
M. Buben, clothing,
Chas. McCarthy, real estate,
Taylor & Kapf, furniture,
Wm. Pullen, clothing.

Referred to the committee on cities and villages.

No. 834. By Mr. Stark: Petition of J. O. Train, C. Berger, Washington Carr, John Donnan, Wm. P. Perrin and 75 others of the village of Lowell, asking that House bill No. 537 relating to water-works in said village be submitted to the legal voters of said village of Lowell.

On motion of Mr. Stark.

The petition was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the petition:

To the Honorable Edward E. Edwards, Chairman of the Committee on Cities and Villages. Senate Chamber.

We, the undersigned voters of the village of Lowell, respectfully represent that we desire the provisions in House bill No. 536, relating to water-works, laying of water mains and raising money therefor, shall be so amended as to require the sanction and permit of the legal voters of said village of Lowell, before the said village can be lawfully bound to buy or rent water-works and raise money therefor.

Dated Lowell, Mich., June 13, 1887.

Referred to the committee on cities and villages.

No. 835. Mr. J. W. Babcock presented the following petition which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

To the Hon. J. W. Babcock, Lansing:

The subscribers, your petitioners, respectfully ask that the bill introduced and passed in the House of Representatives for the change of name of Sandusky to Sanilac Center and which was by the Senate laid upon the table be taken from the table and put upon its passage.

In our opinion the interests of the village and of the public warrant the change.

Wm. Dawson,
E. C. Babcock,
G. R. Levere,
J. S. Crandell,
William Decon,
A. E. Stevenson,
William H. Epplett,
A. W. O'Keefe,
M. W. Moore,
John A. Staly,
James Medeff,
A. B. Sumner.

James McLaughlin,
Geo. S. Tweedie,
W. B. Gleason,
C. L. Gage,
John Evans,
John Langford,
Chas. Certishley,
Sam K. Smith,
L. C. Read,
Geo. A. Stevenson,
H. O. Babcock,

Dated June 13, 1887.

Referred to the committee on cities and villages.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 405, entitled

A bill to provide a uniform rate of stenographer's fees in the several courts of this State, and to allow the amount paid to the stenographer to be recovered as a part of the taxable costs of the prevailing party,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the employment, defining the duties, and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the circuit court for the county of Kent, State of Michigan, being act number 133 of the public acts of the legislature of the year 1877, and being comprised in sections 6512 to section 6522 inclusive of Howell's annotated statutes of this State,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings.	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Potter,	Willits,	
Edwards,	Monroe,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Fox,				25

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 14, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 651, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Ionia to borrow money for public improvements,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

On motion of Mr. Roof,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 14, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 76, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 6 and 8 of an act entitled An act to provide for the appointment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer of the circuit court of the county of Saginaw, approved May 7, 1881, being sections 6527, 6528 and 6530 of Howell's annotated statutes and to add a new section to said act to stand as section 13.

2. Senate bill No. 27, entitled

A bill providing for the employment, defining the duties, and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the 7th judicial circuit, State of Michigan,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The two bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 14, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 22, entitled

Joint resolution to provide for sale of certain State tax lands bid in by the State in October 1881, and previous years,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take

immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The joint resolution was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. }
Lansing, June 14, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 80 (file No. 440), entitled

A bill to amend section 13 of act 153 of the public acts of 1885, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levying and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The President also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 14, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 300, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, compensation and duties of a stenographer of the 24th judicial circuit,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

Amend section 1 by adding the following proviso at the end of section 1: "Provided that the stenographer heretofore appointed for said circuit shall not require a re-appointment, but shall continue in office subject to the provisions of this act,"

In the passage of which as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W. L.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,	28

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 14, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 472 (file No. 457), entitled

A bill to provide for the compulsory education of juvenile disorderly persons in cities and villages.

2. House bill No. 883 (file No. 463), entitled

A bill to amend section 75 of act No. 153, laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885.

3. House bill No. 887 (file No. 465), entitled

A bill to amend section 67 of act No. 153 of the laws of 1885 entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon, approved June 9, 1885,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on education and public schools.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 14, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 517 (file No. 464), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4814, 4815 and 4816 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being compiler's sections 6306, 6307 and 6308 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to guardians and wards,

Which has passed the House, by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill: House bill No. 723, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Sturgis, in the county of St. Joseph, to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor, and to provide for the levy of taxes therein to pay the same,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 349 (file No. 9), entitled

A bill to authorize the Erie & Kalamazoo railroad company to change its line between Palmyra Junction and the city of Adrian,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a two-thirds majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 14, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 873 (file No. 463), entitled

A bill establishing a lien for labor and services upon lumber, shingles,

logs, timber, cedar posts, telegraph poles, railroad ties, bark, shingle bolts, stave bolts, staves, cordwood, pulp wood, hop poles, hoop poles, veneering wood, and all other forest products, and to repeal act No. 145 of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act establishing a lien for labor and services upon logs, timber, cedar posts, telegraph poles, railroad ties, tan-bark, shingle bolts and staves, and to repeal act number 185 of the session laws of 1873, entitled An act establishing a lien for labor and services upon logs and timber as amended by act number 253 of the public acts of 1879.

2. House bill No. 493 (file No. 428), entitled

A bill to amend section 3, of act No. 78, of the session laws of 1883, entitled, "An act to authorize the incorporation of manufacturers' mutual fire insurance companies," approved May 10th, 1883, and to add four new sections to said act to be designated as sections 17, 18, 19 and 20.

3. House bill No. 748 (file No. 448), entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Saginaw to purchase and maintain the State road bridge across the Tittabawassee river in the county of Saginaw and the approaches and appurtenances thereto for a free public highway, and to issue bonds for that purpose, and to authorize any township or townships in Saginaw county to contract with said city for the purpose of aiding said city in such purchase and maintenance, and to authorize such townships to raise money by taxation, and to issue bonds for such purpose,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on insurance.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 14, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 499, entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the village of Alma, in the county of Gratiot, to borrow money and issue the bonds of said village therefor.

2. Senate bill No. 442 entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation, and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Branch and St. Joseph, now composing the 15th judicial circuit,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all

the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Palmer to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: Senate bill No. 438 (file No. 269), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 190 of the session laws of 1885, entitled An act making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Jackson in straightening and opening a channel or outlet for Portage lake, and to repeal act No. 132 of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed lands in Jackson county, approved May 10, 1881, approved June 16, 1885.

Senate bill No. 440 (file No. 271), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 94 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Gratiot in improving the channel of Maple river and to authorize a tax to complete the same, and to repeal act No. 50 of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act to authorize the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to remove bars and obstructions in Maple river in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot, approved March 26, 1881, approved May 13, 1885."

House bill No. 168 (file No. 366), entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of a ditch from the Little Black Lake in the county of Muskegon, to Lake Michigan, and to make an appropriation of State swamp lands therefor.

House bill No. 386, entitled

A bill to authorize the circuit court of Kalamazoo county to appoint a crier.

House joint resolution No. 11 (file No. 6), entitled

Joint resolution granting blocks No. 78 and 79 city of Lansing, to the city of Lansing for a public park,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 537, entitled

A bill to amend sections 15 and 20 of act No. 211 of the session laws of 1861, entitled An act to incorporate the village of Lowell, approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

House bill Nos. 509 and 599 (file No. 357) entitled

A bill to amend sections 1344 and 1345 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the recording of town plats and the vacation of the same, as amended by act No. 108, session laws of 1873, approved April 17, 1873, being compiler's sections 1473 and 1474 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 111 of the public acts of 1885, approved May 21, 1885.

Senate bill No. 249 (file No. 299), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of swamp land for the construction of a drain in the townships of Wisner and Gilford, Tuscola county.

House bill No. 732 (file No. 453), entitled

A bill to lay out and establish a State road along or near the principal Base line of Bois Blanc Island, in the county of Mackinac, from the eastern to the western terminus of said line, and appropriating swamp lands upon said Island for the construction thereof,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 371 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to regulate the trial of actions for damages arising from negligence.

House bills No. 255 and 782 (file No. 375), entitled

A bill to extend and regulate the liability of employers to make compensation for personal injuries suffered by workmen or employes in their service.

Senate file No. 294, being proposed Senate substitute for

House bills No. 255 and 782 (file No. 375), entitled

A bill to secure compensation to workmen in certain cases.

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the bill be re-committed to the committee on the judiciary.

IV.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 441 (file No. 270), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to remove bars and obstructions in Maple river, in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that it be laid on the table.

V.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 518 (file No. 178), entitled

A bill to provide for the registration of physicians and surgeons and to protect the people of the State of Michigan from empiricism and quackery, and

to repeal act number 167, session laws of 1883, entitled An act to promote public health,

Have stricken out all after the enacting clause thereof, and ask the concurrence of the Senate in their action.

LEWIS G. PALMER, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bills, and the same were recommitted to the committee on the judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the fourth named bill, and the same was laid upon the table.

Mr. Palmer moved that the Senate concur in the action of the committee of the whole in striking out all after the enacting clause of the fifth named bill,

On which

Mr. Howell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W.I.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Post,	Stark,	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Giddings,				21

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Mr. Howell,	Mr. Willits,	President <i>pro tem.</i> ,	3
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On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The title and enacting clause of the fifth named bill was referred to the committee on public health.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate returned to the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

Senate substitute file 280 for House bill No. 445 (file No. 356), entitled

A bill to provide additional fire protection and for other purposes, at the Michigan Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and

that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 27

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 609 (file No. 354), entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for marking by monuments, the places where the 1st, 3d, 4th, 5th, 7th, 16th and 24th Michigan Infantry, the 1st, 5th, 6th, and 7th Michigan Cavalry, the 9th Battery, "I" Michigan Artillery, and Companies "C," "I" and "K," of the 1st Regiment of U. S. S., and Company "B," 2d Regiment of U. S. S., known as Berdan's Michigan Sharpshooters, or any other command of Michigan volunteers who fought upon the battlefield of Gettysburg, and providing for the erection of the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 1, section 2, after the word "act" the words "with the advice and consent of the Senate."

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Deyo	Laing,	Roof,	President
Edwards,	Mayo,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 29
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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Mayo moved to amend the title as follows:

By striking out the word "where" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "occupied by,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.*

Roll called: a quorum present.

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By the committee on insurance:

The committee on insurance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 291 (file No. 282), entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which insurance companies not organized under the laws of this State, but doing business within it, shall transact their business,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which corporations or companies organized under the laws of this State, or not organized under such laws but doing business within this State, shall transact their business,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending concurrence in the adoption of the substitute,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the substitute be printed, and that the bill and the substitute be referred to the committee of the whole and placed upon the general order.

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Fox,	Howell,	Rairden,	Stark,	
Gorman,	Hubbell,			14

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Westgate,	
Campbell,	Edwards,	Moon,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Giddings,	Post,		11

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 301 (file No. 412), entitled

A bill authorizing the common council of the city of Port Huron to make a re-assessment to defray the expense of a public improvement on Pine Grove avenue, a street in said city, from Suffern street to the northern limits of said city, being the pavement of said street, and to legalize previous acts of the common council in reference thereto,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

Leave of absence was granted to himself for Thursday, June 16.

By the committee on liquor traffic:

The committee on liquor traffic, to whom was referred

House bill No. 660 (file No. 367), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a State Marshal, and to prescribe his powers and duties,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and

that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered reprinted, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

Mr. Edwards moved that the further consideration of the bill be made the special order for Friday, June 17, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Pending which,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend by making the time Tuesday, June 21, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

On which

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

Pending which,

The President announced that the hour of 2:30 o'clock had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the further consideration of

House bill No. 373 (file No. 434), entitled

A bill to regulate the sale of malt, brewed or fermented, spirituous and vinous liquors in counties in this State.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the special order be deferred until after the disposition of the question pending.

On which,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, two-thirds of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Post,	
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Monroe,	Potter,	
Campbell,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,	16

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	Stark,	
Gorman,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,	12

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Campbell to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report :

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 373 (file No. 434), entitled

A bill to regulate the sale of malt, brewed, or fermented, spirituous and vinous liquors in counties in this State,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

DANIEL CAMPBELL, *Chairman*.

The President *pro tem*. having taken the chair

The report was accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bill, and

Pending the placing of the bill upon the order of third reading of bills,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and

Pending its passage,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Crosby, Harshaw and Laing.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was despatched after the absentees.

Mr. Edwards moved to reconsider the vote by which the Sergeant-at-Arms was ordered to bring in the absentees.

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

Mr. Laing was excused from the operation of the call.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Crosby at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

Mr. Crosby was admitted within the bar, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with

Which motion prevailed.

Pending the passage of the bill,

Mr. Sharp asked leave to offer an amendment,

Which leave was not granted.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	Palmer	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	President, .
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem</i>
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Mr. Deyo,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Wisner,
Gorman,	Rairden,	Mr. Stark,	

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to regulate the manufacture and sale of malt or fermented, spiritous and vinous liquors in the several counties in this State.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

The question pending at the time the special order was announced, being an amendment offered by Mr. Hubbell, making the further consideration of

House bill No. 660 (filed No. 367), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a State Marshall and prescribe his powers and duties,

The special order for Friday, June 22, at 2:30 o'clock.

The yeas and nays having been demanded,

The motion to amend then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,		7

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Westgate,	
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Rairden,	President	
Edwards,	Moon,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	20
Fox,				

The motion to make the further consideration of the bill the special order for Friday, June 17, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

The Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 228 (file No. 308), entitled

A bill to amend sections 8033 and 8035 of the compiled laws of 1871 relative to county jails and the regulation thereof as amended, the same being compiler's section 9649 and 9651 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended act No. 132 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 2, 1885, and by act No. 224 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 17, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred

House bill No. 472 (file No. 457), entitled

A bill to provide for the compulsory education of juvenile disorderly persons in cities and villages,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on fisheries:

The committee on fisheries, to whom was referred

House bill No. 233 (file No. 391), entitled

A bill to protect fish and preserve the fisheries of this State by regulating the meshes of nets and the use of fishing apparatus, prohibiting the fouling of the waters and destruction of fishing grounds by the refuse of manufactures or other debris, and to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 8, 10, 11, 12, and 13 of act No. 350 of the session laws of 1865, approved March 21, 1865; sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, of act No. 188 of the public acts of 1875, approved May 1, 1875, and section 4 of act No. 141, of the public acts of 1883, approved June 2, 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was ordered printed in the Journal.

Following is the bill:

A bill to protect fish and preserve the fisheries of this State, by regulating the meshes of nets and the use of fishing apparatus, prohibiting the fouling of the waters and destruction of fishing grounds by the refuse of manufacture or other debris, and to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 8, 10, 11, 12, and 13 of act No. 350 of the session laws of 1865, approved March 21, 1865; sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of act No. 188 of the public acts of 1875, approved May 1, 1875, and section 4 of act No. 141, of the public acts of 1883, approved June 2, 1883.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact:* That hereafter no person shall put or allow his servants or agents to put into the waters of this State any putrid fish, offal, blood, putrid brine, putrid fish, or filth of any description. All putrid fish, fish offal and filth of every description accruing from the catching and curing of fish shall be burned, or buried ten rods or more distant from the beach or shore.

SEC. 2. No person shall put into the waters any vessel or ship ballast, stone, sand, coal cinder, ashes, long slabs, decayed wood, bark, sawdust, or other

obstruction, or any filth on or near fishing grounds, nor within one mile of shore on lakes Erie, St. Clair, Huron, Michigan and Superior, and the bays, inlets and harbors connected with said lakes.

SEC. 3. No mill owner, individual, partnership, or corporation owning, leasing, or operating a saw mill or other property for the manufacture of lumber of any kind, shall put or allow his servant or agent to put sawdust, shavings, edgings, mill tailings, bark, slabs, decayed wood, or any other waste and refuse of lumber manufacture, or any other in which wood is used, into any stream, river, or lake in or bordering this State; but all such refuse shall be burned, or buried, or otherwise disposed of, in such way that it shall not find its way into any such river, stream, or lake: *Provided*, That the provisions of this act are not to be construed as in any way restricting or preventing the building of piers or docks with slabs or edgings: *And provided further*, That with saw mills propelled by water power, the provisions of this act so far as it relates to sawdust, shall not be operative until April first, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight.

SEC. 4. No person, partnership or corporation owning, leasing or operating any factory for the manufacture of paper, woolen, pulp, drugs or chemicals of any kind, or tannery, shall place or permit his agents or servants to place in, or run, or waste into a stream, river or lake in or bordering this State, the waste or refuse washings of such manufacture and liquid dye stuff from which the strength has been taken. All such washings, waste and refuse shall be burned, buried or otherwise disposed of in such a way that it shall not find its way into any river, stream or lake. The provisions of this section are not to be construed as in any way restricting the right of municipalities to drain and sewer according to law.

SEC. 5. Every person convicted of violating the provisions of sections one, two, three or four of this act, shall be punished by a fine not less than fifty dollars nor more than three hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not more than sixty days, or both, at the discretion of the court; and any person so offending shall also be liable civilly for all damages done to fishing grounds to the legal owners or occupant thereof.

SEC. 6. No person shall place in the waters fronting or bordering land where fish are taken by the legal owner or occupant of the same, any pound net, platform, piers, or any nets or other apparatus for fishing to the extent of the breadth of such legal owner or occupant's lands so far as the channel banks of the rivers, nor within one mile from the beach or water's edge of the lakes, straits, inlets and bays on said waters fronting such lands. Any boat owner, captain of any vessel, or other person who shall willfully run into or molest any pound, or other lawful nets, or fishing apparatus set in the lakes for fishing purposes shall be subject to a fine not exceeding fifty dollars upon conviction of such offense.

SEC. 7. The meshes of pot, crib or pocket (being that part in which fish are finally captured) of pound nets shall not be less than three and one half inches in extension as used. No pound net as used in whatever name or description, having meshes of less size than prescribed in this section shall be used in the waters of this State under penalty of forfeiture of the nets so used, or a fine of not exceeding three hundred dollars for each offense, or both, at the discretion of the court: *Provided*, That from the first day of September until the close of the fishing season of each year, pound nets of two and one-half inch mesh in extension as used may be used, and the use of such nets shall be further allowed under written permits

to be granted by the State game and fish warden, of such sized mesh and at such times, and in such localities whenever and wherever the use of such nets does not result in the capture of immature fish. Such permits may be terminated by the said warden when in his judgment such use results in the capture of immature fish. Such permits shall be revoked by serving a written notice thereof upon the fisherman named or upon his agent or other person fishing with the permitted nets.

SEC. 8. The meshes of the gill net shall not be less than four and one-quarter inches in extension. No gill net shall be used in the waters of this State, the meshes of which are of less size than as fixed by this section, after the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, until which time all nets now in use or heretofore purchased may be used. Any violation of this section shall subject the offender to a fine of one hundred dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail for sixty days, or both at the discretion of the court.

SEC. 9. No seine or fyke net shall be used in the waters of this State, the meshes of which are of less size than three and one-half inches in extension as used under penalty of forfeiture of the nets so used, or a fine of fifty dollars for each offense, or both at the discretion of the court. On the Detroit and St. Clair rivers, Saginaw Bay, Green Bay, and Menville Bay, seines of two and one-half inch mesh in extension may be used from September first to the close of the season each year for the herring fishery, but the State game and fish warden is authorized, and it is made his duty to prohibit the use of such seines wherever and whenever their use results in the capture of immature pickerel (wall-eyed pike), black bass, pike, perch or whitefish. Notice to prohibition to be given in the same manner and with the same effect as provided for revoking permits. No seine shall be used except to be drawn upon shore, or to a dock, to which one rope of the net remains fastened when being set or cast. The use of seines, and every description of drag net, by drifting or towing with boats is prohibited. Every offense against this prohibition shall be punished by the forfeiture of the nets and apparatus so used, or a fine of two hundred dollars, or both at the discretion of the court. Seines shall not be used, set or drawn, except upon the water front of the owner or occupant of the land upon which the dock or platform, with the apparatus for hauling the same, is situated, under the same penalties provided above for the offense of using a seine of less than three and one-half inch mesh in extension.

SEC. 10. The use of false back, aprons, or any other device in pound nets, or any other fishing apparatus which evades the provisions of this act, shall subject the offender upon conviction to a fine of not less than two hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not more than sixty days or both at the discretion of the court.

SEC. 11. No person shall catch, buy or sell any wall-eyed pike of less weight than one pound in the round, nor any whitefish or lake trout of less weight than one pound when dressed. Possession of fish of smaller size than herein prescribed shall be *prima facie* evidence of a violation of this act. Every person violating the provisions of this section shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars and costs of prosecution of each offense.

SEC. 12. No person shall set or use any pound net of any kind in Lake Erie (within the jurisdiction of this State) outside from a line drawn as follows: Commencing at Point Mouille in the township of Berlin, in Monroe county, in

this State, thence running south three miles, thence on a straight course south westerly to Turtle Light, thence on the same course to the State line between the States of Michigan and Ohio. Pound nets set from the shores of the islands in Lake Erie within this State shall not be extended further than one mile from shore of said islands.

SEC. 13. No person shall use any pound, trap, stake, gill, or set net, or like device of any kind, for taking fish in any of the waters of the State connecting Lake Huron and Erie, nor fish with any seine or sweep net beneath the ice which may have formed or frozen upon the surface of said water, between a radius of two miles from the outlet of Lake Huron and the mouth of the Detroit river.

SEC. 14. No person shall use any net whatever, or device of any kind for the purpose of catching fish, in the waters of Lakes Erie or St. Clair, within this State, beyond such limits as may be designated in this act. No person shall use any pound, trap, stake, fyke, set-net, or device of any kind for taking fish in the St. Clair river within the jurisdiction of this State, excepting seines not exceeding sixty fathoms in length: *Provided*, That no new nets or other nets than those now in use on St. Clair river in this State shall be used on St. Clair river for fishing purposes after the passage of this act.

SEC. 15. No person shall attach, either directly or indirectly, to any bridge across the Detroit river, or St. Clair river, or to any pier, part or appurtenance of said bridge, any net or device by which the passage of fish shall be prevented or impeded. No bridge company, or other company, or person having the control of such bridge, shall license or permit, either for hire or gratuitously, by such net or device to be in any way attached thereto, or to any part thereof.

SEC. 16. Any person who shall attempt to divert the natural progress of running whitefish within any of the waters mentioned in the different sections of this act, by shingling, or any other device calculated to frighten or divert such fish from their natural course, shall forfeit the sum of one hundred dollars and imprisonment not exceeding sixty days, at the discretion of the court. Pound nets or seines shall not be construed to come within the provisions of this section when used in compliance with this act.

SEC. 17. It shall not be lawful hereafter to take or catch any fish during the month of November in each year in any of the waters of lakes Superior, Huron, Michigan, St. Clair and Erie, within the jurisdiction of this State, nor in any of the bays of said lakes, by any means whatsoever, excepting with hook and line: *Provided*, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to prevent in any way the taking of fish for breeding purposes, by the State Board of Fish Commissioners; nor shall it be lawful to catch in any manner except by hook and line any fish within one-half mile of the outlet of any stream emptying into any bay or lake bordering on this State during the months of March, April and May in each year.

SEC. 18. Any person charged with offending against the provisions of any act passed for the protection of fish or regulating the catching of fish, may be tried in the circuit court within whose jurisdiction the offense charged shall be committed, and, upon conviction, such person shall be punished in accordance with the provisions of the section of this act under which conviction is had, and in cases not otherwise provided for by a fine, not exceeding fifty dollars, for each and every offense, and to imprisonment in the county jail until such fine is paid, but not for a period exceeding sixty days.

SEC. 19. Sections 1, 2, 3, 8, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of act No. 350, of the ses-

sion laws of 1865, approved March 21, 1865, sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of act No. 188, of the public acts of 1875, approved May 1, 1885, and sec. 4 of act No. 141 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 2, 1883, are hereby repealed.

The following are the amendments made by committee on fisheries to House bill No. 233 (but not yet concurred in by the Senate):

1. Strike out all of sec. 4.

2. Insert in line 1, sec. 5, after "two," the word "and," and strike out the words "or four."

In line 2 strike out the word "fifty" and insert therefor the word "ten." Also in same line strike out the word "three" and insert therefor the word "one."

In line 3 strike out the word "sixty" and insert therefor the word "ninety." And after the word "both" in same line 3 insert "such fine and imprisonment and."

3. Sec. 7. Strike out in line 5 the words "exceeding three" and insert before the word "hundred" the words "not less than ten dollars nor more than one." In line 7, same section, strike out the word "further."

4. Sec. 8. Strike out in line 3 the words "eighty-nine" and insert therefor the word "ninety." In line 5, same section, insert after the word "of" the words "not less than ten dollars nor more than." Insert after line 5 and before line 6 the words "not more than." Strike out in line 6 the word "sixty" and insert therefor the word "ninety." And also insert in line 6 after the word "both" the words "such fine and imprisonment."

5. In Sec. 10. Strike out in line 3 the words "not less than;" also strike out in same line the word "two" and insert therefor the word "one;" also insert after the word dollars the words "and costs of prosecution;" also strike out in same line 3 the word "sixty" and insert therefor the word "ninety."

Insert in line 4, same sec., after the word "both," the words "such fine and imprisonment."

6. Section 11 line 4 insert after the word conviction the word "thereof."

7. Section 12 insert in line 3 after the word running the words "easterly to the buoy" and strike out in same line the words "south three miles." In line 4 same section insert after the word "south" the words "three miles thence south."

SEC. 16. In line 3 insert after the word "shall" the words "be punished by a fine" and strike out in same line the words "forfeit the sum;"

8. In line 4 same section strike out the word "and" and insert therefor the words "or by" also in same line strike out the word "sixty" and insert therefor the word "ninety."

9. SEC. 17. Amend line 1, after the word lawful, insert the following words: "for any one but a citizen or citizens of the United States, or who has or have declared his or their intention to become such citizen or citizens."

In line 7, in said section 17, after the word "lakes," insert the following words: "or any other waters of this State."

Insert in line 14 after the word "lawful" the words "for any person."

10. SEC. 18. After "tried" in lines 2 and 3, strike out "in the circuit court within whose jurisdiction" and insert "before any justice of the peace of the county within which." Insert after convicted in line 3 "thereof." Strike out in line 4 the word "is" and insert "shall be." Strike out in line 6 "sixty" and insert "ninety."

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 158 (file No. 84), entitled

A bill to regulate the passenger and freight tariff, to provide for a uniform classification of freight rates, and to prevent unjust discrimination in charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of passengers or freights upon the railroads in this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, having the same title, recommending that the substitute be printed for the use of the committee.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The substitute was ordered printed for the use of the committee,

By the committee on public health:

The committee on public health, to whom was re-referred

The title and enacting clause of

House bill No. 518 (file No. 178), entitled

A bill to provide for the registration of physicians and surgeons and to protect the people of the State of Michigan from empericism and quackery, and to repeal act No. 167 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to promote public health,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend sections two and three of act No. 167 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to promote public health," approved June 6, 1883,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. HOWELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the substitute,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The substitute was ordered printed in the Journal.

Following is the substitute:

A bill to amend sections 2 and 3 of act No. 167 of the public acts of 1883, entitled An act to promote public health, approved June 6, 1883.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That sections 2 and 3 of act No. 167 of the public acts of 1883, entitled An act to promote public health, approved June 6, 1883, be and the same are hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 2. The necessary qualifications to practice medicine in this State shall be:

First, That every person who shall have actually practiced medicine continuously for at least five years in this State, and who is practicing when this act shall take effect, shall be deemed qualified to practice medicine in this State, after having registered in the office of the county clerk as provided by this act:

Second, Every graduate of any legally authorized medical college in this State or any one of the United States, or in any other country, shall be

deemed qualified to practice medicine and surgery in all its departments, after having registered as provided in this act: *Provided*, That the provisions of this act shall not be construed so as to prohibit any student or under graduate from practicing with and under the immediate supervision of any person legally qualified to practice medicine and surgery under and by the provisions of this act: *Provided*, That every person qualified to practice medicine and surgery under the provisions of this act, shall, within three months after this act shall take effect, file with the county clerk of the county wherein he has been engaged in practice, or in which he intends to practice, a statement sworn to before any officer authorized to administer oaths in said county, setting forth, first, if he is actually engaged in practice in said county, the length of time he has been engaged in such continuous practice, and if a graduate of any medical college, the name of the same and where located, when he graduated, and the length of time he attended the same, also the school of medicine to which he belongs. And if he is a student or under-graduate, the length of time he has been engaged in the study of medicine, and where, and if he has attended a medical college the name of the same, and where located, and the length of time so attended and when, also the name and residence of the physician under whose instruction he is practicing or intends to practice. It shall be the duty of the county clerk of each county in this state to record in a book to be provided by the county, the affidavit (or sworn statement) of every physician practicing in said county. For recording each statement the county clerk shall receive fifty cents, to be paid by the person filing the same.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the supervisor, at the time of making the annual assessment in each year, to make out a list of all the physicians and each student practicing under the instruction of a preceptor residing within his township, village, ward, or city, with the name, age sex, and color of each and the length of time each has been engaged in practice, and if a graduate of a regularly established and reputable college, the name of the college, and the date of graduation. Such list shall be returned by the supervisor to the township, village, or city clerk, and by the clerk recorded in the book in which are kept the records of the local board of health, and annually on or before the first day of January such clerks shall furnish certified lists of the same to the secretary of the State board of health.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 397 (file No. 353), entitled

A bill to provide for an independent Forestry Commission of the State of Michigan, to define its duties and powers, and to provide for the expense thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House bill No. 794 (file No. 416), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid in improving the channel of Maple river, in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House bill No. 377 (file No. 341), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain and reclaim marsh and overflowed lands in the townships of Albee and Spaulding, Saginaw county.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House bill No. 763, entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of dredging and improving the water course between Bellaire and the waters of Torch Lake, in Antrim county.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 317, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Wilson, in the county of Alpena, to construct and maintain a toll road through said township, and to borrow money and issue its bonds for the construction of the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment,

and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By unanimous consent,

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate bill No. 225 (file No. 184), entitled

A bill to organize corporations for the purpose of carrying on the business of buying, selling and breeding cattle, sheep and horses, and also the power to acquire and hold title to lands necessary for the carrying on of such business.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 574 (file No. 479) entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved march 31, 1881, as amended by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the Senate take a recess until 7:30 o'clock this evening.

Pending which,

Mr. Sharp moved that the Senate adjourn.

Mr. J. W. Babcock called for the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Crosby,	Laing,	Post,	Stark,
Deyo,	Mayo,	Potter,	Westgate,
Fox,	Moon,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Giddings,			

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Howell,	Mr. Willits,	President
Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Seymour,		<i>pro tem.</i> 6

And the Senate adjourned.

Lansing, Thursday, June 16, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.* at 9:30 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by Senator Westgate.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Barringer.

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Barringer for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 836. By Mr. Atwood: Petition of B. Turner and 360 other citizens and tax-payers of Flushing, asking for the passage of House bill file No. 186, authorising the township of Flushing to borrow money.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The petition was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the petition:

To the Honorable the Senate of the Legislature of Michigan.

We, the undersigned, voters of the township of Flushing, Genesee county, Michigan, would most respectfully ask your honorable body to pass House file No. 186, as amended by the Senate committee on townships and counties, it being a bill to allow said township to vote on the question of bonding said township to aid the Flushing railroad company to build a road to the city of Flint. The total of the assessed valuation of petitioners is about \$650,000.

Referred to the committee on cities and villages.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Giddings offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That clerks of the various committees of the Senate when not busy with the work of their own committees, be instructed to assist the committee on engrossment and enrollment in the dispatch of the work now crowding the regular clerks of that committee,

Which was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on insurance:

The committee on insurance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 493 (file No. 428), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 78 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the incorporation of Manufacturers' Mutual fire insurance companies," approved May 10, 1883, and to add four new sections to said act to be designated as sections 17, 18, 19 and 20,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and report that the committee think the bill should pass, with the request that it be referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order, and we ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on insurance:

The committee on insurance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 215 (file No. 158), entitled

A bill to determine the valuation of property insured, and destroyed by fire, in certain cases, and to fix the measure of damages therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of act number 149 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to provide for the adoption and use of a standard farm or fire insurance policy," approved May 12, 1881.

Your committee desire to state that this substitute is a bill prepared by the Attorney General, and is one very much desired by the Governor; and while your committee think that action should be had upon the substitute, yet for reasons that will readily suggest themselves to Senators they hesitate in making any recommendation, but hope that the substitute will be concurred in, and that the same will pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred
House bill No. 574 (file 479), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 31, 1881, as amended by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on public health:

The committee on public health, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 117, entitled

A bill to amend section 13 of chapter 6 of act 227 of the laws of 1885, relative to the construction and maintenance of drains,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the title amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 3 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto," approved June 20, 1885,

Recommending that the amended title be concurred in and that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. HOWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the title of the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

It was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J.W.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,
Babcock, W.I.	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter.	Willits,
Crosby.	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	President
Fox,	Moon,	Seymour	<i>pro tem., 27</i>

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on public health and public lands:

The committees on public health and public lands, to whom was jointly referred

Senate bill No. 74 (file No. 127), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Barry to drain and reclaim certain swamp and overflowed lands by opening and deepening Thornapple river, near the outlet of Thornapple lake, to authorize a tax to complete the same, and to provide for such opening and deepening of such outlet.

Together with a substitute proposed by the committee on public health, being proposed substitute for

Senate bill No. 74 (file No. 296), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of money for opening and deepening Thornapple river, near the outlet of Thornapple lake, in the county of Barry, for the purpose of benefitting the public health and providing for the performance of said work,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed us to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill and proposed substitute be referred to the committee on appropriations and finance, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. HOWELL,

Chairman Committee on Public Health.

WM. A. ATWOOD,

Chairman Committee on Public Lands.

Report accepted and committees discharged.

The bill and substitute were referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 575, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of article 2, sections 1 and 2 of article 3, section 2 of article 6, section 1 of article 10, section 5 of article 13, sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of article 14, sections 1, 2 and 3 of article 15, and section 3 of article 16 of act No. 245 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the village of Allegan," approved March 2, 1869, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to add 4 new sections to said act to stand as sections 7 of article 3 and sections 9, 10 and 11 of article 13,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 499, entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the council of the village of Alma, in the

county of Gratiot, to borrow money and issue the bonds of said village therefor.

2. Senate bill No. 27, entitled

A bill providing for the employment, defining the duties, and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the 7th judicial circuit, State of Michigan.

J W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate file No. 280, being Senate substitute for House bill No. 445 (file No. 356), entitled

A bill to provide additional fire protection and for other purposes at the Michigan soldiers' home at Grand Rapids, and to make an appropriation therefor,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Pending the reference of the bill to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment,

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bill :

Senate file No. 280, being Senate substitute for

House bill No. 445 (file No. 356), entitled

A bill to provide additional fire protection and for other purposes at the Michigan soldiers' home at Grand Rapids, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The request of the House was complied with and the bill returned as requested.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 743 (file No. 473), entitled

A bill to amend sections 5 and 6 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1877, as amended by act No. 283 of the session laws of 1881, and to amend the title to said original act, being an act entitled An act to provide for a tax upon dogs, and to create a fund for the payment of certain damages for sheep killed or wounded by them in certain cases, approved May 23, 1887, the same being compiler's paragraph 2127 and 2128, chapter 61, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

2. House bill No. 915 (file No. 466), entitled

A bill to provide for the organization, arming, and duties of independent military companies, and for commissioning the officers thereof,

3. House bill No. 64 (file No. 442), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act number 153 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on agricultural interests.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on military affairs.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 47, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Mecosta and Newaygo, now composing the 27th judicial circuit.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate: -

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

House bill No. 470 (file No. 455), entitled

A bill to repeal sections numbered 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12 of act No. 144, public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the compulsory education of children in certain cases," approved June 5, 1883.

House bill No. 471 (file No. 456), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 108, public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the compulsory reformatory education of juvenile disorderly persons," approved May 21, 1885.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The two named bills were read a first and second time by their title, and referred to the committee on education and public schools.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 107 (file No. 266), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 2 of an act entitled An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan, as amended, being section 877 of Howell's annotated statutes.

2. Senate bill No. 490 (file No. 228), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Porter, in the county of Midland, State of Michigan, to borrow money for the payment of the outstanding township and highway orders, or other indebtedness, and issue its bonds therefor.

3. Senate bill No. 489 (file No. 256), entitled

A bill to authorize the townships of Wisner and Gilford in the county of Tuscola, to borrow money for the construction of a drain in said townships and to issue bonds therefor.

In the passage of which, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The three named bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 251, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 33 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Au Sable, in Iosco county," approved April 24, 1885.

2. Senate bill No. 359 (file No. 277), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the Michigan Business Men's Association, and auxiliary association.

3. Senate bill No. 356 (file No. 244), entitled

A bill to amend section 16 of local act No. 316 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the public schools of the township of Maple Ridge, Alpena county,"

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The three named bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 171 (file No. 54), entitled

A bill to prohibit the selling, furnishing or giving of any spirituous, malt, fermented or vinous liquors to any inmate of the Michigan soldiers' home.

2. Senate bill No. 89 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to prevent gambling in stocks, bonds, petroleum, cotton, grain, provisions and other produce,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The two named bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 296 (file No. 274), entitled

A bill authorizing the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of lands for the improvement of Falls Creek, in the county of Alpena.

2. Senate bill No. 405, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled An act providing for the employment, de-

fining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the circuit court for the county of Kent, State of Michigan, being act No. 133 of the public acts of the Legislature of the year 1877, and being compiler's sections 6512 to 6522 inclusive of Howell's annotated statutes of this State,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The two named bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled joint resolution:

Senate joint resolution No. 24 (file No. 7), entitled
Joint resolution for the relief of Livonia B. Perrine,

In the passage of which, the House has concurred by a two-thirds majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The joint resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to amend section 10, chapter 343 of act No. 201 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9836 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, relative to the State industrial home for girls.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. Amend section 10, line 4, by striking out the words "in case of truancy, vagrancy and."

2. Amend section 10, line 6, by striking out the words "eighteen," and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-one."

In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the first named amendment as follows:

By striking out of line 4, section 10, the word "truancy;"

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 869 (file No. 470), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 90 of the session laws of 1853, entitled
An act to amend the laws relative to supplying the city of Detroit with
pure and wholesome water and to provide for the completion and manage-
ment of the Detroit water works, approved Feb. 14, 1853, as amended by act
No. 359 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 12, 1873.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect,
and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take
immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully
asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the
committee on cities and villages.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled
bill:

Senate bill No. 228 (file No. 136), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for completing and furnishing the attics of
the Northern Michigan Asylum for the Insane and building a detached cot-
tage therefor,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all
the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a
vote of two thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for
enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 854, (file No. 480), entitled

A bill to provide for keeping clear of obstructions, open and in good condition and repair all ditches in this State constructed under the authority of the board of control, having charge of the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of State roads and ditches, or ditches constructed by aid of State swamp lands.

2. House bill No. 850 (file No. 478), entitled

A bill to provide for the ascertaining, adjudicating and determining who are or were the legal heirs, minor heirs, or legal representatives of certain deceased persons and entitled to the lands of which the said deceased died seized and to repeal act No. 53 of the laws of Michigan of the year 1867, approved March 13, 1867, being compiler's sections 4398, 4399 and 4400 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being sections 5990, 5991 and 5992 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to proceedings to ascertain and determine the heirs of deceased persons.

3. House bill No. 428 (file No. 468), entitled

A bill to amend section 8 of chapter 33, being consecutive section 1465 of compiled laws of 1871 as amended by act No. 86 of the public acts of 1875, approved April 16, 1875, the same being compiler's section 1501 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to manufacture and inspection of salt,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on State affairs.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The third named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid upon the table.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 17 (file No. 12), entitled

Joint resolution to authorize the State of Michigan to patent certain lands in Muskegon county to Henry Webb.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the the House of Representatives.

The joint resolution was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on public lands.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 288 (file No 481), entitled

A bill to establish and organize school district No. 9 in the township of Byron, county of Kent and State of Michigan,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on education and public schools.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 210 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 5 and 6 of act No. 200 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons,"

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

1. Amend sec. 1, line 3, by inserting after the word "pardons" the words "approved June 17, 1885."

2. Amend sec. 4 by striking out in lines 2, 3, and 4 the words "the necessary expenses of which shall be approved and paid as is provided in section 5 for approving and paying the members of said board and the clerk thereof."

3. Amend sec. 5 by striking out of lines 3 and 4 the words "and the expense of the rooms for the board."

4. Amend section 6 by striking out commencing in line 14 after the word "in" the following words, "the daily newspaper published in the city of Detroit having the largest circulation within" and inserting in lieu thereof the following words, "at least one daily newspaper printed in the English language and published in,"

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title by adding at the end thereof the words, "approved June 17, 1885,"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, and with the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,
Campbell,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner
Crosby,	Mayo,	Roof,	President
Edwards.	Moon,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> 27

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The amendment made to the title by the House was then concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 226 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill to amend section 20 of chapter 249 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 9296 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to offenses against chastity, morality and decency,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

1. Amend section 20, line 4, by inserting after the words "justice of the peace" the words "or police justice;"

2. Amend section 20, line 4, by striking out the word "and" after the end of line 4 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or."

3. Amend section 20 by adding at the end of the section the following: "or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court or magistrate."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Howell,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. L.,	Hubbell,	Post,	Willits,
Barton,	Laing,	Potter,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Mayo,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Moon,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Edwards,			

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The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 15, 1987. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR,—I am instructed to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 156 (file No. 312), entitled

A bill to provide compensation to stenographers for transcripts of cases stenographically reported in the courts for the fifth judicial circuit of the State of Michigan,

For which the Senate adopted a substitute, as shown by message of June 14, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a stenographer in the fifth judicial circuit of this State, to define his powers and duties, to fix his compensation, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith.

Now to inform the Senate that in the adoption of said substitute, the House non-concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Mayo moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the substitute.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the substitute,

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The bill was laid on the table.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President *pro tem* announced that the hour had arrived for the special order, being the third reading of

Senate file No. 278, being

Senate substitute for House bill No. 504 (file No. 414), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State.

The bill was then read a third time and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent, Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out the proviso in lines 8 and 9 of section 9.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent, Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to further amend the bill as follows:

By adding the following to section 17:

"Any person found in the act of violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a breach of the peace and punished accordingly; and the arrest therefor may be without process, and this punishment shall be taken to be in excess of all other manner of punishment in this act provided for a violation of the provisions of this section. All officers authorized to make arrests for a breach of the peace shall have like power to make arrests under the provisions of this section as in other cases of a breach of the peace."

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	President
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Fox,			

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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,

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And the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting after the word "day," in the 6th line, section 17, the following words: "And it shall be the duty of sheriffs, marshals, constables and police officers to close all saloons, houses or places that shall be found open in violation of the provisions of this section, and to report forthwith all such violations to the prosecuting attorney, whose duty it shall be to immediately prosecute for such violations."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows: By adding to section 19 the following words:

And provided further, That nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prevent prosecuting persons for becoming drunk or intoxicated when the testimony of said person is not sought under the provisions of this section.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Palmer moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 18, section 19, the words "in this State."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Harshaw moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out in line 1, section 3, the word "penal."
 Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.
 By unanimous consent,
 Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill as follows:
 By striking out section 15.
 Pending which,
 Mr. Sharp moved to amend the section as follows:
 By inserting after the words "such room" in line 3, sec. 15, the words
 "except it be a hotel,"
 Pending which,
 On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,
 The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

 AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem*.
 The question being on the motion to amend by inserting in line 3, section
 15, after the words "such room" the words "except it be a hotel,"
 Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.
 The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Roof,	Willits,	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Seymour,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Sharp,		15

NAYS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Westgate,	
Edwards,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	President	
Fox,	Mayo,	Palmer,	<i>pro tem</i> .	11

The question recurring on the motion to strike out section 15,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	Stark,	
Barton	Hubbell,	Roof,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Seymour,	Wisner,	
Giddings,	O'Reilly,			18

NAYS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Westgate,	
Edwards,	Howell,	Post,	President	
Fox,	Mayo,	Potter,	<i>pro tem</i> .	11

Mr. Giddings moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate adopted
 the amendment moved by Mr. J. W. Babcock, by adding to section 17.

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to reconsider then prevailed, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Seymour,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Post,	Sharp,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Giddings,			

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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	President
Edwards,	Mayo,	Westgate,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Fox,			

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The question being on the motion to amend,

The motion then prevailed, by yeas and nays as follows;

YEAS

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Mayo,	Willits,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Moon,	President
Campbell	Howell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 15

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Sharp,
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	Stark,
Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	Wisner,
Gorman,	Palmer,		

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And the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent.

Mr. Harshaw moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 18 sec. 3, before the word "only" the words "with-
out the payment of any tax specified in section 1."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 9 of section 8 the word "village."

On which,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	Stark,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,

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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,
Edwards,	Howell,	Post,	President
Fox,	Mayo,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> 15

And the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Willits moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding the following to the bill to stand as section 15:

"Sec. 15. It shall not be lawful for any person to allow any minor to visit or remain in any room where such liquors are sold or kept for sale unless accompanied by his or her father or other legal guardian."

On which,

Mr. Crosby demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Stark,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> 23

NAYS.

Mr. O'Reilly,

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And the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out all of section 5 after the word "commence," in line 7.

Pending which,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend by striking out of line 8, section 5, the words "one-half" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one-quarter."

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Sharp,
Gorman,	Rairden,	Seymour,	Wisner,
Harshaw,			

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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Mayo,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Willits,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	President
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Campbell,	Hubbell,		

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And the bill was not so amended.

The motion to strike out then did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of lines 7 and 8 the words "or any malt, brewed, or fermented liquors, five hundred dollars per annum," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "five hundred dollars per annum; upon the business of selling still wines, malt, brewed, or fermented liquors, two hundred dollars per annum. Any person selling, giving away, or keeping spirituous or intoxi-

cating liquors upon the premises in which the business of selling malt, brewed, or fermented liquors is carried on, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall forfeit his or her tax, and be precluded or debarred from continuing, or engaging in any business requiring the payment of a tax ' under this act ' for the term of one year from and after said conviction."

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,	12.

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	President
Edwards,	Laing,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 19

And the bill was not so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Gorman moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 8, sec. 1, the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three" and by making the same change in line 9, sec. 1,

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded a division of the question.

The question being on the amendment proposed in line 8,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

Pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no senators were reported absent without leave.

That portion of the motion to amend, proposing a change in line 8, then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Post,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	Wisner,	16

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	President,
Edwards.	Howell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 15

And the bill was so amended.

The question recurring on that portion of the amendment proposing a change in line 9,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Post,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	Wisner,	16

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	President
Edwards,	Howell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 15

And the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Gorman moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 11, section 1, the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three."

Pending which,

Mr. Westgate moved to amend the amendments by striking out the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five."

Which amendment was accepted.

The question being on the amendment,

Mr. Moon demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Sharp,	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Seymour,	Wisner,	
Gorman,	O'Reilly,			14

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Willits,
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	Post,	President
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 17
Edwards,	Mayo,		

And the bill was not so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 11 section 1 the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six,"

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by the yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Stark
Barton,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Willits,
Crosby,	Laing,	Seymour,	Wisner,
Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Post,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Potter,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> 16

And the bill was not so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the bill as follows: By striking out of line 3, section 2, the word "five," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three," and by making the same change in line 5.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Rairden moved to amend the bill as follows: By striking out of lines 9 and 10, section 6, the words "that complaint may be made to any justice of the peace or police justice."

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Rairden moved to amend the bill as follows: By striking out of line 11 the word "same" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "said notice and receipt."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of the bill the following words: .

And provided further, That this act shall not be operative, except as to druggists, in any county in this State that shall have prohibited the manufacture and sale of the liquors mentioned in this act, in any manner now or that shall be provided by law while such prohibition is in force.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Pending the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 16, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The President of the United States has approved the recommendation that all the battle flags in the custody of the war department, belonging to the Southern States in rebellion during the late civil war, be returned to the respective States which bore them for such final disposition as they may determine;

AND WHEREAS, This is the first attempt since the close of the rebellion by the representative of any nation to recognize the Confederate States as

such (and their rights to hold or reclaim property lost in the war); Therefore be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan (the Senate concurring), That this Legislature views with surprise and disfavor the action of the President in favoring the return of these "emblems of treason" to the extinct governments which they represented; and be it further

Resolved, That the Governor of this State be requested to ask the President in behalf of the people of Michigan to have said order rescinded.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Pending concurrence in the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Gorman moved that the resolution be laid upon the table.

On which

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not concur by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Harshaw.	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,	4
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Seymour,	President	
Edwards,	Mayo,		<i>pro tem.</i>	26

Pending concurrence in the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Mayo moved to amend by adding the following:

Resolved further, That the President of the United States be requested to deliver to the State of Michigan the flags captured by Michigan soldiers during the late war of the rebellion.

Which motion prevailed.

Pending concurrence in the adoption of the resolution,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate took a recess until 7:30 o'clock P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

Pending concurrence in the adoption of the concurrent resolution as amended,

Mr. Gorman moved to amend the resolution by striking out of the preamble the words "and their rights to hold or reclaim property lost in the war."

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Roof,	3
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon.	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby.	Mayo,	Seymour,	President,
Edwards,			<i>pro tem.</i> , 25

Mr. Howell moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate amended the resolution by adding a new resolution.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Palmer moved to strike out of the first resolution the word "governments" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "so-called Southern confederacy."

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the preamble and resolution as follows:

1st. By inserting after the first word "whereas" the words "it is alleged that."

2d. By inserting after the second word "whereas" the words "if this be true it" in lieu of the word "this."

3d. By inserting after the word "order" in the last resolution the words "if made."

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harshaw moved to further amend by inserting after the word "recommendation," in the first preamble, the words "of Adjutant General Drum,"

On which

Mr. Harshaw demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by the yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,	Mr. Wisner,
Harshaw,	Roof,		6

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	President
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 22
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Seymour,	

The question recurring on the adoption of the resolutions,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The resolutions were then adopted by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,

Burton,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Roof,	President	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	29
Edwards,	Mayo,			0

NAYS.

Mr. J. W. Babcock stated that Senator Potter was called away before the vote on the concurrent resolution was reached and asked that unanimous consent be given allowing his name to be recorded in favor of the resolution.

To which

Mr. Gorman objected because he considered it a dangerous precedent to establish, and the record was therefore not changed.

Mr. Gorman moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which

Mr. Mayo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Post,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Barringer,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Wisner,	16

NAYS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Stark,	
Edwards,	Holbrook,	Seymour,	Willits,	
Fox,	Howell,	Sharp,	President,	
			<i>pro tem</i>	12

And the Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 17, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.* at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 837. By Mr. Rairden: Petition of K. of L. assemblies asking for the passage of Ogg's scrip bill.

Referred to the committee on labor.

No. 838. Mr. Howell presented the following petition, which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

Muskegon, June 15, 1887.

To the Hon. Senate of the State of Michigan:

We, the undersigned labor societies and assemblies, do petition that action be taken as speedily as possible on the above bill, House file 375.

Vessel Loaders' Union. Membership, 650.

ANDREW O'CONNELLE, *President*.

MILES B. BRIGGS, *Rec. Sec.*

Star of the Valley Assembly 3023, Muskegon.

[SEAL.]

JOHN F. BREDIN, *M. W.*

ALEX. GIBSON, *Rec. Sec.*

Perseverance Association No. 2078, K. of L. Membership, 50.

[SEAL.]

W. T. JAMES, *M. W.*

F. J. EATON, *Sec.*

Iron Molders' Union, No. 186, Muskegon, Mich., membership 54.

[SEAL.]

JOHN J. HALL, *President*.

THOS. LENNON, *Cor. Rep.*

Bricklayers' Plasterers' and Stonemasons' International Union, No. 5 of Michigan, city of Muskegon, Mich., membership 50.

[SEAL.]

B. F. BARNETT, *President*.

S. DOCKSTADER, *Rec. Sec.*

Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, Union No. 100, membership 59.

[SEAL.]

W. F. MORELL, *President*.

JOS. A. DUFRESNE, *Rec. Sec.*

L. A. No. 2032 K. of L., membership 76.

[SEAL.]

W. F. CREMER, *M. W.*

THOS. J. KEATING, *Rec. Sec.*

Muskegon Typographical Union No. 168, membership 20.

[SEAL.]

L. S. GIBBS, *President*.

ED. J. CARLETON, *Secy.*

Barbers' Union of Muskegon, membership 28.

[SEAL.]

J. H. SCOTT, *President*.

FRED. BERGER, *Rec. Sec.*

Cigar Maker's Union No. 24 of Muskegon, membership 31.

[SEAL.]

R. W. PARSONES, *President*.

CHAS. WATSON, *Rec. Sec.*

Muskegon Trade and Labor Assembly.

[SEAL.]

G. E. FIELD, *President*.

JNO. DAANE, *Sec'y.*

Michigan State District Union of Iron Molders, Muskegon, membership 365.

[SEAL.]

JOHN RICHARDSON, *President*.

W. F. RUSHTON, *Sec'y.*

Referred to the committee on labor.

No. 839. By Mr. Potter: Petition of 30 business men and firms of the city of Hastings asking for the passage of House bill No. 296, known as the Rogers freight bill.

On motion of Mr. Potter,

The petition was ordered spread at length on the journal.

The following is the petition:

To the Honorable the Senate of the State of Michigan:

We the undersigned business men of the city of Hastings, Michigan, respectfully petition your honorable body for the passage of House bill No. 296, entitled "A bill to regulate the freight tariff, to provide for a uniform classification of freight and maximum freight rates, and to prevent unjust discrimination in charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of freights upon the railroads of this State.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated June 14th, 1887.

Referred to the committee on railroads.

No. 840. Mr. Moon presented the following petition which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

We the undersigned labor societies and assemblies, do petition that action be taken as speedily as possible on the above bill.

Vessel Loader's Union, membership 650.

[SEAL.]

ANDREW O'CONNELL, *President.*

MILNER B. BRIGGS, *Rec. Sec.*

Perseverance Ass'n No. 2003, K. of L., membership 50.

[SEAL.]

W. T. JAMES, *M. W.*

F. J. EATON, *Sec'y.*

Iron molders' union No. 186, Muskegon, Mich., membership 54.

[SEAL.]

JOHN J. HALL, *President.*

THOMAS LENNON, *Cor. Rep.*

Brick layers', plasterers' and stone masons' international union No. 5 of Michigan, city of Muskegon, membership 50.

[SEAL.]

B. F. BARNETT, *President.*

S. DOCKSTADER, *Rec. Sec.*

Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners Union No. 100, membership 59.

[SEAL.]

W. F. MORELL, *President.*

JAS. A. DUFRESNE, *Rec. Sec.*

Labor Assembly No. 2032, K. of L., membership, 76.

[SEAL.]

W. J. CREAMER, *M. W.*

THOS. J. KEATING, *Rec. Sec.*

Muskegon Typographical Union, No. 168, membership 20.

[SEAL.]

L. S. GIBBS, *President.*

ED. J. CARLETON, *Sec.*

Barbers' Union of Muskegon, membership 28.

[SEAL.]

J. H. SCOTT, *President.*

FRED. BERGER, *Rec. Sec.*

Cigarmakers' Union No. 24 of Muskegon. Membership, 31.

[SEAL.]

R. W. PARSONES, *President.*

CHAS. WATSON, *Rec. Sec.*

Muskegon Trades and Labor Assembly.

[SEAL.]

G. E. FIELD, *President.*

JNO. DAANE, *Sec.*

Michigan State District Union of Iron Molders. Membership, 365.

[SEAL.]

JOHN RICHARDSON, *President, Muskegon.*

W. F. RUSHTON, *Sec., Lansing.*

Referred to the committee on labor.

No. 841. By Mr. Mayo: Remonstrance of Chas. Rowe and 60 freeholders of Flushing in regard to the Flushing bill in aid of railroads.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The remonstrance was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the remonstrance:

To the Honorable the Senators of the State of Michigan:

We the undersigned resident freeholders (farmers) of the township of Flushing, county of Genesee, Michigan, believing as we do that the bill before your honorable body authorizing the said township of Flushing to bond

the township in aid of a railroad, would, if passed, be detrimental and against the best interests of the people of said township, and especially the farming community. We, therefore, respectfully remonstrate against the passage of said bill, hoping that after due consideration of said bill your honorable body may so determine; and we ever pray.

May 31, 1887.

Referred to the committee on counties and townships.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 442, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation, and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Branch and St Joseph, now composing the 15th judicial circuit.

Senate bill No. 225 (file No. 184), entitled

A bill to organize corporations for the purpose of carrying on the business of buying, selling and breeding cattle, sheep and horses, and also the power to acquire and hold title to lands necessary for the carrying on of such business,

3. Senate bill No. 359 (file No. 277), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the Michigan business men's association, and auxiliary associations.

4. Senate joint resolution No. 24 (file No. 7), entitled

Joint resolution for the relief of Livonia B. Perrine.

5. Senate bill No. 171 (file No. 54), entitled

A bill to prohibit the selling, furnishing or giving of any spirituous, malt, fermented, or vinous liquors to any inmate of the Michigan soldiers' home.

6. Senate bill No. 89 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to prevent gambling in stocks, bonds, petroleum, cotton, grain, provisions and other produce.

7. Senate bill No. 489 (file No. 256), entitled

A bill to authorize the townships of Wisner and Gilford in the county of Tuscola, to borrow money for the construction of a drain in said townships, and to issue bonds therefor,

8. Senate bill No. 226 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill to amend section 20 of chapter 249 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 9296 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to offenses against chastity, morality, and decency.

9. Senate bill No. 356 (file No. 244), entitled

A bill to amend section 16 of local act No. 316 of the session laws of 1883, entitled An act to incorporate the public schools of the township of Maple Ridge, Alpena county.

10. Senate bill No. 296 (file No. 274), entitled

A bill authorizing the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of lands for the improvement of Falls Creek, in the county of Alpena.

11. Senate bill No. 107 (file No. 266), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 2 of an act entitled "An act for the re-organization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," as amended, being section 877 of Howell's annotated statutes.

12. Senate bill No. 47, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Mecosta and Newaygo, now composing the 27th judicial circuit.

13. Senate bill No. 251, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 33 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Au Sable, in Iosco county," approved April 24, 1885.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

By the committee on agricultural interests:

The committee on agricultural interests, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 477, entitled

A bill to prevent deception in the manufacture and sale of imitation butter and cheese and to create a dairy commission,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN HOLBROOK, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on liquor traffic:

The committee on liquor traffic, to whom was referred

House bill No. 546 (file No. 397), entitled

A bill to define the duties of city and village marshals, constables, sheriffs and other officers relative to making complaints for violations of the laws regulating or prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors and to create a penalty for neglect of such duties.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 869 (file No. 470), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 90 of the session laws of 1853, entitled An act to amend the laws relative to supplying the city of Detroit with pure and wholesome water and to provide for the completion and management of the Detroit water-works, approved Feb. 14, 1853, as amended by act No. 359 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 12, 1873.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on agricultural interests:

The committee on agricultural interests, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 315 (file 163), entitled

A bill to promote and protect skill in the art of farriery or horseshoeing and prevent injury to the horse by its unskilled practice,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN HOLBROOK, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on labor:

The committee on labor, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 259 (file No. 130), entitled

A bill to establish, protect and enforce the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for the erection, altering, repairing or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures, and to repeal act No. 258 of the session laws of 1879 and all acts amendatory thereof, relating to mechanics' liens,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. S. LAING, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on labor:

The committee on labor, to whom was referred the following preamble and resolution:

WHEREAS, A statement was made in the Senate that there was an appropriation made by the present Legislature for the collection of labor statistics; therefore

Resolved, That the commissioner of labor furnish the Senate with a statement of how much was appropriated for the collection of labor statistics and what disposition has been made with the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying statement from the Commissioner of Labor:

Lansing, June 15, 1887.

Hon. W. S. Laing, Chairman Senate Committee on Labor:

SIR—In compliance with a resolution by the Senate asking the commissioner of labor to furnish the Senate with a statement of how much was appropriated for the collection of labor statistics by the present Legislature, and what disposition has been made with the same.

I have the honor to state I have no knowledge of any sum having been appropriated for that purpose.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

A. H. HEATH,
Commissioner of Labor.

And ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.
W. S. LAING, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

The resolution was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 723, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Sturgis in the county of St. Joseph to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor and to provide for the levy of taxes therein to pay the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 719 (file No. 387), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of central and local associations of mint growers,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, and with the title amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the incorporation of central and local associations of growers of mint and other essential oil plants.

Recommending that the amendments to the bill and title be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill and title by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By the committee on appropriation and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 247 (file No. 159), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the current expenses for the Michigan school for the blind for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment,

and recommend that the bill be recommitted to the committee on the Michigan school for the blind, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was recommitted to the committee on Michigan school for the blind.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 16, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 217 (file No. 282), being

An act making an appropriation for the State industrial home for girls, for the years 1887 and 1888.

Also,

Senate bill No. 311 (file No. 286), being

An act to amend sections 7, 9, 10, 23 and 33 of chapter 12 of an act entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, and being act No. 326 of the local acts of 1883.

Also,

Senate bill No. 499, being

An act to authorize and empower the council of the village of Alma in the county of Gratiot to borrow money and issue the bonds of said village therefor.

O. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 16, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 349 (file No. 90), entitled

A bill to authorize the Erie & Kalamazoo railroad company to change its line between Palmyra Junction and the city of Adrian.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The committee on engrossment and enrollment was requested to report the bill back to the Senate and ordered returned to the House.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 16, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The demand is so great throughout the State for copies of the game and fish laws now being enforced by the State Warden and his deputy; therefore

Resolved, (The Senate concurring), That the State Game and Fish Warden be and is hereby authorized and empowered to compile and publish in pamphlet form all the laws pertaining to the "protection of fish and game" now in force and to be enacted by this Legislature, together with such annotations as he deems necessary to a proper understanding of the same, including a list of his deputies and their postoffice address, to be distributed to whomsoever may desire, and extra expense incurred thereby to be paid out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated on the approval of Board of State Auditors and the warrant of the Auditor General.

Which has passed the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the concurrent resolution.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 16, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 126 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to prevent crime and to punish truancy,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

1. Amend section 1, line 1, by striking out the word "person" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "girl."
2. Amend section 1, line 2, by inserting after the word "years" the following words: "or boy between the ages of ten and sixteen years."
3. Amend sec. 1, lines 6 and 7, by striking out the words "without a good excuse therefor" and insert in lieu thereof the words "against the command of his or her parent or guardian."
4. Amend sec. 1, line 8, by striking out the word "picnic."
5. Amend sec. 1, line 8, by inserting after the word "rink" and before the word "show" the word "or."
6. Amend sec. 1, line 8, by striking out the words "or other place of amusement."
7. Amend section 2, line 3, by striking out the words "or chief of police."
8. Amend section 2, line 3, by inserting after the word "or," the words "president of any."
9. Amend section 2, line 3, by inserting after the word "village," the words "and in cities of over 8,000 population, by the chief of police."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Moon,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	President
Deyo,	Laing,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 26

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Mr. Crosby, 1

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 16, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 249 (file 482), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of act No. 144 of public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the compulsory education of children in certain cases," approved June 5, 1883.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on education and public schools.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 16, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 853, entitled

A bill to amend section 48 of chapter 7, and section 4 of chapter 16 of act No. 390 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 16, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 393, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 257, session laws of 1869, entitled
An act to incorporate the city of Hillsdale, approved March 8, 1869, as amended by act No. 253, session laws of 1871, approved March 31, 1871.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 16, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 117, entitled

A bill to amend sec. 6 of chapter 3 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto, approved June 20, 1885,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 16, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR,—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 254 (file No. 75), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 53 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to disorderly persons, as amended by act 136 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 31, 1883,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

1. By striking out all of section 1 of the bill and inserting the following to stand as section 1:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 2, chapter 53, of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 279, public acts of 1881, approved June 11, 1881, being compiler's section 1986 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to disorderly persons, as amended by act number 136 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 31, 1883, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

2. By inserting in line 16, section 2, after the word "law" the following words: "But such imprisonment shall not exceed three months."

3. Amend section 2, lines 14 and 15, by striking out the words "or to the Detroit house of correction at Detroit;"

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title of the bill so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 53 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 279, public acts of 1881, approved June 11, 1881, being compiler's section 1986 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to disorderly persons, as amended by act No. 136 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 31, 1883,

In the passage of which as thus amended and with title so amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Babcock, W. L.,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,
Barton,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Crosby,	Mayo,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Deyo,			28

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Mr. O'Reilly, 1

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate concurred.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES }
Lansing, June 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 445, entitled

A bill to provide additional fire protection at the Michigan Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids, and to make an appropriation therefor.

For which the Senate adopted a substitute as shown by message of June 15 being Senate file No. 280, entitled

A bill to provide additional fire protection and for other purposes at the Michigan Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Now to inform the Senate that the House has amended said substitute as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That there be and hereby is appropriated from the general fund the sum of six thousand three hundred dollars for the purpose of providing additional fire protection at the Michigan soldiers' home and for additional hospital fittings and accommodations at said institution.

SEC. 2. Act No. 102 of the present session of the Legislature, entitled "An act making an appropriation for the current expenses of the Michigan Soldiers' Home, and other expenses necessary to the maintenance and improvement thereof for the years 1887 and 1888," approved May 12, 1887, shall be so construed as to authorize the sum of \$12,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary to be taken from the amount appropriated for clothing and subsistence and applied to transportation and contingent account, the same to be credited to such account and be available to such institution as aforesaid as needed.

SECTION 3. The Auditor General shall add to and incorporate in the State tax for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven the sum of six thousand three hundred dollars, to be assessed, levied and collected as other State taxes are assessed, levied and collected, which sum, when collected, shall be passed to the credit of the general fund, to re-imburse the same for the amount appropriated under the provisions of this act.

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title of said substitute so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide additional fire protection at the Michigan soldiers' home, and the making of necessary repairs at said home, and to make an appropriation therefor, and to determine the method of treating and disposing of part of an appropriation provided for by act No. 102 of the present session of the Legislature, approved May 12th, 1887,

In the passage of which substitute as amended, with the title so amended. the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Mayo,
The Senate concurred, a majority of all the senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,			<i>pro tem.</i> , 29

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The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the title,

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The Senate concurred.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 349 (file No. 90), entitled

A bill to authorize the Erie and Kalamazoo railroad company to change its line between Palmyra Junction and the city of Adrian,

Respectfully report the same back to the Senate in accordance with instructions, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was returned to the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Moon moved to take from the table

House bill No. 87 (file No. 306), entitled

A bill defining the duties and regulating the compensation of the official stenographer of the 14th judicial circuit of the State of Michigan in the matter of filing transcripts of court proceedings, in the circuit courts thereof.

Which motion prevailed.

The question pending being on the motion to amend,

By adding the following to stand as section 3:

SEC. 3. The stenographer or assistant stenographer who shall take the notes on the trial or hearing in any case shall prefix to his notes of the testimony of each witness the full name of said witness and the date the testimony was taken, and at the conclusion of the trial of said cause he shall securely attach together all of his notes taken in said cause and properly entitle them upon the outside, and safely keep the same in his office, and in the

event of the death or resignation or his removal from office or from this State of the stenographer, said notes shall be transferred to the county clerk of the county where the cause was tried, who shall receive and safely keep the same subject to the direction of the circuit court for that county : *Provided*, That said notes shall be a part of the records in said cause, and shall be subject to inspection as other records in said cause."

Also by adding the following to stand as section 4:

SECTION 4. In cases tried in the circuit court in which such stenographer shall be engaged, sections 1 and 4 of an act entitled "An act to declare and establish the practice in charging or instructing juries and in settling the law in cases tried in circuit courts," approved March 26, 1869, shall not apply.

And by re-numbering the present section 3 so as to stand as section 5.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J.W.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Babcock, W.I.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Post,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 29
Deyo,	Mayo,		

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Mayo moved to take from the table

House bill No. 156 (file No. 312), entitled

A bill to provide compensation to stenographers for transcript of cases stenographically reported in the courts for the fifth judicial circuit of the State of Michigan.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Mayo moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate adopted the substitute for the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the adoption of the substitute,

The substitute for the bill was withdrawn.

Pending the passage of the bill,

Mr. Mayo offered a substitute therefor entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Calhoun, Barry and Eaton, now comprising the 5th judicial circuit.

Which was adopted.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J.W.	Fox,	Mayo,	Seymour,

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President,
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table

Senate file No. 278, being Senate substitute for House bill No. 504 (file No. 414), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Hubbell moved the previous question.

Which motion was supported.

The question being shall the main question be put,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

Pending which.

Mr. Hubbell moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

The question being, shall the main question be now put,

The same was ordered, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Barringer,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Barton,	Laing,	Roof,	
Crosby,	Moon,	Seymour,	22

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Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Westgate,
Edwards,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President,
Fox,	Howell,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 10

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deyo	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 31

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Mr. Barringer,

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous and intoxicating liquors, and malt, brewed, or fermented liquors and vinious liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Mr. Campbell moved to take from the table

House bill No. 574 (file No. 479), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 30, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 31

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Mr. Edwards,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Roof moved to take from the table

House bill No. 651, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Ionia to borrow money for public improvements,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W.I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 29
Edwards,	Mayo,		

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Edwards moved to take from the table

House bill No. 428 (file No. 468), entitled

A bill to amend section 8 of chapter 33, being consecutive section 1465 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 86 of the public acts of 1875, approved April 16, 1875, the same being compiler's section 1501 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to "manufacture and inspection of salt."

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,
Barton,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Seymour,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	President
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 19

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Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Sharp,
Deyo,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	Wisner,
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Title agreed to.

Mr. Edwards moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 823, entitled

A bill to change the name of the village of Sandusky, in Sanilac county, to Sanilac Center.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,

Mr. Campbell,
Crosby,
Deyo,
Edwards,

Mr. Howell,
Hubbell,
Laing,

Mr. Palmer,
Post,
Potter,

Mr. Westgate,
Willits,
President
pro tem. 25

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Palmer moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 873 (file No. 462), entitled

A bill establishing a lien for labor and services upon lumber, shingles, logs, timber, cedar posts, telegraph poles, railroad ties, bark, shingle bolts, stave bolts, staves, cordwood, pulp wood, hop poles, hoop poles, veneering wood, and all other forest products, and to repeal act No. 145 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act establishing a lien for labor and services upon logs, timber, cedar posts, telegraph poles, railroad ties, tan-bark, shingle bolts and staves, and to repeal act No. 185 of the session laws of 1873, entitled 'An act establishing a lien for labor and services upon logs and timber as amended by act No. 253 of the public acts of 1879.'"

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Post moved to amend the bill as follows: By striking out of lines 13 and 14 section 6 the words "cut to the place of destination, when such place of destination is within this State," and inserting in lieu thereof the following words: "banked or deposited for shipment on the railroad, or for floatage in the stream or streams, or for transportation on the waters of this State,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,
Babcock, J.W.,
Barringer,
Barton,
Crosby,
Deyo,
Edwards,

Mr. Giddings,
Gorman,
Harshaw,
Hubbell,
Laing,
Mayo,
Moon,

Mr. O'Reilly,
Palmer,
Post,
Potter,
Rairden,
Seymour,
Sharp,

Mr. Stark,
Westgate,
Willits,
Wisner,
President
pro tem.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Palmer.

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Palmer moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 382 (file No. 91), entitled

A bill to amend section 57 of chapter 176, of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the courts of chancery, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and being compiler's section 6647 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and,

Pending its passage,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order, at the head of the calendar.

Mr. Seymour moved to take from the table.

Senate bill No. 346 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the township of Au Train in the county of Alger.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time and the question being upon its passage, it was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, J. W.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
Barton,	Laing,	Seymour,	President
Campbell,	Moon,	Stark,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 20
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Mr. Crosby.,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	3
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Title agreed to.

Mr. Westgate moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 472 (file No. 457), entitled

A bill to provide for the compulsory education of juvenile disorderly persons in cities and villages.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The bill was re-committed to the committee on education and public schools.

Mr. Deyo moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill Nos. 138 and 203 (file No. 77), entitled

A bill to amend section 2198 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relating to the protection of game.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to reconsider the vote by which the rules were suspended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on suspending the rules.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the bill be referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order at the head of the calendar next to appropriation bill.s

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 505 (file No. 411), entitled

A bill to provide for the election of a mine inspector for each county possessing mines, and to define and prescribe his duties.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	President,
Deyo,			<i>pro tem.</i> 25

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the appointment of inspectors of mines and their deputies in certain cases, to prescribe their powers and duties, and provide for their compensation.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 384, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 221 of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Detroit House of Correction, and to add one new section thereto to stand as section 8.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee on the judiciary.

Mr. Stark moved to take from the table

House bill No. 537, entitled

A bill to amend sections 15 and 20 of act No. 211 of the session laws of 1861, entitled An act to incorporate the village of Lowell, approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

The bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Mayo,	Sharp,	President
Edwards,	O'Reilly,		<i>pro tem,</i> 22

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Willits moved to take from the table

House bill No. 723, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Sturgis, in the county of St. Joseph, to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor, and to provide for the levy of taxes therein to pay the same.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

 AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

The Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Crosby moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House joint resolution No. 12 (file No. 11), entitled

Joint resolution directing the board of State auditors to settle a claim of the Northwestern Manufacturing Company of the city of Detroit, Wayne county, against the State of Michigan, for damages sustained by reason of the passage of act number 186 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to prevent deception in the manufacture and sale of dairy products and to preserve the public health."

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the joint resolution was placed on its immediate passage.

The joint resolution was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Edwards,				29

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Title and preamble agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the joint resolution was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Atwood moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 344 (file No. 186), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Flushing, in Genesee county, Michigan, to borrow money to be used in public improvements in and for the benefit of said township, and to issue bonds therefor.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Holbrook moved to amend the bill as follows :

By inserting in line 1, sec. 2, before the word "majority" the words "two thirds."

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,	28

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Mr. Holbrook,	Mayo,	2
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,
The Senate took up the order of

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 842. By Mr. Stark: Remonstrance of Jas. S. Toland, Geo. W. Hall, Chas. Gilbert, officers of school district No. 3, of Byron, and 28 others, against the formation of school district No. 9 in the township of Byron, Kent county, Michigan.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 843. By Mr. Stark: Remonstrance of Geo. C. Williams and 6 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 844. By Mr. Stark: Remonstrance of A. C. Haynes, Abram Forks and Louis Engles, officers of fractional school district No. 5 of Byron and Wyoming and 29 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 845. By Mr. Stark: Remonstrance of Jas. Ledger, Wm. G. Allen and 14 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 846. By Mr. Stark: Petition of N. W. Crocker, L. S. Hicox and J. J. Winchester, officers of school district No. 4 of Byron and 9 others on the same subject.

Same reference.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on agricultural interests:

The committee on agricultural interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 743 (file No. 473), entitled

A bill to amend sections 5 and 6 of act number 198 of the session laws of 1877, as amended by act number 283 of the session laws of 1881, and to amend the title to said original act, being an act entitled "An act to provide for a tax upon dogs, and to create a fund for the payment of certain damages for sheep killed or wounded by them in certain cases," approved May 23, 1887, the same being compiler's paragraph 2127 and 2128, chapter 61, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN HOLBROOK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on school for the blind:

The committee on school for the blind, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 247 (file No. 159), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the current expenses for the Michigan school for the blind, for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and

that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN HOLBROOK, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 384, entitled

A bill to amend act number 221, as amended, of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Detroit house of correction, and to add one new section thereto to stand as section 8.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass; and they further recommend that the title to said bill be so amended as to correspond with the enacting section of said bill, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Acting Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary to whom was referred

House bill No. 577 (file No. 413), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 193 of the compiled laws of 1871, being chapter 267 of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding four new sections thereto, relative to the sale of homesteads for the payment of debts of deceased persons and expenses of administering their estates,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Acting Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 850 (file No. 478), entitled

A bill to provide for ascertaining, adjudicating and determining who are, or were, the legal heirs, minor heirs or legal representatives of deceased persons and entitled to the lands of which said deceased died seized, and to repeal act No. 53 of the laws of Michigan, of the year 1867, approved March 13, 1867, being compiler's sections 4398, 4399 and 4400 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being sections 5990, 5991 and 5992 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to proceedings to ascertain and determine the heirs at law of deceased persons,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject:

J. W. BABCOCK, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 97 (file No. 32), entitled

A bill for the correction of frauds and mistakes in the canvass and returns made by inspectors of elections

Which the House amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the correction of frauds and mistakes in the canvass and returns made by inspectors of elections.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That any candidate voted for at any election, conceiving himself aggrieved on account of any fraud or mistake in the canvass of the votes by the inspectors of election, or in the returns made, may, on or before the close of the last day upon which the board of city canvassers meet, if a city or ward office, or district board, or the board of county canvassers meet, in all other cases, present to and file with the clerk of such board, a written petition, which shall be sworn to, setting forth, as near as may be, the error, mistakes or frauds complained of, and the township, ward or district in which they occur, and asking for a correction thereof. He shall at the same time deposit with the clerk of said board the sum of ten dollars for each and every township, ward or district referred to in his petition: *Provided*, That no candidate shall be required to deposit more than one hundred dollars, which sum shall be paid, in case such petitioner does not establish a fraud or mistake, as set forth in his petition, by the clerk of the board of city canvassers to the city treasurer for the use of the city, and by the clerk of the county or district board to the county treasurer, for the use of the county. Upon filing such petition, making such deposit and giving at least twelve hours' written notice thereof to the opposing candidate, by handing to such candidate a copy thereof, or if such candidate cannot be found, by leaving such copy at the last place of residence, it shall be the duty of such board of canvassers to proceed to make an investigation of the facts set forth in said petition. For such purpose the said board shall have power to cause the ballot boxes used in such election districts to be brought before them. The said board shall thereupon appoint a committee of their own number as follows: The said board shall designate a member who shall be the chairman of said committee, the candidate presenting such petition and the candidate opposed thereto shall each choose a member, and if such candidates or either of them decline to so choose a member, then the board shall designate, and the three thus chosen shall constitute a committee to investigate the errors, mistakes or frauds complained of. Said committee shall, in some public place, where such candidates and their counsel may be present if they so desire, without unnecessary delay proceed to open the ballot boxes from such districts, townships or wards, and to make a re-count thereof as to such candidates, and make correct and full returns in writing under their

hands to said board, showing the whole number of votes given, the names of the candidates, and the number of votes given to each, written out in words and figures as upon the ballots. Said committee, upon making such re-count, shall at once return the ballots to their respective boxes, carefully fasten and seal the same and deliver them to the officer having the care and custody thereof. Said board of canvassers, upon receiving the report of such committee, shall accept the same as correct, anything in the previous returns from such township, ward or district to the contrary notwithstanding.* Any candidate not receiving a certificate of election, may, for errors apparent upon the face of the returns, have the same examined and corrected upon *certiorari* to the circuit court of the county, according to the rules and practice applicable to such writs. In all cases where, by reason of such re-count, the petitioner succeeds in establishing a fraud or mistake, as set forth in his petition, receives a certificate of election, the money deposited by him shall be refunded. For fraudulent or illegal voting, or tampering with the ballot boxes before a re-count by the board of canvassers, the remedy by *quo warranto* shall remain in full force, together with any other remedies now existing,

And which the House re-printed as House file No. 419.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the amendments made thereto by the House be concurred in, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Acting Chairman.*

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Roof,	Wisner,	24

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* announced that the time of 2:30 o'clock P. M. had arrived, the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being for the further consideration of
Senate file No. 307, being Senate reprint of
House bill No. 660 (file No. 367), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a State marshal, and to prescribe his powers and duties.

On motion of Mr. Edwards.

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Deyo to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate file No. 307, being Senate reprint of

House bill No. 660 (file No. 367), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a State marshal, and to prescribe his powers and duties,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

CHAS. I. DEYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bill, and

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

Mr. Gorman moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators were reported absent without leave: Mr. Atwood.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

Mr. Atwood was excused from the operation of the call, which excuse was made to cover the balance of the day, and Saturday, June 18.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Mayo,	Westgate,
Edwards,	Howell,	Moon,	President
Fox,	Hubbell,	Post,	<i>pro tem.</i> 15

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Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Rairden,	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Roof,	Willits,
Crosby,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,	Wisner, 16

Mr. Edwards moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill.

Pending which,

Mr. Sharp moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table.

On which,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer, Crosby, Deyo,	Mr. Gorman, Harshaw,	Mr. O'Reilly, Rairden,	Mr. Roof, Sharp,
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Mr. Babcock, J.W., Babcock, W.I., Barton, Campbell, Edwards, Fox,	Mr. Giddings, Holbrook, Howell, Hubbell, Laing, Mayo,	Mr. Moon, Palmer, Post, Potter, Seymour, Stark,	Mr. Westgate, Willits, President <i>pro tem.</i> ,
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The motion to reconsider then prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid upon the table.

The Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table,
Senate bill No. 384, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 221, as amended, of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Detroit house of correction, and to add one new section thereto to stand as section eight.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

Mr. Edwards moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W. Babcock, W. I. Barton, Deyo, Edwards,	Mr. Fox, Gorman, Laing, Mayo,	Mr. Moon, Palmer Rairden, Roof,	Mr. Stark, Westgate, President, <i>pro tem</i>
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Mr. Barringer, Campbell, Crosby, Giddings,	Mr. Harshaw, Holbrook, Howell,	Mr. Hubbell, O'Reilly, Potter,	Mr. Seymour, Sharp, Willits,
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And the Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 18, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Deyo, Post, Potter and Wisner.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Potter for the day.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Deyo for the day and for Monday.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Post for the day.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Wisner for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 847. Mr. Barringer presented the following petition, which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

Port Huron, Mich., June 16, 1887.

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan:

We the undersigned most earnestly protest against the passage of the bill known as "A bill to tax the business of the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine and butterine," for the following reasons:

First, Oleomargarine and butterine are wholesome foods. Their manufacture being legitimate and not against public morals, should be put upon the same footing as other manufactures;

Second, Special taxation is odious and unjust. The burden of taxation should be borne by all citizens equally, according to their wealth;

Third, Oleomargarine and butterine being common articles of food should not be made expensive to the consumer by special taxation. No law or rule of political economy can tolerate a tax in favor of the producer as against the consumer. Such a law violates the most sacred principles of justice, and is a relic of the most cruel and wanton barbarism;

Fourth, The proposed law is an evident attempt to favor one class of people as against another;

Fifth, Such a law, if passed, will fail of its object, being founded on wrong and injustice.

We would regard the passage of the proposed law as one of the most vicious pieces of legislation, and respectfully ask the representatives of the people to give the matter due consideration. We do not believe it any more just to put a special tax upon the sale of oleomargarine than upon the raising and sale of wheat, or the manufacture of flour, or any common article for general consumption.

Chas. K. Dodge,
Wm. M. Cline,
John M. Kane.

Sheldon A. Wood,
Dr. M. Northup,

I object to this tax because the act of congress amply regulates, and we have too many paid agents of the State now. A. E. Chadwick.

Referred to the committee on agricultural interests.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 393, entitled

A bill to amend sec. 1 of act No. 257, session laws of 1869, entitled An act to incorporate the city of Hillsdale, approved March 8, 1869, as amended by act No. 253, session laws of 1871, approved March 31, 1871,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committees on claims and public accounts and judiciary:

The committees on claims and public accounts and judiciary, to whom was referred jointly

Senate bill No. 330, entitled

A bill to legalize the issue of bonds by the township of Billings, Gladwin county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under careful consideration and submit the following as their report thereon, viz: The bill in seeking to legalize these bonds invokes curative legislation on the part of the Legislature. It is a well established principle of jurisprudence, founded upon reason and justice, that legislation of this nature can only be had where there was a warrant of law for the matter sought to be legalized, but through some irregularity, or inadvertance in the proceedings, not affecting the essence or foundation thereof, the matter fails of its true intent. The Legislature can only intervene by a subsequent statute to cure a previous defective proceeding in order that the true intention can be carried into effect and justice and equity may be done. But it would not only be unjust, but entirely beyond the power of the Legislature to impose obligations upon persons or bodies never assumed nor assented to by them.

The facts in brief are these:

It appears that these bonds were issued to take the place of previous township orders, and it also appears that the township never authorized the issuance of said bonds or orders, nor ever thereafter ratified the issuance of the same, but that said orders and bonds were issued by certain township officers, under semblance of law, but without lawful warrant, and there is reason to believe that such issuance was a deliberate, premeditated, fraudulent transaction on the part of such officers, whereby many persons were deceived and suffered grievous loss, and a reproach brought upon the good name and fame of the township of Billings, and the law abiding citizens thereof. We cannot too strongly stigmatize the infamous action of the officers of this township and those conspiring with them to foist upon the community an illegal issue of bonds, ostensibly a security "upon the faith and credit of the township of Billings, and the property thereof," and though duly signed and sealed in effect nothing but counterfeits. Hence any legislation in the premises would be a mere perfunctory act on the part of the Legislature, and its only effect, if any, an evil. We

therefore recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. I. BABCOCK,
Chairman of Committee on Claims and Public Acts.
JAY A. HUBBELL,
Chairman Judiciary Committee.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The further consideration of the bill was indefinitely postponed.

By the committee on military affairs :

The committee on military affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 915 (file No. 466), entitled

A bill to provide for the organization, arming, and duties of independent military companies, and the commissioning the officers thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 854 (file No. 480), entitled

A bill to provide for keeping clear of obstructions, open and in good condition and repair all ditches in this State constructed under the authority of the board of control, having charge of the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of State roads and ditches, or ditches constructed by aid of State swamp lands,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 17, 1887. }

To the Senate :

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State :

Senate bill No. 445 (file No 280), being

An act to provide additional fire protection at the Michigan Soldiers' Home and the making of necessary repairs at said Home, and to make an appropriation therefor, and to determine the method of treating and disposing of part of an appropriation provided for by act No. 102 of the present session of the Legislature, approved May 12, 1887.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was laid upon the table.

The President also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 17, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 296 (file No. 274), being

An act authorizing the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of lands for the improvement of Falls Creek, in the county of Alpena.

Also,

Senate bill No. 171 (file No. 54), being

An act to prohibit the selling, furnishing, or giving of any spirituous, malt, fermented or vinous liquors to any inmate of the Michigan Soldiers' Home.

Also,

Senate bill No. 356 (file No. 244), being

An act to amend section 16 of local act No. 316 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the public schools of the township of Maple Ridge, Alpena county."

Also,

Senate bill 359 (file No. 277), being

An act to provide for the incorporation of the Michigan business men's association, and auxiliary associations.

Also,

Senate bill No. 251, being

An act to amend sec. 1 of act No. 330 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Au Sable, in Iosco county," approved April 24, 1885.

Also,

Senate bill No. 489 (file No. 256), being

An act to authorize the townships of Wisner and Gilford, in the county of Tuscola, to borrow money for the construction of a drain in said townships and to issue bonds therefor.

Also,

Senate bill No. 226 (file No. 241), being

An act to amend sec. 20 of chap. 249 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's sec. 9296 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to offenses against chastity, morality and decency.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

The message was laid upon the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 16, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, of chapter 12 of

act No. 164, laws of 1881, and section 4, same chapter and act, as amended by act No. 93, laws of 1883, relating to the examination of teachers and supervision of schools; also, to amend section 3 of chapter 4, and section 2 of chapter 5 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, relating to the duties of township clerks and county clerks concerning school reports,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

1. By striking out all of sec. 1, and inserting the following to stand as section 1:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 3 of chapter 4, sec. 2 of chapter 5, and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 12 of act No. 164 of the public acts of 1881, entitled An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act, approved May 21, 1881, the same being compiler's sections 5080, 5101, 5150, 5151, 5152, 5153, 5154, 5158, 5159, 5160, 5161, 5162 of Howell's annotated statutes as amended by act No. 93 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 16, 1883, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

2. Amend the bill by reconstructing it so that the amendment to chapter 4 shall come first. and amendments to chapter 5 second, and amendments to chapter 12 third.

3. Amend chapter 12 of the bill, recited section 1, line 3, by inserting after the word "elect" the words "by ballot."

4. Amend chapter 12 of the bill, section 3, line 3, by striking out after the word "the" the words "last Friday's" and insert in lieu thereof the words "first Thursday's."

5. Amend chapter 12, section 4, by adding the following at the end of said section: "*Provided*, That all examination questions shall be prepared and furnished by the superintendent of public instruction to said secretary under seal, to be opened before the applicant for certificates on the day of examination."

6. Amend chapter 12, section 5, line 5, by inserting after the word "years" the following: "*Provided*. That no first grade certificate shall be valid in any county other than that in which it was issued unless a copy of said certificate is filed with the secretary of the county board of examiners of the county in which the holder of said certificate desires to teach."

7. Amend chapter 12, section 5, line 5, by striking out the words "county in and for which it shall be given," and inserting in lieu thereof the word, "state."

8. Amend chapter 12, section 11, line 6, by inserting after the word "act" the following: "*Provided*, In counties having thirty districts or less such compensation shall not exceed three hundred dollars per annum; in counties having more than thirty districts such compensation shall be, not to exceed at the rate of ten for each district coming under the provisions of this act;,"

9. Amend chapter 12, section 11, line 9, by striking out the words "less than three hundred nor;,"

10. Amend chapter 12, section 11, line 12, by striking out the word "four" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three;,"

11. Amend chapter 12, section 11, line 12, by inserting after the word "day," the following: "*Provided*, That the number of days so employed shall not exceed thirty, in any one year."

12. Amend chapter 12, section 11, line 23, by inserting after the manuscript word "annum," the following, "but no traveling fees shall be allowed

to the secretary or any member of the board of examiners or to any assistant visitors."

13. Amend chapter 12, section 11, line 27, by inserting after the word "law," the following: *Provided*, said chairman shall not receive to exceed two dollars for each school district in the township."

14. Amend chapter 12, section 12, line 9, by striking out after the word "vacancy" the following words, "for the unexpired portion of the term," and inserting in lieu thereof the following words, "until the first Tuesday in August after his appointment, at which time an examiner shall be elected, to fill the unexpired term, by the chairmen of the boards of school inspectors of the several townships in the county."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title of the bill so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 4 section 2 of chapter 5 and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 12 of act No. 164 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act" approved May 21, 1881, the same being compiler's sections 5080, 5101, 5150, 5151, 5152, 5153, 5154, 5158, 5159, 5160, 5161 and 5162, of Howell's annotated statutes as amended by act No. 93 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 16, 1883.

In the passage of which, as thus amended, and with the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Pending concurrence in the amendments made by the House,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was recommitted to the committee on education and public schools.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 286, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Garfield, in the county of Grand Traverse, and attach the same to the township of Traverse, in said county,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on counties and townships.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 797 (file No. 429), entitled

A bill to prohibit fishing with nets, excepting dip nets, in any of the lakes, bays, bayous, harbors or streams of Muskegon county, in this State.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on fisheries.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

Senate bill No. 484 (file No. 272), entitled

A bill to detach the county of Gladwin from the 21st judicial circuit and attach the same to the 18th judicial circuit,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 916 (file No. 474), entitled

A bill to regulate and govern the State House of Correction and branch of the State prison in the Upper Peninsula,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on house of correction and branch of State prison at Marquette.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Crosby moved to take from the table

House bill No. 869 (file No. 470), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 90 of the session laws of 1853, entitled An act to amend the laws relative to supplying the city of Detroit with pure and wholesome water and to provide for the completion and management of the Detroit water works, approved Feb. 14, 1853, as amended by act No. 359 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 12, 1873,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the members present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Bairden,	
Babcock, W.I.	Fox,	Laing,	Roof,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Seymour	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Willits,	24

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Howell moved to take from the order of unfinished business,

The title and enacting clause of

House bill No. 518 (file No. 178), entitled,

A bill to provide for the registration of physicians and surgeons and to protect the people of the State of Michigan from empiricism and quackery and to repeal act No. 167 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to promote public health,"

For which the committee on public health reported a substitute, entitled

A bill to amend sections two and three of act No. 167 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to promote public health," approved June 6, 1883,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the substitute,

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Bairden,
Babcock, W.I.	Fox,	Monroe,	Roof,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,

Mr. Barton,
Campbell,
Crosby,

Mr. Gorman,
Holbrook,

Mr. O'Reilly,
Palmer,

Mr. Westgate,
Willits,

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Gorman moved to take from the table,
House bill No. 251 (file No. 98), entitled

A bill to amend section 22 of chapter 7 of act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883, entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. O'Reilly moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out the following amendments made by the committee on the judiciary:

Amend section 22 in line 4 by inserting after the word "installments," the following words, viz:

"*Provided*, That the qualified electors of said city shall determine as hereinafter provided, that the annual compensation of each member of said board of aldermen shall be the sum of six hundred dollar.."

Amend section 22 by adding thereto the following matter, viz:

"At the next general election to be held in said city there shall be provided at the expense of said city a certain ballot upon which shall be printed or written in plain, legible English the words, viz: "Shall the members of the board of aldermen each receive an annual compensation of six hundred dollars, Yes;" and also a certain other ballot upon which shall be printed or written in like manner the words, viz: "Shall the members of the board of aldermen each receive an annual compensation of six hundred dollars, No."

There shall also be provided at the expense of the city a ballot box for each voting precinct therein, upon which shall be printed or written in good sized, plain, legible English the following words, viz: "Compensation of board of aldermen."

At said general election it shall be the duty of the clerk of said city to see that each voting precinct therein is furnished with one of said ballot boxes and also as many of such ballots as may be necessary for the use of the qualified electors of said precinct.

Each qualified elector of said city shall be entitled to vote at such election either for or against allowing said compensation. And the ballots so cast in each precinct of said city shall be securely kept during said election day, and at the end thereof shall be canvassed by the proper canvassing officers, and a record thereof made by them, in like manner as votes cast for municipal officers of said city are canvassed, and a record thereof made. Said votes and the record thereof shall then be taken care of and kept in manner, and for such time, as the votes cast for municipal officers of said city, and the record thereof, are taken care of and kept.

If a majority of the votes so cast are in favor of the compensation aforesaid, then in that case, after the same shall have been officially ascertained

and announced, the members of the board of aldermen and their successors in office shall each receive compensation for their services at the rate of six hundred dollars per annum for the time each shall serve as a member of said board.

But in case the votes so cast are against said compensation of six hundred dollars per annum, then and in that case, anything in this act contained shall not have the effect of raising said compensation to said amount.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. O'Reilly,	
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Howell,	Palmer,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	
Barton,	Gorman,	Laing,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Stark,	
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Mr. Roof,	Mr. Willits,	2
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take effect July 1, 1887.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the order of unfinished business Senate bill No. 384, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 221, as amended, of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Detroit house of correction, and to add one new section thereto to stand as section eight,

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill as follows, by adding the following to the bill:

And provided further, That such contracts shall be conditioned that no prisoners shall be kept or retained in any of the penal institutions of this State in any case where room is needed for prisoner or prisoners sentenced to any such institution by any court of this State,

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Willits,	
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	Roof,		7

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Mr. Barton,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Monroe	Mr. Seymour,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Fox,	Laing,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Giddings,	Mayo,	Rairden,		19

Mr. Palmer moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Pending which,

Mr. Edwards moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table,

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay upon the table then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Moon,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Mayo,	Stark,
Edwards,			

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Westgate,
Fox,	Monroe,	Roof,	Willits,
Giddings,			

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The question recurring on the motion to reconsider,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Willits,
Giddings,			

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Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Edwards	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Monroe,	Seymour,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Stark,
Campbell,	Laing,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,

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Mr. Campbell moved to take from the table

House bill No. 408 (file No. 435), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Kawkawlin and attach the same to the township of Bangor, in Bay county,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was referred to the committee on counties and townships.

Mr. J. W. Babcock offered the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, It is made to appear to the Senate and House of Representatives that Selah Reeve, on December 14, 1853, located, entered and paid for and became the holder and rightful owner of State land certificate number 1239, and that he paid in full for the land in said certificate described;

AND WHEREAS, It appears that said Selah Reeve has conveyed the lands described in said certificate to sundry persons;

AND WHEREAS, It appears that said certificate is lost. Therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That the commissioner of the State land office be and he is hereby authorized to issue in the name of the said Selah Reeve, a duplicate certificate in place and stead of said certifi-

cate No. 1239 covering the following lands, to-wit : The east half of the southwest quarter, the southwest fractional quarter of the northwest quarter, the west half of the southwest quarter and the southwest quarter of section 31, in township 12 north, of range 15 east, being the same land mentioned and described in said original certificate No. 1239.

And be it further resolved, That the Governor of the State be and he is authorized upon presentation to him of said duplicate certificate to sign and cause to be issued to said Selah Reeve a patent for the lands described therein whenever such certificate shall be presented to him with the certificate of the commissioner of State land office endorsed thereon, certifying that the principal and interest as well as all taxes and charges due to the State upon said land have been paid.

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The concurrent resolution was then adopted, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Seymour,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Edwards,	Laing,			26

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Mr. Sharp moved to take from the table

House bill No. 393, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 257, session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Hillsdale, approved March 8, 1869, as amended by act No. 253, session laws of 1871, approved March 31, 1871,"

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Monroe offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That hereafter all speeches on any motion, resolution, or bill shall be limited to five minutes, except chairmen of committees or the introducer of the motion, resolution, or bill, who shall be limited to ten minutes.

On which,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

Pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Holbrook moved to lay the resolution on the table.

On which

Mr. Gorman demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Mayo,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Sharp,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Stark,

Mr. Campbell, Crosby, Edwards,	Mr. Holbrook, Howell, Hubbell,	Mr. O'Reilly, Palmer, Rairden,	Mr. Westgate, Willits,	27
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The resolution was then adopted by yeas and nays as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I., Barringer, Barton, Crosby, Gorman,	Mr. Harshaw, Holbrook, Howell, Mayo, Monroe,	Mr. Moon, O'Reilly, Palmer, Rairden,	Mr. Roof, Seymour, Stark, Willits,	18
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Mr. Babcock, J. W., Campbell,	Mr. Edwards, Fox,	Mr. Giddings, Laing,	Mr. Sharp, Westgate,	8
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By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred House bill No. 571 (file No. 394), entitled

A bill to provide for the publication of names and postoffice addresses of ex-soldiers, sailors and mariners living in the State of Michigan, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 247 (file No. 159), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the current expenses for the Michigan school for the blind for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

It was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Mayo,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Sharp,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Stark,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Willits,
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the title as follows:

By adding to the title the following words: "And to repeal an act entitled 'an act making an appropriation for the support of the Michigan school for the blind for the years 1887 and 1888,' approved May 21, 1887,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 260 (file No. 245,) entitled

A bill to provide for the locating, erection, organization and management of an asylum for the dangerous and criminal insane.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Edwards moved to take from the table

House bill No. 301 (file No. 412), entitled

A bill authorizing the common council of the city of Port Huron to make a re-assessment to defray the expense of a public improvement on Pine Grove Avenue, a street in said city, from Suffern street to the northern limits of said city, being the pavement of said street, and to legalize previous acts of the common council in reference thereto,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Barton,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Seymour,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Sharp,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Edwards,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Fox,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barringer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Willits moved to take from the order of third reading of bills

House bill No. 723, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Sturgis, in the county of St. Joseph, to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor and to provide for the levy of taxes therein to pay the same,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Roof,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Seymour,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Willits,
Edwards,	Hubbell,		

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (The Senate concurring), that from and after June 15th, A. D. 1887, the two houses will transact no other business than for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the approval of the Governor, and the entry of the same on the Journal by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House, and the time of final adjournment of the Legislature shall be Saturday, June 18th, at 12 m. of that day,

Which motion prevailed.

The question pending being the motion to amend by changing the dates from June 15 and June 18 to June 22 and June 25.

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the amendment by making the dates June 24 and June 29.

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend the amendment then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,
Barringer.	Gorman,	Mayo,	Seymour,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Monroe,	Sharp,

Mr. Crosby, Edwards, Fox,	Mr. Holbrook, Howell, Hubbell,	Mr. Moon, O'Reilly, Palmer,	Mr. Stark, Westgate, Willits,	24
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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Roof,	3
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The motion to amend as amended then prevailed.

The Senate then concurred in the adoption of the concurrent resolution as amended.

Mr. Campbell moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 449, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a stenographer for the 18th judicial circuit,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The bill was referred to the committee on the judiciary.

Mr. Palmer asked and obtained leave of absence for himself for the balance of the day.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem*.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Westgate to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 397 (file No. 353), entitled

A bill to provide for an independent forestry commission of the State of Michigan, and to define its duties and powers, and to provide for the expense thereof.

House bills No. 138 and 203 (file No. 77), entitled

A bill to amend section 2198 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relating to the protection of game.

Senate bill No. 443 (file No. 216), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 3 of title 9 of Howell's annotated statutes, entitled "Of highways, bridges, private roads and ferries," by adding thereto three new sections, to stand as sections 16, 17 and 18.

Senate bill No. 303 (file No. 288), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of act No. 9 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a commissioner of mineral statistics, and defining the duties and compensation of the same, as amended by act No. 74 of the session laws of 1883."

Senate bill No. 252 (file No. 63), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the township of Sanborn, in the county of Alpena.

Senate bill No. 84 (file No. 166), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 237 of the laws of 1881, entitled, "An act to authorize and regulate within this State the business of plate glass, accident, live stock, steam boiler and fidelity insurance, and to repeal acts Nos. 42 and 72 of the session laws of 1877," approved June 3, 1881, being section 4325 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Senate joint resolution No. 27 (file No. 8), entitled

Joint resolution declaring forfeited all the uncertified lands within the limits of the Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagan railroad land grant, together with all the lands certified or uncertified, which lie opposite the uncompleted section of said railroad, extending from L'Anse to Ontonagon, and authorizing the railroad board of control to confer said lands and all the rights, franchises, powers and privileges which were granted to the State of Michigan by the United States, to aid in the construction of a railroad from Marquette to Ontonagon, in said State, upon some other competent company.

Senate bill No. 139 (file No. 293), entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3 (as amended by act number 22 of the session laws of 1883) and 5 of act number 127 of the session laws of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for inspection of illuminating oils manufactured from petroleum or coal oils, and to repeal act number 181 of the session laws of 1875, approved May 1, 1875, and act number 196 of the session laws of 1877, approved May 22, 1877, being sections 1538, 1539, and 1541, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 95 (file No. 300), entitled

A bill to amend section 2, act 148, session laws of 1869, being section 1756 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended in act No. 261, session laws of 1881, relative to the appointment of superintendents of the poor,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 295 (file No. 295), entitled

A bill authorizing the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to improve Norwegian Creek, in the township of Alpena, in the county of Alpena.

Senate bill No. 380 (file No. 290), entitled

A bill in relation to the manufacture and sale of vinegar,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 216 (file No. 103), entitled

A bill to incorporate and to govern mutual fire, marine, and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Michigan,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the further consideration of the bill be made the special order for Wednesday, June 22, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill, and the further consideration of the same was made the special order for June 22, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 178 (file No. 443), entitled

A bill to preserve the purity of elections and guard against abuses of the elective franchise,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The further consideration of the bill was made the special order for Tuesday, June 21, at 10:30 o'clock.

By Mr. Hubbell, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 449, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a stenographer for the eighteenth judicial circuit,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills, at the head of the calendar.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

1. Senate bill No. 79 (file No. 31), entitled

A bill to regulate the management of freight transportation companies, and to prohibit unjust discrimination by common carriers.

2. Senate bill No. 41 (file No. 30), entitled

A bill to regulate freight tariff, and to prevent unjust discrimination in the charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of freights upon the railroads in this State.

3. Senate bill No. 223, entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," as amended by act No. 116, session laws of 1883, being section 3323 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The bills were laid on the table.

By the committee on fisheries:

The committee on fisheries, to whom was referred

House bill No. 235 (file No. 352), entitled

A bill to protect fish and regulate fishing in the lakes, rivers and streams, within and bordering the State, by providing close seasons for fishing, prohibiting the sale of certain kinds of fish, to protect persons engaged in fish culture, and to repeal sections 5, 6 and 9 of act No. 350 of the session laws of 1865, approved March 21, 1865; act No. 211 of the session laws of 1865, approved March 16, 1865; act No. 80 of the session laws of 1869, approved March 30, 1869; act No. 104 of the public acts of 1877, approved May 9, 1877; act No. 276 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 11, 1881; act No. 5 of the public acts of 1883, approved February 21, 1883; act No. 55 of the public acts of 1883, approved April 27, 1883; act No. 184 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 8, 1883.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on fisheries:

The committee on fisheries, to whom was referred

House bill No. 797 (file No. 429), entitled

A bill to prohibit fishing with nets (except dip nets) in any of the lakes, bays, bayous, harbors or streams of Muskegon county, in this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and

have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on military affairs:

The committee on military affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 636 (file 276), entitled

A bill to organize a medical corps of the Michigan State troops,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

PERRY MAYO, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee, and

The bill was ordered printed in the journal, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

The following is the bill:

House bill No. 656 (file No. 276), entitled

A bill to organize a medical corps of the Michigan State troops.

[As amended by Senate committee.]

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That the following officers of the Michigan State troops now in the service shall constitute and be known as the medical corps of the Michigan State troops, viz:

SEC. 2. Appointments of medical officers to serve with the Michigan State troops shall be made by the commander-in-chief on the recommendation of the commander of the brigade, regiment or battalion in which the applicant is to serve, and on the recommendation of a board of three medical officers of the Michigan State troops; said board to be appointed by the brigade commander.

SEC. 3. The number of medical officers and enlisted men in the corps shall be as follows: One surgeon, with rank of lieutenant colonel, for each brigade; one surgeon with rank of major, and one assistant surgeon, with rank of captain, for each minimum regiment in the service of the State, and an additional assistant surgeon, with rank of first lieutenant, for all regiments of over 800 officers and men, and an additional assistant surgeon, with rank of first lieutenant, for each battalion of three or more companies, and two assistant surgeons, with rank as captain, for four or more companies not organized as a regiment; two hospital stewards for each regiment, and a hospital steward for each organized battalion not included in a regiment.

SEC. 4. Hospital stewards shall be appointed from among the enlisted men by the senior officer of the corps, on the recommendation of a surgeon or assistant surgeon of said corps, [and endorsed by colonel of the regiment or commanding officer of the battalion requiring the same.]

SEC. 5. All medical officers and enlisted men in the medical corps shall be assigned to duty by the general commanding, on the recommendation of the senior officer of the medical corps.

Add a new section.

[SEC. 6. This act shall in no wise be construed to increase the expense of the department without a corresponding increase by law of the number of troops in the service.]

[SEC. 6.] All acts, rules or regulations conflicting with this act are hereby repealed.

Mr. Sharp moved that

House bill No. 291 (file No. 282), entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which insurance companies not organized under the laws of this State, but doing business within it, shall transact their business.

And the proposed Senate substitute therefor being

Senate file No. 306, entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which corporations or companies organized under the laws of this State, or not organized under such laws, but doing business within this State, shall transact their business.

Be made the special order for Wednesday, June 22, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.,

On which

Mr. Westgate demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, two-thirds of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Stark,
Edwards,			

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Roof,
Barton,	Fox,	Laing,	Westgate,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The Senate went into

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EXECUTIVE SESSION,

With open doors,

The time being 5:05 o'clock P. M.

The executive session closed,

The time being 5:10 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Sharp moved that the further consideration of

House bill No. 291 (file No. 306), entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which insurance companies, not organized under the laws of this State, but doing business within it, shall transact their business.

And the proposed Senate substitute therefor being

Senate file No. 306, entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which corporations or companies organized under the laws of this State, or not organized under such laws, but doing business within this State, shall transact their businesses,

Be made the special order for Wednesday, June 22, at 9:30 o'clock A. M.,

Pending which

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend by making the time Monday, June 20, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.,

Which motion prevailed.

The motion, as amended, then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Holbrook.	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.	Edwards,	Howell,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Fox,	Hubbell,	Stark,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Harshaw.	O'Reilly,		19

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Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,	2
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Mr. Harshaw moved that

House bill No. 366 (file No. 133), entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road to connect the Bay City, Au Sable and Alpena State road with the Tawas and Manistee State road, in the counties of Arenac, Iosco and Ogemaw,

Be taken from the order of third reading of bills and placed upon its immediate passage,

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 20, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Atwood, Gorman, Howell, Moon, Palmer, Post, Roof and Willits.

Mr. Hubbell moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators were reported absent without leave: Messrs. Atwood, Gorman, Howell, Moon, Palmer, Post, Roof and Willits.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Howell for the day.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Atwood and Roof for the day.

Mr. Crosby moved that

Leave of absence be granted all absentees for the day.

On which,

Mr. Crosby demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Fox,	Mayo,	Stark,
Barton,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	19

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Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Sharp,	4
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And all further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

Mr. Seymour moved that

Leave of absence be granted to himself after Tuesday, June 21, for the balance of the session,

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Hubbell moved that

Indefinite leave of absence be granted to himself after Wednesday, June 22.

Which motion did not prevail.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon the President called Mr. Crosby to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: Senate bill No. 82 (file No. 301), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 42 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, being annotator's section number 1756 relative to the support and maintenance of the poor by counties.

Senate bill No. 259 (file No. 130), entitled

A bill to establish, protect and enforce the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for the erection, altering, repairing or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures; and to repeal act No. 258 of the session laws of 1879; and all acts amendatory thereof, relating to mechanics' liens,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

1. Senate bill No. 362 (file No. 303), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of Alpena county to issue bonds for the purpose of raising money to improve the highways leading from the city of Alpena to the several townships in said county.

2. Senate bill No. 113 (file No. 289), entitled

A bill to prevent the selling, giving away, or in any other way, furnishing tobacco in any form to minors under the age of sixteen years.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman

to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 327 (file No. 302), entitled

A bill to preserve evidence of error or fraud in election returns and the count of the board of canvassers,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the same be laid upon the table.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending the adoption of the report,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

The question at the time of taking a recess being the adoption of the report of the committee of the whole,

The first named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the first named of the amended bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Pending concurrence in the amendments made to the second named amended bill,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded a division of the question.

The question being on the amendment inserting in line 3, after the word "years" the words "or minister of the Gospel, or teacher in the public schools,"

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred in the amendment by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,	
Burton,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Mayo,	Sharp,		11

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Howell,			10

The question being on concurring in the amendment inserting after the word "jail" the words "or Detroit house of correction,"

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred in the amendment by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,			

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Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,
Edwards,	Holbrook,	Monroe,	Westgate,

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On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The Senate concurred in the balance of the amendments made to the bill and the bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill, and the same was laid upon the table.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

House bill No. 709 (file No. 277), entitled

A bill to require railroad companies to give notice at stations whether passenger trains are on schedule time or not,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

House bill No. 453 (file No. 340), entitled

A bill to provide for the payment of damages by corporations for the loss of life by the carelessness or neglect of corporations or their employees,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that it be referred to the judiciary committee and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The bill was referred to the committee on the judiciary.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 408 (file No. 435), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Kawkawlin and attach the same to the township of Bangor in Bay county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the same do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Acting Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,
The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on State prison at Marquette:

The committee on State prison at Marquette, to whom was referred
House bill No. 916 (file No. 474), entitled

A bill to regulate and govern the State house of correction and branch of the State prison in the upper peninsula,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and with the recommendation that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. S. LAING, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Laing,
The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred
House bill No. 230 (file No. 238), entitled

A bill to amend section 29 of act No. 232 of the session laws of 1885, entitled An act to revise the laws to provide for the incorporation of all manufacturing companies, except such as are contemplated by act No. 42 of the session laws of 1867, which provides for the incorporation of persons or corporations engaged in the manufacture of salt, and mercantile companies, or any union of the two, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations, by providing for joint suits against the corporation, and any or all of the stockholders for labor debts,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,
The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 278, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Sault St. Marie and to repeal an act entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Sault Ste. Marie," approved May 29, 1879, as amended.

2. Senate bill No. 76, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 6 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the circuit court for the county of Saginaw," approved May 7, 1881, being sections 6527, 6528 and 6530 of Howell's annotated statutes and to add a new section to said act to stand as section 13.

3. Senate bill No. 471, entitled,

A bill to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business.

4. Senate bill No. 117, entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 3 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto, approved June 20, 1885.

5. Senate bill No. 126 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to prevent crime and punish truancy.

6. Senate bill No. 405 entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the employment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the circuit court for the county of Kent, State of Michigan, being act No. 133 of the public acts of the Legislature of the year 1877, and being compiler's sections 6512 to 6522, inclusive, of Howell's annotated statutes of this State:

7. Senate bill No. 228 (file No. 136), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for completing and furnishing the attics of the Northern Michigan Asylum for the Insane and building a detached cottage therefor.

8. Senate bill No. 490 (file No. 228), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Porter, in the county of Midland, State of Michigan, to borrow money for the payment of the outstanding township and highway orders, or other indebtedness, and issue its bonds therefor.

9. Senate bill No. 210 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 5 and 6 of act No. 200 of the public acts of 1885, entitled, "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons," approved March 17, 1885.

10. House bill No. 445, entitled

A bill to provide additional fire protection at the Michigan soldiers' home, and the making of necessary repairs at said home, and to make an appropriation therefor, and to determine the method of treating and disposing of part of an appropriation provided for by act No. 102 of the present session of the Legislature, approved May 12, 1887,

11. Senate bill No. 484 (file No. 272), entitled

A bill to detach the county of Gladwin from the 21st judicial circuit and attach the same to the 18th judicial circuit.

12. Senate bill No. 97 (file No. 32), entitled

A bill to provide for the correction of frauds and mistakes in the canvass and returns made by inspectors of elections.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 18, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 286 (file No. 232), being

An act to provide for the improvement and maintenance of highways, and the repairing and preservation of bridges within the State, and to repeal act No. 57 of the public acts of 1885, and all acts inconsistent with this act.

Also,

Senate bill No. 107 (file No. 226), being

An act to amend section 10 of chapter 2 of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," as amended, being section 877 of Howell's annotated statutes.

O. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

The message was laid upon the table.

The President also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 18, 1887. }

To the Senate :

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 225 (file No. 184), being

An act to organize corporations for the purpose of carrying on the business of buying, selling and breeding cattle, sheep and horses, and also the power to acquire and hold title to lands necessary for the carrying on of such business.

Also,

Senate bill No. 89 (file No. 240), being

An act to prevent gambling in stocks, bonds, petroleum, cotton, grain, provisions and other produce.

Also,

Senate joint resolution No. 24 (file No. 7), being

Joint resolution for the relief of Livonia B. Perrine.

O. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

The message was laid upon the table.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 836 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to prohibit unjust and oppressive agreements in leases and licenses and other instruments or conveyances hereafter granted for mining iron ore, and to protect and secure lessees, licensees, grantees, or vendees in such leases, license, or other instruments of conveyances from the operation and effect of such agreements, and to define the rights, duties and liabilities of the parties to such leases, licenses and other instruments and conveyances.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading.

Mr. Seymour moved that indefinite leave of absence be granted to himself after Wednesday, June 22.

Pending which

The President announced that the time of 2:30 o'clock P. M. had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being for the further consideration of

House bill No. 291 (file No. 306), entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which insurance companies, not organized

under the laws of this State, but doing business within it, shall transact their business.

And the proposed Senate substitute therefor being
Senate file No. 306, entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which corporations or companies organized under the laws of this State, or not organized under such laws, but doing business within this State, shall transact their business.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Seymour to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 291 (file No. 282), entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which insurance companies not organized under the laws of this State, but doing business within it, shall transact their business,

And the proposed Senate substitute therefor being
Senate file No. 306, entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which corporations or companies organized under the laws of this State, or not organized under such laws, but doing business within this State, shall transact their business.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the bill back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman.*

The report was accepted and committee discharged.

The above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

The question pending at the time of going into committee of the whole being on the motion of Mr. Seymour for indefinite leave of absence,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Westgate,	
Fox,	Laing,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,		19

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	
Babcock, W.I.,				5

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order.

Whereupon the President called Mr. Harshaw to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: Senate bill No. 408 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to repeal act 376 of the local acts of 1885, entitled An act to define and constitute school districts Nos. 1 and 4 in the township of Rich, Lapeer county.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 343 (file No. 284), entitled

A bill to amend "An act to provide for the payment of the salaries of State officers," being compiler's section 339 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to salaries of State officers, deputies and clerks.

Have made sundry amendments thereto and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 157 (file No. 283), entitled

A bill in relation to conspiracy and unlawful agreements and acts against public policy in certain cases.

Senate bill No. 140 (file No. 265), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 11 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to prohibit any person from obstructing the regular operations and conduct of the business of railroad companies or other corporations, firms or individuals," approved February 14, 1877, being sections 9274, 9275 and 9276 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bills be laid upon the table.

ANDREW HARSHAW, *Chairman.*

The President *pro tem* having taken the chair,

The report was accepted and committee discharged.

The first named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made to the second named bill,

Mr. Deyo demanded a division of the question so that the amendment adding to the bill the following words "and provided further that the number of clerks in the office of the State Board of Health shall not exceed five" could be acted upon separately,

On which

Mr. Mayo demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Campbell,			

NAYS.

Mr. Deyo,
Edwards,
Howell,

Mr. Laing,
Palmer,

Mr. Potter,
Seymour,

Mr. Westgate,
President
pro tem., 9

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The Senate concurred in the balance of the amendments made to the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills,

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bills, and the same were laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 21, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9:30 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Riley.

Roll called: a quorum present.

No. 847. Mr. Deyo presented the following petition which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

We, the undersigned citizens of Oakland county, Michigan, do respectfully petition and request our senator and representatives in the State Legislature, to use their best influence to secure the passage of Senate bill No. 222 (file No. 198), being a bill to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the house of the good shepherd at Detroit, on the application of their parents or guardians at the time of their conviction.

Dated Pontiac, June 16, 1887.

Daniel Morrison, *Register of Deeds.*

Fred Wieland, *County Clerk.*

James A. Jacokes, *Ex-judge of Probate.*

Arthur R. Tripp, *Prosecuting Attorney.*

John Fitz Patrick, *Ex-county Clerk.*

Joseph S. Stockwell.

Ferris S. Fitch, *Sup't of Pontiac High School.*

Peter B. Bromley, *Circuit Court Commissioner.*

John Chase.

Thomas S. Patterson, *Judge of Probate.*

J. H. O'Brien.

Fred Ven Hooven, *City Clerk.*

Aaron Perry.

Jno. D. Norton, *President First National Bank.*

James H. Lynch, *Circuit Court Commissioner.*

Fred Herrington, *Deputy County Clerk.*

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

No. 848. By Mr. Potter: Petition of Frank McDerby, Geo. W. Francis, Frank C. Boise and 40 other business men and firms of Nashville, asking for the passage of House bill No. 368, known as the Rogers freight bill.

On motion of Mr. Potter,

The petition was ordered spread at length upon the journal.

The following is the petition:

Nashville, Mich., June 16, 1887.

To the Hon. George N. Potter, Senator of the 13th District:

We, the citizens of the village of Nashville, Barry county, and State of Michigan, do most humbly request that you use all your energies to secure the passage of the Rogers freight bill No. 368. We consider this bill as the best legislation ever offered for the equalization of freights carried by the railroads of this State. In our opinion this bill will secure for the people at non-competing points protection against these grasping monopolies. We consider that this bill advocates our principles and will operate in our favor, and promotion of business.

Very respectfully yours.

Referred to the committee on railroads.

No. 849. Mr. Monroe presented the following petition which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

Fennville, Mich., June 11, 1887.

To the Hon. C. J. Monroe, Lansing, Mich:

HON. SIR—As master workman and recording secretary of L. A. 9443, K. of L., Fennville, Allegan county, Mich., representing nearly *one hundred votes*, we respectfully request that you favor the Grenell purity of election bill.

Yours very truly,

E. E. COONS, M. W.

EDW. M. WILLIAMS, R. S.

Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

No. 850. By Mr. Howell: Petition of J. E. Jacklin and 10 others asking for the passage of House file No. 368 for the equalization of railroad freights

Referred to the committee on railroads.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

Your committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 13 (file No. 162), entitled

A bill to equalize State bounties to volunteers in the late war of the rebellion,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under careful and earnest consideration and report thereon as follows:

It will be easily understood by every Senator that the proposition of this bill is gigantic. Its title indicates in truth that it is an appropriation bill, and he who undertakes to estimate or approximate the figures of the appropriation necessary to carry out the terms of the bill will find them such as was never contained in any other bill of this session or of any other session of the Michigan Legislature since its organization, excepting only bills on the same subject as they have appeared at former sessions.

When the State of Michigan commenced to build its capitol it was regarded

as a large undertaking, and public sentiment was years in working up to such an outlay of money; but the expenditure contemplated by this bill would build five capitol buildings like this, of which we are so proud. Well, then, does it become us as custodians of the public purse and guardians of the large number of small tax-payers of this State, to ask: Why should such an expenditure be thought of?

It is true that deep down in the heart of every loyal citizen there is a feeling of reverence for that man who, twenty-five years ago, endured the hardships of war. In every walk of life this feeling crops out and is apparent, and in all relations, civil and political, it comes to the surface; naturally we do the soldier honor.

Certainly every member of this Legislature would be proud to record his name as voting to equalize the bounties paid the soldiers in the late war of the rebellion, up to the maximum sum received by anyone. It is equally true that every Legislature for twenty years has been confronted with this proposition, and that every member has heartily wished that he might vote for it, and that the same reason that has prevented each of those Legislatures from voting for such a bill, should also prevent us. What is that reason? To answer this question let us first ask: What claim have the old soldiers for the money? Does the State owe it as a matter of justice or equity, or does the State owe it inferentially and morally, or is the question only one of philanthropy and patriotism? To find an answer to these questions is to dispose of the case; in fact if the first question is answered in the affirmative, if the State justly owes this money let us proceed to pay it. This question was asked February 16th by the House, of the Adjutant General.

Did the State during the years 1862, 1863, 1864 or 1865, make certain promises to pay certain bounties to parties who would enlist in the Union army, but failed to fulfill their promises?

And his answer of Feb. 18, 1887, was as follows:

A careful examination of the orders and letters on file in this office, and also of the laws, fail to show that there were any promises made, either by the legislature or executive of the State, to pay a State bounty to soldiers enlisting in 1861 and 1862, nor at any other time except as follows:

That on March 6, 1863, an act was approved to take immediate effect, authorizing the Governor in his discretion to pay from that date a uniform bounty of not exceeding fifty dollars to each volunteer, including veterans, who might enlist and be mustered in the service of the United States in any regiment, battery, or company heretofore mustered from this State into the military service of the United States, or then organizing in this State for such service: *Provided*, That no such bounty should be paid to any person enlisted previous to the time when the act should take effect.

The quartermaster general of the State to pay to each volunteer mustered into the service as aforesaid, as soon thereafter as practicable, such bounty as the Governor should have directed to be paid.

That on February 5, 1864, an act was approved authorizing the payment of one hundred dollars to soldiers, including veterans, who should thereafter enlist and should be mustered into the military or naval service of the United States, and be credited on the quota of the State, or any military district thereof, under any call or order of the president or military authorities of the United States or of this State, made or issued since the first day of January, 1864: *Providing*, That none of the bounties provided for in the act should be paid to

any volunteer, being a resident of this State at the time of enlisting, who should be credited to any sub-district, township or ward, other than that in which he was enrolled, or, if not enrolled, where he resided at the time of enlistment.

The payment of this bounty was continued until May 14, 1864, when the appropriation became exhausted and the payment thereof was stopped by virtue of the following published order of the Governor:

GENERAL ORDERS, {	MILITARY DEPARTMENT, MICHIGAN,
No. 3. }	ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
	Detroit, May, 14th, 1864. }

The bounty heretofore paid by the State to men enlisting in Michigan regiments, batteries or companies, or in any arm of the regular service, is hereby discontinued from this date, except as to those re-enlisting as veterans in the field after having served two years, and who are properly credited to the State, to whom it will continue to be paid until further orders.

By order of the commander-in-chief.

JOHN ROBERTSON,
Adjutant General.

This order was reinforced by the issue of a proclamation by the Governor dated July 21, 1864, of which the following is an extract:

"As an inducement to enlist, the government of the United States will pay a bounty of one hundred dollars to recruits enlisting for one year, two hundred for those enlisting for two years, and three hundred for those enlisting for three years. Such local bounties will be paid as the people of the several towns, wards, and sub-districts may authorize in pursuance of law. No State bounty can be paid, for the reason that the appropriation made for that purpose is exhausted.

The number of men enlisting between May 14, 1863, the date of the foregoing order, and February 4, 1865, the date of the next act granting bounty, was 9,085.

And that on February 4, 1865, an act was approved authorizing the payment of one hundred and fifty dollars to each volunteer who should thereafter enlist and be properly credited upon the quota assigned to any military sub-district of this State.

JOHN ROBERTSON,
Adjutant General.

Your committee believe this reply of the lamented General Robertson, who was the very man in charge of the whole subject, embraces all the laws, proclamations, and orders relating to it, and we are unable to find therein and the facts connected therewith, any unfulfilled promise. We must, therefore, answer the first question, viz: Does the State owe it as a matter of justice or equity? No. Then as to the second question, Does the State owe it inferentially and morally? It is true that as the necessity for men increased, the amount paid was increased, and that in the last months of enlistment \$150 each was paid. But does that fact inferentially or even morally imply any obligation to increase the former payments? Your committee think not, and must therefore answer no. We come, then, to the third and last question, Ought the State to generously and philanthropically give this money?

First, Then this question, can generosity and philanthropy govern in the discharge of the duties of a public office? Where in the constitution or laws of Michigan is there anywhere given authority for discretion in the use of these

attributes? Evidently the Legislatures of all these twenty years have believed that they must be just before they could be generous. But in a question of generosity the first point to ascertain is the amount asked. Let us consider what it is in this case. By referring to the House Journal of 1885, page 267, we find General Robertson's answer to this question. He says: "To equalize bounties on the basis of \$100 to each man, as near as can now be estimated, would require the sum of \$6,783,650, and to make the basis \$150 to each man 50 per cent. more, or \$10,175,475. Now the chief argument in favor of additional bounties at all is that the sum paid should be equalized, and whatever this proves is in favor of the larger sum, costing more than ten millions of dollars. In fact, if we are not to equalize, there is no argument in favor of anything. So we are confronted with this enormous sum of ten millions.

Second. Can generosity be asked now on the ground that the State or its citizens have not been liberal before? Recall to mind the large local bounties paid by cities, villages, towns and individuals for volunteers. The Provost Marshal General's report says: Michigan paid \$9,664,855, and that officer states in his report that this sum does not include nearly all counties paid, for he was unable to obtain full reports, and from many localities no reports. The State itself paid in bounties \$1,684,700. This deducted from the aggregate would show that the amount reported as paid by the localities was \$7,980,155. This enormous sum does not show lack of liberality. But this is not all. When the soldier was enlisted, liberality had only just begun. Recall the law which provided by counties for the families of soldiers during their absence. There are no doubt, many men in this Senate who were supervisors during those years of the war and who dealt out to the wives and children of those soldiers, five, ten, fifteen and even twenty dollars per month for years. The aggregate of these sums never has been, never can be computed.

Recall the Sanitary Commission, the Soldiers' Relief Association, the Ladies' Soldiers' Aid Societies, the Christian Commission, all teeming with life, vigor and benevolence during those years, and say if you can that the State, the counties, the towns and the people were not generous, liberal, lavish. The government also was not inactive. The United States government bounty tables show that prior to December 4, 1863, the government paid \$100 bounty, and in 1864 to veterans re-enlisting \$400, and to recruits \$300, which was continued to the end of the war. Add to this the pensions steadily increasing in number and amount every session since that time until they have reached an annual sum in millions far beyond the early arithmetics, and we must conclude that the government has been and is willing to be most generous in its treatment of the soldier who fought its battles. Yet if additional bounty is desired your committee are clearly of opinion that it should come from the general government for this reason: During the twenty years that have passed since the close of the war our soldier population has migrated from one State to another to such a degree that nearly one-half of the soldiers now residing in any one State were in service in the ranks of regiments from other States.

In proof of this we refer to a volume containing a list of soldiers now living in Iowa, which volume can be seen in the State library. The list contains 733 pages of names of soldiers; 296 pages are names of Iowa soldiers proper and 437 pages are names of soldiers who served to the credit of other states, showing nearly sixty per cent. of her soldier population to have been acquired since the war. Suppose our ratio to be only half as great, or thirty per cent., and these principally are tax-payers, small or large, then bounty by states means

the taxation of one soldier for the benefit of another; that is, the Michigan soldier would be taxed to send money to the soldier living now in Iowa.

Third, The Michigan Soldiers' Home, costing the taxpayers \$150,000 a year for the care of the old veterans, is a standing full-page advertisement of the fact that the legislators of Michigan, acting independently, but on the example of the general government in Dayton, Ohio, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and other places, are willing and anxious to do their whole duty by those who went to the front and gallantly bared their breasts to the storm of war. It has been said that recruiting officers promised more than they fulfilled. This may be true, and if it is, the State cannot undertake to be responsible for the words of its individual, unauthorized citizens, and no words need be spent upon that suggestion.

It has been urged that the twenty years have passed and that on account of this lapse of time, the computation is too high, but remember this computation was made by the man of all others competent to make it, John Robertson. That very few of the soldiers have died who have not left heirs as justly entitled to the bounty asked as was the soldier is known to all. This, then, is the question that confronts us. Shall we say to the tax-payers of Michigan: Put your hands into your pockets and pay to the old soldiers or their heirs, ten, or even seven millions of dollars; pay this, in addition to all your other taxes; pay this from wheat sold at 75 cents per bushel and wool at 25 cents per pound.

Senators, your committee are patriotic. We honor the soldier, we are glad that seven-eighths of them draw pensions quarterly for greater or less amounts from the general government. We hope and believe the time is near when all of them will be pensioned by the government and thus be able to raise a crop that does not fluctuate in value like the produce of our farms and factories—a crop of perpetual fruitage, that storms and drouth never cut off or diminish.

We wish them all the good of earth, and yet, while this is all true, we cannot say to the forty-acre farmer struggling for existence, who did not happen to be a soldier, or having been one, does not receive a pension, You must take of your frugal savings, or you must deny from your children your ratable proportion of this gigantic sum, to contribute and make up a donation, thirty per cent of which would go out of the State of Michigan entirely, and fifty per cent of which would go to individuals who do not particularly need it and would be in no way substantially benefited thereby.

It has been said that the State would not raise the full amount at one time, but would issue county certificates. This would in no way lessen the sum to be paid, while it would materially decrease its value to the soldier.

Therefore, notwithstanding our admiration and veneration for the soldier, your committee are not able to conclude that the State owes, either in equity or inferentially, this bounty; neither are we able to conclude that it is wise, just or practicable to make such a generous donation.

We therefore report the bill back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON,
JNO. C. SHARP,
CALVIN B. CROSBY,
JOHN HOLBROOK,
JAMES S. GORMAN,
Committee.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

Senate joint resolution No. 26, entitled

A joint resolution for the auditing and payment of certain land warrants, heretofore issued by the Auditor General,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The joint resolution was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 600 (file No. 285), entitled

A bill to fix the per diem compensation of members of the State Legislature from the Upper Peninsula for and during the session of 1887,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, except that the bill be placed on the general order and referred to the committee of the whole, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 883 (file 463), entitled

A bill to amend section 75 of act No. 153, laws of 1885, entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon, approved June 9, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 887 (file 465), entitled

A bill to amend section 67 of act No. 153 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 80 (file No. 440), entitled

A bill to amend section 13 of act No. 153 of the public acts of 1885, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 270, entitled

A bill to prohibit State officers and boards of control from incurring any obligation in excess of any appropriation made for certain specific purposes and to provide for a punishment therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to prohibit State officers, boards of control and others from incurring any obligation in excess of any appropriation made for specific purposes and to provide a punishment for a violation thereof,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 208 (file No. 437), entitled

A bill to amend section 5968 of the compiled laws of 1881, relative to the competency of witnesses and the examination of parties in certain cases as amended by act No. 155 of the public acts of 1875, approved April 29, 1875,

and by act No. 245 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 10, 1881, being compiler's section 7545 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 139 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 4, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary.

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House resolution No. 22, entitled

Joint resolution to provide for sale of certain State tax lands bid in by the State in October, 1881, and previous years,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was re-referred House bill No. 472 (file No. 457), entitled

A bill to provide for the compulsory education of juvenile disorderly persons in cities and villages,

And to whom was referred

House bill No. 249 (file No. 482), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 of act No. 144 of public acts of 1883, entitled An act to provide for the compulsory education of children in certain cases, approved June 5, 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for the compulsory education of children in certain cases, and to repeal act No. 144 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 5, 1883; act No. 39 of public acts of 1885, approved April 10, 1885; and act No. 108 of public acts of 1885, approved May 21, 1885,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The bill was ordered printed in the journal, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

The following is the bill:

Senate substitute for House bill No. 472 (file No. 457), introduced by Mr. Pierce, and House bill No. 249 (file No. 482), introduced by Mr. Dillon.

A bill to provide for the compulsory education of children in certain cases, and to repeal act No. 144 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 5, 1883; act No. 39 of the public acts of 1885, approved April 10, 1885, and act No. 108 of the public acts of 1885, approved May 21, 1885.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That every parent, guardian, or other person in the State of Michigan, having control and charge of any child or children between the ages of [seven] and fourteen years, shall be required to send such child or children to a public school for a period of at least [six] months in each school year, commencing on the first Monday of September, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, at least six weeks of which shall be consecutive, unless such child or children are excused from such attendance by the board of the school district in which such parents or guardians reside, upon its being shown, to their satisfaction, that his bodily or mental condition has been such as to prevent his attendance at school, or application to study for the period required, or that such child or children are taught in a private school, or at home, in such branches as are usually taught in primary schools, or have already acquired the ordinary branches of learning taught in public schools: *Provided*, In case a public school shall not be taught for six months during the year, within two miles by the nearest traveled road of the residence of any person within the school district, he shall not be liable to the provisions of this act.

SEC. 2. All persons between the ages of [seven] and fourteen years who are habitual truants from school, or who, while in attendance at any public school, are incorrigible, vicious or immoral in conduct, and all persons between said ages who absent themselves from school and habitually wander about streets and public places, having no business or lawful occupation, shall be deemed juvenile disorderly persons and subject to the provisions of sections six, seven and eight of this act.

SEC. 3. No child under the age of fourteen years shall be employed by any person, company, or corporation to labor in any business unless such child shall have attended some public or private day school where instruction was given by a teacher qualified to instruct in such branches as are usually taught in primary schools, for at least six months of the twelve months next preceding the month in which such child shall be so employed: *Provided*, That a certificate from the director of the school district, or from the superintendent of schools or other person performing the duties usually performed by such superintendent, shall be evidence of a compliance with the provisions of this act, and no person, company, or corporation shall employ any such child without first having obtained such certificate, which certificate shall, on request, be exhibited to the truant officer, or other person authorized by school boards to request it; *Provided further*, That no child under fourteen years of age shall be employed by any person, company, or corporation in any factory, shop, mill, store, or hotel, or in or about any mine or any other industry, during school hours, within the six months' time which school shall be in session in the school district in which such child resides; and no parent, guardian, or other person having charge or control of any such child shall permit the employ-

ment of any such child in any factory, shop, mill, store, or hotel, or in or about any mine or other industry during the above specified time.

SEC. 4. Every parent, guardian or other person having charge or control of any child between the ages of 7 and 14 years who has been temporarily discharged from any business or employment or who is not engaged in any business or employment, or who is not eligible for employment under the provisions of this act, shall send such child to some public or private day school as long as such child shall remain out of employment, unless the public schools shall not be in session, or unless such child shall have been excused from such attendance by the board of the school district for reasons as stated in section one (1) hereof.

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of every school director to furnish each and every teacher of any public or private day school with a list of the names of all children between the ages of 7 and 14 years, residing in his district, which list shall be revised quarterly, and it shall be the duty of the teacher to furnish to the director a list of the names of all children whose names appear on the census list, who have not attended school in accordance with the requirements of this act. And the compliance on the part of the teacher with the requirements of this act shall be a part of his duties as contemplated in his contract with the district board. Any teacher of a private or parochial school, who shall neglect or refuse to comply with the requirements of this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof in any court of competent jurisdiction, shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars for each offense.

SEC. 6. In all cities and villages in this State maintaining and supporting a graded school, the board of education, or other officer or officers having charge of the schools of said cities and villages, may establish one or more ungraded schools for the instruction of certain children, as defined and set forth in section 2 of this act, and they may, through their authorized agents or officers, require said children to attend said ungraded schools during the whole or a portion of each school day, as they may direct.

SEC. 7. In all cities having a duly organized police force, it shall be the duty of the police authority, at the request of the school authority, to detail one or more members of said force to assist in the enforcement of this act; and in cities, villages [or townships] having no regular police force, it shall be the duty of the board of education or the school district officers to designate one or more constables of said city, township or village, whose duty it shall be to assist in the enforcement of this act as occasion may require, and said board of education shall fix and determine the compensation to be paid such constable for the performance of his duties under this act. No provisions made for pay, see present law. Members of any police force or any constable designated to assist in the enforcement of this act, as provided in this section, shall be known as truant officers.

SEC. 8. It shall be the duty of the officers detailed or appointed under the provisions of this act to assist in the enforcement thereof, to institute, or cause to be instituted, proceedings against any parent, guardian, or other person having legal charge and control of any child, or any person, company, or corporation, violating any of the provisions of this act; and from time to time to inspect all places within their jurisdiction where children or young persons may be employed to see that the provisions of section three of this act are observed; and in cities or villages maintaining an ungraded school it shall be the duty of

any such truant officer or officers to examine into any case of truancy when requested so to do by the district board or by its authorized officers, and to warn such truants, their parents or guardians in writing of the final consequences of truancy if persisted in, and also to notify the parent, guardian or other person having the legal charge and control of any juvenile disorderly person that the said person is not attending any school, and to require said parent, guardian or other person to cause said child to attend the ungraded school, established as provided for in this act, within five days from said notice; and it shall be the duty of said parent, guardian or other person having the legal charge and control of said child to cause the attendance of said child at the ungraded school, established in the city or village. If said parent, guardian or other person having the legal charge and control of said child shall willfully refuse, fail or neglect to cause said child to attend said ungraded school, it shall be the duty of said officer to make or cause to be made a complaint against said parent, guardian or other person having the legal charge and control of such person before a justice of the peace where the party resides, except in the cities of Detroit and Grand Rapids, where complaint shall be made in the recorder's court or the police court thereof for such refusal or neglect and upon conviction thereof said parent, guardian or other person, as the case may be, shall be punished by a fine not less than ten dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars, and in case of failure to pay said fine shall be imprisoned not more than thirty days in the county jail or Detroit house of correction or until such fine is paid, or the court may, in its discretion, require the person so convicted to give a bond in the penal sum of one hundred dollars with one or more sureties, to be approved by said court, conditioned that said person so convicted shall cause the child or children under his legal charge or control to attend at the ungraded school within five days thereafter and to remain at said school during the full school term: *Provided*, That if said parent or guardian or other person in charge of said child shall plead inability to cause said child to attend said ungraded school, then said parent or guardian or other person shall be discharged and said justice of the peace or court shall, upon complaint of said truant officer or other person, that said child is a juvenile disorderly person as described in section 2 of this act, proceed to hear such complaint, and if said justice of the peace or court shall determine that said child is a juvenile disorderly person within the meaning of this act, then said justice of the peace or court shall thereupon, after consultation with the county agent, except in the city of Detroit, sentence said child to the Reform School at Lansing or the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, as the case may be, until said child shall arrive at the age of 16 years, unless sooner discharged by the board of control of said reform school or industrial home for girls: *Provided, however*, that such sentence may be suspended in the discretion of said justice of the peace or judge of the recorder's court for such time as such child shall regularly attend school and properly deport himself or herself. It is further provided that if, for any cause, the parent or guardian or other person having charge of any juvenile disorderly person as defined in this act shall fail to cause such juvenile disorderly person to attend said ungraded school, then complaint against such juvenile disorderly person may be made, heard, tried and determined in the same manner as is provided for in case the parent pleads inability to cause said juvenile disorderly person to attend said ungraded school, and it is further provided that no child under the age of 10 years shall be sent to the reform school or industrial home.

SEC. 9. In case any parent, guardian or other person shall fail to comply with the provisions of sections one, three or four of this act, such parent, guardian, or other person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, on conviction, be liable to a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than ten dollars for the first offense, and not less than ten dollars for each subsequent offense.

SEC. 10. It shall be the duty of the school district board of each district of the State to purchase and furnish, at the expense of the district, such text-books as may in the judgment of said board be necessary for the use of children whose parents are not able to furnish the same, the expense of such books to be levied in like manner as other district taxes. Provided that in any city or village in which an ungraded school is maintained the books used in such ungraded school shall be the same in all respects as those in use in the public schools of said city or village.

SEC. 11. When any of the provisions of this act are violated by a corporation, proceedings may be had against any of the officers or agents of said corporation who in any way participate in or are cognizant of such violation by the corporation of which they are the officers or agents, and said officers or agents shall be subject to the same penalties as individuals similarly offending.

SEC. 12. The directors of any corporation which shall willfully neglect or refuse to obey the provisions of this act, shall, each be liable to the penalties of this act: *Provided*, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to any of the penal, reformatory, or benevolent institutions of this State.

SEC. 13. Act No. one hundred and forty-four of public acts of 1883, approved June 5th, 1883, and act No. 39 public acts of 1885, approved April 10th, 1885, and act No. 108 public acts of 1885, approved May 21st, 1885, are hereby repealed.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 867 (file No. 380), entitled

A bill to amend section 33, of chapter 7, and sections 1, 33, 34, 35 and 36 of chapter 11 of act No. 326, of the session laws of 1883, entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 808 (file No. 346), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Sherman, in the county of Iosco, to borrow money for the payment of the highway and other indebtedness of said township,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the recommen-

dation that the same lay on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 506, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the townships of Hendricks and Garfield, Mackinac, and to organize the same into a separate township to be known as the township of Pentland.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the same lay on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 286, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Garfield in the county of Grand Traverse and attach the same to the township of Traverse in said county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the same do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Post,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Fox,	Laing,		

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NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 20, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 12 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, and section 4 same chapter and act, as amended by act No. 93, laws of 1883, relating to the examination of teachers and supervision of schools; also to amend section 3 of chapter 4, and section 2 of chapter 5 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, relating to the duties of township clerk and county clerk concerning school reports,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The committee on education and public schools was instructed to report the bill back to the Senate, and the same ordered returned to the House.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following bill:

House bill No. 156 (file No. 312), entitled

A bill to provide compensation to stenographers for transcripts of cases stenographically reported in the courts for the 5th judicial circuit of the State of Michigan, for which the Senate adopted a substitute as shown by message of this date, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Calhoun, Barry and Eaton, now comprising the 5th judicial circuit,

And to inform the Senate that in the adoption of the substitute the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR,—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bill:

Senate file No. 258, being Senate re-print of

House bill No. 692 (file No. 347), entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of article 4 of act No. 198, session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management and fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof," being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 234, public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885,

Concerning which there was a disagreement between the two Houses, and on which a committee of conference was asked and granted,

Which committee reported as follows:

The committee of conference, to whom was referred the above entitled bill,

Respectfully report that they have had the matter of difference existing between the two Houses under consideration and have agreed to recommend that the Senate amendment be amended, so as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section fifteen of article four of act number one hundred and ninety-eight, session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof," being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act number 234, public acts of 1885, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. [15] 3377. Every railroad company formed under this act or any former act, and every corporation owning or operating any such railroad, shall erect and maintain in effective condition of repair fences on each side of the right of way to their respective roads, as hereinafter provided. A legal railroad fence shall not be less than four and one-half feet high, and shall be made of boards and posts in combination as follows: The boards to be of pine or hemlock, six inches in width and sixteen feet in length; the posts to be of cedar, tamarack or oak, not less than seven feet in length and six inches in diameter, to be set not less than two and one-half feet in the ground at a distance apart not less than eight feet from center to center. First a board shall be nailed to the posts close to the ground; five inches above such first board, a second; six inches above the second, a third; six inches above the fourth, a fifth; all to be capped with a like board securely nailed to the fifth board and to the posts. All the boards to be firmly nailed to the posts with not less than two eight or ten-penny fence nails at each post. Or it may be constructed of posts, boards and wire in combination as follows: The posts shall be of cedar, tamarack, or oak, not less than seven feet in length and six inches in diameter, to be set not less than two and one-half feet in the ground, at a distance apart of not more than eight feet from center to center. At a height of sixteen inches from the ground a pine or hemlock fence board six inches in width, and seven inches above such first pine or hemlock board; second of the same width; both boards to be firmly nailed to the post with two eight or ten-penny fence nails at each post. At the height of five inches from the ground a barbed fence wire, and at ten inches from the ground a second barbed wire; forty-four inches from the ground, or nine inches from the second pine or hemlock board, a third barbed wire; and fifty-three inches from the ground, or nine inches above the third barbed wire, a flat Brinkerhoof strip, or some other metallic strand of similar pattern; or it may be con-

structed [with such posts and set as above prescribed and made] as follows: At a height of four inches from the ground a barbed fence wire; at nine inches from the ground a second barbed wire; at fourteen inches from the ground a third barbed wire; at twenty-eight inches from the ground a fourth barbed wire; at twenty-eight inches from the ground a fifth barbed wire; at thirty-seven inches from the ground a sixth barbed wire; at forty-eight inches from the ground a six-inch pine or hemlock fence-board, capped with a six inch pine or hemlock fence board. Such wires and strips to be properly strained, and the posts sufficiently braced wherever necessary to prevent the wires from becoming loose or sagging, and the wires to be securely fastened to the posts with sufficient staples. All inequalities of the ground under the fence to be surfaced and leveled so that no animals can pass under the lower strand: *Provided*, Any railroad company that has already erected fences along the line of its right of way, may allow the same to remain until otherwise ordered by the Commissioner of Railroads; but in such case said railroad company or corporation shall be liable for all damages done to animals or stock coming upon its right of way through or over such fence, but on the trial of any action for damages, if it shall be shown that the fence through or over which such animals or stock entered upon such right of way, was four feet in height and otherwise equal in strength and sufficiency to turn animals or stock, to the fence provided for in this act then no damages shall be recovered. Such right of way fences shall be provided with suitable connecting fences and cattle-guards at all highways and street crossings, which shall at all times be kept in effective repair and sufficient to prevent stock of all kinds from passing upon the track of the railroad at such highway or street crossings. Convenient farm crossings shall also be constructed by any such railroad corporation across the right of way and track of its railroad, with the necessary gates or bars therefor as the owner or occupant of the premises may elect, at the sides of the right of way, which said gates or bars shall be of sufficient width to admit the free and easy transportation of all farm machinery, including harvesters or binders, in form as the same are usually drawn, upon the application of the owner or owners of land lying upon both sides of such railroad track, the same being inclosed by exterior fences, and being adjacent to such right of way. And in case of disagreement between the owner of any such lands and the railroad corporations as to the necessity for, location of, or character of farm crossing so applied for or as to the plan or construction of the gates as herein provided, then either party may present the matter in dispute to the commissioner of railroads, who shall proceed to investigate the same as soon as may be, and render his decision thereon, which shall be final and binding upon the parties respectively; and such farm crossings shall be constructed within the time prescribed by the said commissioner of railroads, under a penalty of ten dollars for each and every day that such construction of the farm crossing shall be delayed beyond the expiration of the time fixed for its completion by the said commissioner of railroads. And until such fences and cattle-guards as hereinbefore provided for shall be duly constructed, the company or corporation owning or operating such road shall be liable for all damages done to cattle or other animals thereon which may result from the neglect of such company or corporation maintaining or operating such road to construct and maintain in repair such fences and cattle guards as aforesaid, to be recovered by the owner of such cattle or other animals in

a civil action before any court of competent jurisdiction, together with an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars, to be taxed as costs against the defendant in case of recovery in such action, and after such company or corporation shall have constructed such fences and cattle guards as hereinbefore provided, and while they shall continue to maintain the same in good and sufficient repair, it shall not be liable for any such damages as aforesaid unless negligently or willfully done. And every such company or corporation owning or operating any such railroad shall within two or three months from the time any section or portion of such road is finished and put in general use by running regular trains thereon, and in the case of any roads now in use [* * *] from the time this act shall take effect, erect and maintain the fences and cattle-guards as herein provided. Any violation of the provisions of this section on the part of any railroad corporation owning or operating any railroad in this State, by failure or neglect to construct and maintain fences and cattle-guards as herein required, shall be punished by a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day that such neglect or failure shall continue: *Provided*, That [if] such fences and cattle-guards, shall not be built as aforesaid along such portions of any line of road as is or may be construed north of a line extending due west from the mouth of the Saginaw river, the corporation or company owning or operating any such line of road shall not be liable to the said penalty unless such fence shall be ordered by the commissioner of railroads, but shall be liable to all the other provisions of this section; and if any person shall ride, lead, or drive, or intentionally permit any horse or other animal upon such road and within such fences or cattle-guards [other than farm crossings, or shall injure or destroy, or make openings or passages through or over such fences or cattle-guards], or neglect to close any gates or bars immediately after passing through the same, without the consent of such company or corporation, he shall, for every such offense, be liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, and shall also pay all damages which shall be sustained thereby to the party aggrieved: *Provided further*, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the erection of any other fence than that herein provided for, as may be agreed upon in writing between the duly authorized agent or officer of any railroad corporation and the owner of any land through which the road of such corporation shall be in operation.

And the committee further recommend that when so amended, the same be concurred in by both houses, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. IRVING BABCOCK,

GEO. HOWELL,

ALBERT K. ROOF,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

CASS. E. HERRINGTON,

HENRY. H. HOLT,

Committee on the part of the House.

Now to inform the Senate that in the report of said committee the House concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the report,

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Fox,	Monroe,			26

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By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 26, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13, of chapter 12 of act number 164, laws of 1881, and section 4, same chapter and act, as amended by act number 93, laws of 1883, relating to the examination of teachers and supervision of schools; also, to amend section 3 of chapter 4, and section 2 of chapter 5, of act number 164, laws of 1881, relating to the duties of township clerk and county clerk concerning school reports,

Pursuant to instructions from the Senate,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the same be re-transferred, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

The bill was returned to the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Holbrook moved that the committee of the whole discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 312 (file No. 295), entitled

A bill to protect the owners or keepers of stallions.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the bill be laid upon the table.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Holbrook moved to suspend the rules and place the bill upon its immediate passage,

Pending which

Mr. Hubbell moved to lay the bill upon the table.

On which

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay upon the table then did not prevail by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Stark,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	O'Reilly,			10

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Howell,	Moon,	Rairden,	
Campbell,	Laing,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Fox,	Mayo,	Post,	Willits,	16

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate take a recess until 10:30 o'clock A. M.

On which,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Hubbell,	3
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W.I.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Deyo,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Fox,	Laing,	Potter,	Willits,	
Giddings,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,	24

Mr. Hubbell moved that when the Senate adjourn to-day it adjourn to to meet on Wednesday, June 22, at 8 o'clock A. M.

Which the President ruled to be out of order.

From which ruling Mr. Hubbell appealed.

The question being

Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the decision of the Senate,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The decision of the chair was then sustained, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.	Howell,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Laing,	Post,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Potter,	Willits,	
Fox,	Monroe,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Harshaw,	Moon,	Roof,		23

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Hubbell,	3
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The question being on the resolution to suspend the rules,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to suspend the rules then did not prevail, two-thirds of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Rairden,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Fox,	Monroe,	Post,	Willits,	16

NAYS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Stark,		11

Mr. Sharp moved that the bill be placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Pending which,

The President announced that the hour of 10:30 A. M. had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being for the further consideration of

House bill No. 178 (file No. 443), entitled

A bill to preserve the purity of elections and guard against abuses of the elective franchise.

Mr. Sharp moved that the special order be deferred until after the disposition of the pending question.

Which motion did not prevail, two-thirds of all the Senators present not voting therefor.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Rairden to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report :

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: House bill No. 178 (file No. 443), entitled

A bill to preserve the purity of elections and to guard against abuses of the elective franchise.

Have made some progress therein, but not having gone through therewith, have directed their chairman to report that fact to the Senate, and ask leave to sit again.

JOHN RAIRDEN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Rairden,

The committee was granted leave to sit again.

Mr. W. I. Babcock moved that

House bill No. 315 (file No. 295), entitled

A bill to protect the owners or keepers of stallions,

Be re-committed to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order at the head of the calendar,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Wisner moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 491, entitled

A bill to legalize the reorganization of the Bridgport Free Church association, and the election of trustees and their successors in office, and all the proceedings of said board of trustees, their books and records having been destroyed by fire.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The bill was referred to the committee on religious and benevolent societies.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate resumed the

SPECIAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The House went into committee of the whole on the special order.

Whereupon the President called Mr. Rairden to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following: House bill No. 178 (file No. 443), entitled

A bill to preserve the purity of elections and guard against abuses of the elective franchise.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

JOHN RAIRDEN, *Chairman*.

The President *pro tem*. having taken the chair,

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Rairden,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bill.

Pending placing the bill on the order of third reading of bills,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the rules be suspended and the bill placed upon its immediate passage.

Which motion did not prevail, two-thirds of all the Senators present not voting therefor.

The bill was then placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. O'Reilly moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 222 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the House of the Good Shepherd at Detroit,

On which

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Stark,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Willits,
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	Wisner,
Fox,			

NAYS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Westgate,	
Edwards.	Howell,	Moon,		7

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. O'Reilly moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. By inserting in line 6 after the word "girls" the words "or house of correction;"

2. By inserting in line 11 after the word "her" where it occurs the second time the words "for term of said commitment."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Post,	Stark,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Seymour,		19

NAYS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Moon,	President	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Westgate,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	7

Title agreed to.

Mr. Stark moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 833, entitled

A bill to re-incorporate the village of Rockford.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	President,	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	
Edwards.				28

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Edwards moved to take from the table.

House bill No. 575, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of article 2, sections 1 and 2 of article 3, section 2 of article 6, section 1 of article 10, section 5 of article 13, sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of article 14, sections 1, 2 and 3 of article 15, and section 3 of article 16 of act No. 245 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the village of Allegan," approved March 2, 1869, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to add 4 new sections to said act to stand as sections 7 of article 3 and sections 9, 10 and 11 of article 13,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Post,	Stark,
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Deyo,	Moon,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 26

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Howell moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 656 (file No. 276), entitled

A bill to organize a medical corps of the Michigan State troops.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Seymour moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 850 (file No. 478), entitled

A bill to provide for the ascertaining, adjudicating and determining who are or were the legal heirs, minor heirs, or legal representatives of certain deceased persons and entitled to the lands of which the said deceased died seized and to repeal act No. 53 of the laws of Michigan of the year 1867, approved March 13, 1867, being compiler's sections 4398, 4399 and 4400 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being sections 5990, 5991 and 5992 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to proceedings to ascertain and determine the heirs of deceased persons.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Seymour moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting after the manuscript amendment in line 2, section 4, the words "as amended by act No. 49 of the public acts of 1883, approved April 26, 1883."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Laing,	Seymour,	President
Fox,	Mayo,		<i>pro tem.</i> 26

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Seymour moved to amend the title as follows:

By inserting after the words "compiled laws of 1871" the words "as amended by act No. 49 of the public acts of 1883, approved April 26, 1883,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Mr. Edwards moved that a respectful message be sent to the Governor, asking for the return of

Senate bill No. 47, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Me-costa and Nawaygo, now composing the 27th judicial circuit,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Laing moved to take from the table

House bill No. 916 (file No. 474), entitled

A bill to regulate and govern the State house of correction and branch of the State prison in the Upper Peninsula,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Seymour moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out line 9 of section 2,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,

dation that the same lay on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 506, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the townships of Hendricks and Garfield, Mackinac, and to organize the same into a separate township to be known as the township of Pentland.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the same lay on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on counties and townships:

The committee on counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 286, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Garfield in the county of Grand Traverse and attach the same to the township of Traverse in said county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the same do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FLOYD L. POST, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending its reference to the committee of the whole,

On motion of Mr. Post,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Fox,	Laing,		

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NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 20, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 12 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, and section 4 same chapter and act, as amended by act No. 93, laws of 1883, relating to the examination of teachers and supervision of schools; also to amend section 3 of chapter 4, and section 2 of chapter 5 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, relating to the duties of township clerk and county clerk concerning school reports,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The committee on education and public schools was instructed to report the bill back to the Senate, and the same ordered returned to the House.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following bill:

House bill No. 156 (file No. 312), entitled

A bill to provide compensation to stenographers for transcripts of cases stenographically reported in the courts for the 5th judicial circuit of the State of Michigan, for which the Senate adopted a substitute as shown by message of this date, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Calhoun, Barry and Eaton, now comprising the 5th judicial circuit,

And to inform the Senate that in the adoption of the substitute the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
 DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 17, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR,—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bill:

Senate file No. 258, being Senate re-print of

House bill No. 692 (file No. 347), entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of article 4 of act No. 198, session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management and fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof," being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 234, public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885,

Concerning which there was a disagreement between the two Houses, and on which a committee of conference was asked and granted,

Which committee reported as follows:

The committee of conference, to whom was referred the above entitled bill,

Respectfully report that they have had the matter of difference existing between the two Houses under consideration and have agreed to recommend that the Senate amendment be amended, so as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section fifteen of article four of act number one hundred and ninety-eight, session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof," being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act number 234, public acts of 1885, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. [15] 3377. Every railroad company formed under this act or any former act, and every corporation owning or operating any such railroad, shall erect and maintain in effective condition of repair fences on each side of the right of way to their respective roads, as hereinafter provided. A legal railroad fence shall not be less than four and one-half feet high, and shall be made of boards and posts in combination as follows: The boards to be of pine or hemlock, six inches in width and sixteen feet in length; the posts to be of cedar, tamarack or oak, not less than seven feet in length and six inches in diameter, to be set not less than two and one-half feet in the ground at a distance apart not less than eight feet from center to center. First a board shall be nailed to the posts close to the ground; five inches above such first board, a second; six inches above the second, a third; six inches above the fourth, a fifth; all to be capped with a like board securely nailed to the fifth board and to the posts. All the boards to be firmly nailed to the posts with not less than two eight or ten-penny fence nails at each post. Or it may be constructed of posts, boards and wire in combination as follows: The posts shall be of cedar, tamarack, or oak, not less than seven feet in length and six inches in diameter, to be set not less than two and one-half feet in the ground, at a distance apart of not more than eight feet from center to center. At a height of sixteen inches from the ground a pine or hemlock fence board six inches in width, and seven inches above such first pine or hemlock board; second of the same width; both boards to be firmly nailed to the post with two eight or ten-penny fence nails at each post. At the height of five inches from the ground a barbed fence wire, and at ten inches from the ground a second barbed wire; forty-four inches from the ground, or nine inches from the second pine or hemlock board, a third barbed wire; and fifty-three inches from the ground, or nine inches above the third barbed wire, a flat Brinkerhoof strip, or some other metallic strand of similar pattern; or it may be con-

structed [with such posts and set as above prescribed and made] as follows: At a height of four inches from the ground a barbed fence wire; at nine inches from the ground a second barbed wire; at fourteen inches from the ground a third barbed wire; at twenty-eight inches from the ground a fourth barbed wire; at twenty-eight inches from the ground a fifth barbed wire; at thirty-seven inches from the ground a sixth barbed wire; at forty-eight inches from the ground a six-inch pine or hemlock fence-board, capped with a six inch pine or hemlock fence board. Such wires and strips to be properly strained, and the posts sufficiently braced wherever necessary to prevent the wires from becoming loose or sagging, and the wires to be securely fastened to the posts with sufficient staples. All inequalities of the ground under the fence to be surfaced and leveled so that no animals can pass under the lower strand: *Provided*, Any railroad company that has already erected fences along the line of its right of way, may allow the same to remain until otherwise ordered by the Commissioner of Railroads; but in such case said railroad company or corporation shall be liable for all damages done to animals or stock coming upon its right of way through or over such fence, but on the trial of any action for damages, if it shall be shown that the fence through or over which such animals or stock entered upon such right of way, was four feet in height and otherwise equal in strength and sufficiency to turn animals or stock, to the fence provided for in this act then no damages shall be recovered. Such right of way fences shall be provided with suitable connecting fences and cattle-guards at all highways and street crossings, which shall at all times be kept in effective repair and sufficient to prevent stock of all kinds from passing upon the track of the railroad at such highway or street crossings. Convenient farm crossings shall also be constructed by any such railroad corporation across the right of way and track of its railroad, with the necessary gates or bars therefor as the owner or occupant of the premises may elect, at the sides of the right of way, which said gates or bars shall be of sufficient width to admit the free and easy transportation of all farm machinery, including harvesters or binders, in form as the same are usually drawn, upon the application of the owner or owners of land lying upon both sides of such railroad track, the same being inclosed by exterior fences, and being adjacent to such right of way. And in case of disagreement between the owner of any such lands and the railroad corporations as to the necessity for, location of, or character of farm crossing so applied for or as to the plan or construction of the gates as herein provided, then either party may present the matter in dispute to the commissioner of railroads, who shall proceed to investigate the same as soon as may be, and render his decision thereon, which shall be final and binding upon the parties respectively; and such farm crossings shall be constructed within the time prescribed by the said commissioner of railroads, under a penalty of ten dollars for each and every day that such construction of the farm crossing shall be delayed beyond the expiration of the time fixed for its completion by the said commissioner of railroads. And until such fences and cattle-guards as hereinbefore provided for shall be duly constructed, the company or corporation owning or operating such road shall be liable for all damages done to cattle or other animals thereon which may result from the neglect of such company or corporation maintaining or operating such road to construct and maintain in repair such fences and cattle guards as aforesaid, to be recovered by the owner of such cattle or other animals in

act No. 132 of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed lands in Jackson county, approved May 10, 1881, approved June 16, 1885,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 440 (file No. 271), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 94 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Gratiot in improving the channel of Maple river and to authorize a tax to complete the same, and to repeal act No. 50 of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act to authorize the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to remove bars and obstructions in Maple river in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot, approved March 26, 1881, approved May 13, 1885."

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	President
Fox,	Moon,		<i>pro tem.</i> 26

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Mr. Crosby,

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 168 (file No. 366), entitled

A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of a ditch from the Little Black Lake in the county of Muskegon, to Lake Michigan, and to make an appropriation of State swamp lands therefor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, and follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,
Barton	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,
Deyo,	Howell,	Seymour,	Wisner,
Fox,	Moon,		

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Mr. Babcock, W.I., Mr. Crosby,

Mr. Rairden,

Mr. President

pro tem. 4

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House joint resolution No. 11 (file No. 6), entitled

Joint resolution granting blocks Nos. 78 and 79 city of Lansing, to the city of Lansing for a public park,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting after the word "reimbursing" in the Senate manuscript amendment the words "without interest."

Which motion prevailed and the joint resolution was so amended.

Pending the passage of the joint resolution,

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The joint resolution was laid upon the table.

House bill Nos. 509 and 599 (file No. 357) entitled

A bill to amend sections 1344 and 1345 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the recording of town plats and the vacation of the same, as amended by act No. 108, session laws of 1873, approved April 17, 1873, being compiler's sections 1473 and 1474 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 111 of the public acts of 1885, approved May 21, 1885,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Holbrook moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 21, amended section 1, the words "commissioner of the land office," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "auditor general," and by making the same change in lines 40 and 41.

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell.

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 249 (file No. 299), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of swamp land for the construction of a drain in the townships of Wisner and Gilford, Tuscola county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Edwards,	Howell,	Post,	Stark,
Fox,	Laing,	Potter,	Westgate,

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NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Mayo,		<i>pro tem.</i>

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 732 (file No. 453), entitled

A bill to lay out and establish a State road along or near the principal Base line of Bois Blanc Island, in the county of Mackinac, from the eastern to the western terminus of said line, and appropriating swamp lands upon said Island for the construction thereof,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Post,	Sharp,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> 19

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Stark,	4
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Harshaw moved to take from the order of unfinished business, House bill No. 366 (file No. 133), entitled

A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road to connect East Saginaw and Sauble River State road with the Tawas and Manistee State road, in the counties of Arenac, Iosco and Ogemaw, and to provide for its construction by an appropriation of swamp lands, and the raising and expenditure of certain moneys therefor by the township through which said road passes.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Stark,
Campbell,	Laing,	Potter,	Westgate,
Edwards,	Moon,	Roof,	Willits,
Fox,			

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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Rairden,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 4

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 382 (file No. 91), entitled

A bill to amend section 57 of chapter 176 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the courts of chancery, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and being compiler's section 6647 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Barton,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Moon,	Seymour,	President
Crosby,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> 19

NAYS.

Mr. Edwards,

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Title agreed to.

House bill No. 393, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 257, session laws of 1869, entitled An act to incorporate the city of Hillsdale, approved March 8, 1869, as amended by act No. 253, session laws of 1871, approved March 31, 1871,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Mayo,	Roof,	President
Edwards,	Moon,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> 27

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on university:

The committee on university, to whom was referred

Senate bill No 35, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the university of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the university of Michigan,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JNO. C. SHARP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

Mr. Sharp moved that the Senate go into committee of the whole on the general order.

Pending which,

Mr. Mayo moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Wisner,	3
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	Palmer	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President,
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem</i>

Pending the motion to go into committee of the whole,

Mr. Stark moved that the Senate take a recess until 7:30 o'clock P. M.

On which,

Mr. Crosby demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Stark,
Campbell,	Howell,	Moon,	Westgate,
Fox,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Giddings,			

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Rairden,	Willits,
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Roof,	President
Crosby,	Laing,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Deyo,	O'Reilly,		

Pending the motion to go into committee of the whole,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved as a substitute for the original motion that the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 35, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintainance of the university of Michigan,

Be made the special order for Tuesday, June 21st, at 5:55 o'clock P. M.,

Which substitute was accepted by Mr. Sharp.

Pending the taking of a vote thereon,

Mr. Mayo moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Wisner,
Laing,			

NAYS

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Seymour,

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Deyo,			24

Mr. W. I. Babcock moved the previous question,
Which motion was supported.

The question being, shall the main question be now put,

The same was ordered, a majority of the Senators demanding the same.

The motion making the further consideration of the bill the special order for Tuesday, June 21, at 5:55 o'clock, P. M., then prevailed.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to go into the committee of the whole on the special order.

Pending which,

Mr. Howell moved that the Senate take a recess until 7:30 o'clock P. M.
Which motion prevailed.

AFTER RECESS.

7:30 o'clock, P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.*

The question pending at the time of taking a recess being on the motion to go into committee of the whole on the special order,

The motion then prevailed and

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order,
Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Willits to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:
Senate bill No. 35, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the university of Michigan.

Have made no amendments thereto and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate and recommend its passage.

W. J. WILLITS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the rules be suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage,

Pending which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that there be a call of the Senate,
Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Holbrook, O'Reilly, Post and Wisner.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. O'Reilly for the evening.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Holbrook for the evening.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The motion to suspend the rules then prevailed two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Mayo moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of lines 36, 37, 38 and 39, section 1, the following words: "for the construction of a building for scientific laboratories and for the equipment of the same for the year 1887, the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000); for the year 1888, the sum of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000);

Pending which,

Mr. Westgate moved to amend by striking out of line 37 the word "twenty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "forty," and by striking out of line 38 the word "thirty" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirty-five."

Which motion did not prevail.

The question being on the motion to strike out

Mr. Mayo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Fox,
Harshaw,

Mr. Mayo,

Mr. Potter,

Mr. Rairden,

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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,
Babcock, J. W.
Babcock, W. I.,
Barringer,
Barton,
Campbell,
Crosby,

Me. Deyo,
Edwards,
Giddings,
Gorman,
Howell,
Hubbell,
Laing,

Mr. Moon,
O'Reilly,
Palmer,
Post,
Roof,
Seymour,

Mr. Sharp,
Westgate,
Willits,
Wisner,
President
pro tem,

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The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,
Babcock, J. W.
Babcock, W. I.,
Barringer,
Barton,
Campbell,
Crosby,

Mr. Deyo,
Edwards,
Giddings,
Gorman,
Harshaw,
Howell,
Hubbell,

Mr. Laing,
Moon,
O'Reilly,
Palmer,
Rairden,
Roof,
Seymour,

Mr. Sharp,
Stark,
Westgate,
Willits,
Wisner,
President
pro tem, 27

NAYS.

Mr. Fox,

Mr. Mayo,

Mr. Potter,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 397 (file No. 353), entitled

A bill to provide for an independent forestry commission of the State of Michigan, and to define its duties and powers, and to provide for the expense thereof,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J.W.,	Edwards,	Moon,	Seymour
Babcock, W.I.	Giddings.	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	President,
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 24

NAYS.

Mr. Fox,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Howell,	3
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Title agreed to.

House bills No. 138 and 203 (file No. 77), entitled

A bill to amend section 2198 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relating to the protection of game.

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows: by striking out of the bill the manuscript proviso at the end of the bill.

On which,

Mr. Gorman demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J.W.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Babcock, W.I.	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Barringer,	Laing,	Post,	President
Barton,	Mayo,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 20
Campbell,			

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Stark,
Deyo,	Giddings,	Rairden,	Willits,
Edwards,	Howell,		10

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 5, section 2198, after the words "*Provided*, That in the Upper Peninsula deer may be killed between the first day of October and the fifteenth day of November only in each year."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Gorman moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of lines 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, sections 2198, the following

words: No person shall make use of a dog in hunting ,pursuing or killing deer within the boundaries of this State, and any dog seen pursuing or killing a deer, or following upon the track of a deer, is hereby declared to be a public nuisance, and may be killed by any person when so seen, and the owner of such dog shall have no recourse at law against the person so killing such dog.

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Willits,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	O'Reilly,			10

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Laing,	Potter,	President	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i>	20
Edwards,				

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of lines 12, 13, 14 and 15, section 2198, the following words, "And any dog seen pursuing or killing a deer, or following upon the track of a deer, is hereby declared to be a public nuisance, and may be killed by any person when so seen, and the owner of such dog shall have no recourse at law against the person so killing such dog," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "except citizens of this State."

On which,

Mr. Deyo demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Willits,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,		11

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,	
Barringer,	Fox,	Moon,	Stark,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	President	
Deyo,	Laing,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.,</i>	19

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Gorman moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 15 section 2198 after the word "dog" the words "except such owner be a resident of this State."

Which motion did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting after the word "deer" in line 11 section 2198 the words "except in the pursuing of a wounded deer."

Which motion did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Harshaw moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of lines 12, 13, 14 and 15 the following words: "And any dog seen pursuing or killing a deer, or following upon the track of a deer, is hereby declared to be a public nuisance, and may be killed by any person when so seen, and the owner of such dog shall have no recourse at law against the person so killing such dog," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and any person so hunting shall be punished as provided in section 2203 of Howell's annotated statutes."

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. Wisner,	
Crosby,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	President	
Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,	<i>pro tem.</i>	11

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Bairden,	
Barringer,	Fox,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Post,	Stark	
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Westgate,	18
Deyo,	Laing,			

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding the following words to the bill: "*Provided*, That it shall be unlawful for any person to hunt or kill quail on the enclosed premises of any land owned without first obtaining permission therefor, and such offense may be punished as provided in section one of this act.

Which motion did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 18 the word "August" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "September."

Which motion did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 19 after the word "grouse" the words "snipe or prairie chicken."

Which motion did not prevail.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 26 section 2198 the word "may" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "shall."

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Edwards moved the previous question.

Which was supported.

The question being, shall the main question be now put,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The previous question was then ordered by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Laing,	Potter,	President
Deyo,			<i>pro tem.</i>

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Willits,
Crosby,	Harshaw,	Roof,	Wisner,

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	President,
Deyo,	Laing,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Edwards,	Mayo,		

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Willits,
Babcock, W. I.,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	Wisner,
Crosby,			

Title agreed to.

Mr. Crosby moved that the Senate go into committee of the whole on the general order.

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 22, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Franklin.

Roll called: a quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 851. Mr. Stark presented the following petition, which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

Byron Center, Mich., June 21, 1887.

Hon. George P. Stark:

DEAR SIR,—I wish to call your attention to the matter of the bill to form

school district No. 9 in the township of Byron. I understand the bill has passed the House, but that there will be some opposition in the Senate. I am firmly of the opinion that something should be done in the matter. I have no interest in forming a district, except for the public good. I suppose you understand there are four townships interested, and where there are so many it is very difficult to act in harmony. I believe it best that the Legislature should act in this matter and form school district No. 9.

Yours very respectfully,

SAMUEL TOBEY,

School Inspector for Township of Byron.

Per A. B. T.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 852. By Mr. Stark: Remonstrance of Henry H. Masten and Joseph Black, board of school inspectors for the township of Wyoming, Kent county, against the formation of school district No. 9 of Byron township.

Referred to the committee on education and public schools.

No. 853. By Mr. Stark: Remonstrance of S. A. Pelton and Luther M. Porter, board of school inspectors of the township of Byron, on the same subject.

Same reference.

No. 854. By Mr. Stark: Remonstrance of Frank J. Cook, Fred. G. Friend, E. Grant Chesebro, board of school inspectors of the township of Paris, Kent county, on the same subject.

Same reference.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on religious and benevolent societies:

The committee on religious and benevolent societies, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 491, entitled

A bill to legalize the reorganization of the Bridgeport Free Church association, and the election of trustees and their successors in office, and all the proceedings of said trustees, their books and records having been destroyed by fire,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,
The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate substitute for House bill No. 156 (file No. 312), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation, and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Calhoun, Barry and Eaton, now comprising the fifth judicial circuit.

FLOYD L. POST, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 81, entitled

A bill to provide for the preparation, publication and distribution of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the Michigan superintendent of the poor for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was re-referred Senate bill No. 32 (file 169), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for building a chapel, a store house, seven stone or iron porches and four colony houses for chronic insane, and a contiguous cottage for a resident physician at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 469, entitled

A bill to fix the per diem compensation of members of the State Legislature from the upper peninsula for and during the session of 1887,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 80 (file No. 67), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the current expenses of the State Normal School for the years 1887 and 1888,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 16 (file No. 118), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State public school, and for making improvements at that institution,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriation and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 44, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 181 of the laws of 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 348 (file 124), entitled

A bill to authorize the purchase of additional land for the use and benefit of the Michigan asylum for the insane at Kalamazoo,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 422 (file No. 104), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of additional land for the use of the State public school.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 371 (file No. 268 , entitled

A bill to regulate the trial of actions for damages arising from negligence,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the proposed amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committees discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill and proposed amendment were referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill Nos. 255, 782 (file 375), entitled

A bill to extend and regulate the liability of employers to make compensation for personal injuries suffered by workmen, or employers in their service, together with the proposed substitute therefor, being Senate file No. 294, entitled "A bill to secure compensation to workmen in certain cases,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill and proposed substitute were referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 64 (file No. 442), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act number 153 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 536, entitled

A bill to confirm assessments and the levy of taxes for municipal purposes in the city of East Saginaw, for the years 1873-4-5-6-7 and 1878, under the provisions of the charter of said city, and all titles to land based on the sales made by said city for non-payment thereof, and to authorize said city to institute suits for the recovery of such lands and in certain cases to maintain proceedings in chancery for the enforcement of the lien of said taxes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 517 (file No. 464), entitled

A bill to amend sections 6306, 6307 and 6308 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the appointment of guardians for minors by judges of probate,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committees on judiciary and labor:

The committees on judiciary and labor, to whom was referred jointly

Senate bill No. 3, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 3, 5 and 36, of chapter 136, of the revised statutes of 1846, and section 44 as added by act No. 201 of the session laws of 1867, being consecutive sections 8377, 8399, 8400 and 8408 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to liens of mechanics and others,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL,

Chairman Committee on Judiciary.

W. S. LAING,

Chairman Committee on Labor.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By the committees on judiciary and state affairs:

The committees on judiciary and state affairs, to whom was referred jointly Senate bill No. 275, entitled

A bill to abolish the State board of health and to provide for the closing up of the affairs thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL,
Chairman Judiciary Committee.
CALVIN B CROSBY,
Chairman State Affairs.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 437 (file No. 189), entitled

A bill to amend sections 12, 16, 17 and 24 of chapter 163 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to sales of lands by executors and administrators,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate joint resolution No. 13 (file No. 3), entitled

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to sec. 3, art. 4, of the constitution of this State, relative to the apportionment of representatives,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The joint resolution was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 444 (file No. 101), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of State auditors to adjust and allow claims for losses that any person, firm, or corporation may suffer by reason of the making of any law, or by any change in the constitution, whereby any trade, business, or occupation theretofore lawfully carried on within the State was, or shall be, made unlawful and is prohibited, and making provision for the payment of said claims.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 94 (file No. 37), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to define the limits, jurisdiction and powers of circuit courts," approved April 8, 1851, as amended by act No. 114 of the laws of 1881, being compiler's section 6432 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 234, entitled

A bill to protect men over fifty years of age from the designs of unchaste girls and women,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 415, entitled

A bill to amend sec. 6, chapter 7, of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto, approved June 20, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 435, entitled

A bill to bar the inchoate right of dower of insane married women in certain cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and

have directed me to report the same back to the House without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 276, entitled

A bill to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all laws relative thereto,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The bill was referred to the committee on public health.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock, for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 274, entitled

A bill to amend sections 6 and 7, and to repeal section 10 of an act relative to the State board of health, being compiler's sections 1627 1628 and 1631, of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman,*

Report accepted and committee discharged,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 128 (file 178), entitled

A bill to amend sections 8107, 8108, 8109, 8110, 8111, 8112, 8113, 8114, 8115, 8116, 8117, 8118 and 8119 and to repeal sections 8120 and 8121 of chapter 278 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, entitled "Proceedings at law in the nature of a judgment creditors' bill,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid upon the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 418, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 32 of Howell's annotated statutes, being compiler's section 1473, relative to recording town plats and vacating the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate joint resolution No. 22, entitled

A joint resolution requiring the State of Michigan to pay to The Hon. C. North certain money collected for trespass committed on land subsequently patented to him,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the joint resolution do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The joint resolution was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 466 (file No. 304), entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled An act concerning churches and religious societies, establishing uniform rules for the acquisition, tenure, control and disposition of property conveyed or dedicated for religious purposes, and to repeal chapter 57 of the revised statutes, and all acts amendatory thereof, being chapter 170 of Howell annotated statutes, to provide for the incorporation of Roman Catholic churches,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 325 (file No. 206), entitled

A bill to amend sec. 4430 of the compiled laws of 1871, being sec. 5898 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the duties of commissioners on claims against deceased persons and to provide for their compensation,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and

have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate joint resolution No. 25, entitled

Joint resolution extending the time for the completion of the Marquette, Houghton and Ontonogan railroad,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The joint resolution was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 386, entitled

A bill to amend act number 14, session laws of 1885, entitled "An act for the better protection of labor debts," approved March 13, 1885, by adding thereto a new section to stand as section 7,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 164, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," by adding a new section thereto to stand as section No. 135,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 151, entitled

A bill to amend sec. 66 of act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 31, entitled

A bill to amend sections 12, 14 and 18 of an act entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon, approved June 9, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 201, entitled

A bill to amend section 31 of act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, being an act entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 385, entitled

A bill to amend sec. 115 of act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon, approved June 9, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 205 (file No. 152), entitled

A bill to amend Secs. 3, 12, 26, 27, 31, 34, 35, 36, 42, 43, 45, 50, 53, 59, 61, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 74, 75, 80, 86, 87, 93, 98, 99, 104, 114, 115, 116, 118, and 119 of Act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes thereon,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 75 (file No. 24), entitled

A bill to provide for the collection of delinquent taxes and the forfeiture of lands for the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 272, entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of act No. 153 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes thereon,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 138, entitled

A bill to provide for the re-assessment of property in certain cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 118, entitled

A bill to amend sec. 119 of act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, relative to the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By Mr. J. W. Babcock for the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 101, entitled

A bill to amend section 43 of act No. 153 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on fisheries:

The committee on fisheries, to whom was referred

House bills Nos. 304 and 617 (file No. 430), entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of act No. 246 of the session laws of 1861, entitled An act to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes for the passage of fish through the dams across the streams of this State, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, the same being sections 2150, 2153, 2154, 2155 and 2166 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill, when so amended, do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following :

1. Senate bill No. 254 (file No 75), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 53 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 279, public acts of 1881, approved June 11, 1881, being compiler's section 1986 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to disorderly persons, as amended by act No. 136 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 31, 1883.

2. Senate bill No. 300, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, compensation and duties of a stenographer of the 24th judicial circuit.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 473 (file No. 287), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 173 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the publication and distribution of the reports of the secretary of the State board of agriculture, and the reports of the State horticultural society, and to repeal all existing laws providing for the publication and distribution of said reports,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred sundry petitions,

Nos. 152, 154, 231, 290 and 321,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that they do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The petitions were laid on the table.

By the committee on banks and incorporations:

The committee on banks and incorporations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 302, entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of

constructing, owning, controlling and leasing buildings for hotels, elevators, public halls and like purposes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that it lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on State normal school,

The committee on State normal school, to whom was referred,

Senate bill No. 168 (file No. 61), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act number 105 of the laws of 1863, being section 4968 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to diplomas of graduates of the State normal school,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that it do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. J. MONROE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 367, entitled

A bill amending the charter of the city of Detroit with regard to sidewalks, the laying, repairing and paying therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the House, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill amending the charter of the city of Detroit with regard to sidewalks, the laying, repairing and pay for the same,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 432, entitled

A bill to amend chapter 10 of an act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, approved June 7, 1883, by adding a new section to stand as section 22 of said chapter, relating to the assessment of taxes and their collection,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and

have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 434, entitled

A bill to amend section 5 and section 33 of an act to establish a police government for the city of Detroit, approved April 17, 1871, and the amendments thereto relative to the office of deputy superintendent of police.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 853, entitled

A bill to amend section 48 of chapter 7 and section 4 of chapter 16 of act No. 390 of the local acts of 1885 entitled An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron, approved June 17, 1835,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on labor:

The committee on labor, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 28 (file No. 50), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 145 of the session law of 1881, being section 8412 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to lien for labor on logs, timber, shingles, etc.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and that it lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. S. LAING, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Laing the bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on labor:

The committee on labor, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 141 (file No. 51), entitled

A bill for the protection of certain hired laborers against wrongful and unjust requirements of those employing them,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and without recommendation, and that it lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. M. S. LAING, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 238, entitled

A bill to appropriate the unsold swamp lands in the county of Ontonagon to aid in the construction of a railroad from Houghton, in the county of Houghton, to Rockland, in the county of Ontonagon,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. M. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House bill No. 280 (file No. 228), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of State auditors to audit and allow to Daniel H. Waters the sum of \$4 per acre for forty acres of land, and interest on the same from the 4th day of September, 1885, to date,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. M. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House joint resolution No. 17 (file No. 12), entitled

Joint resolution to authorize the State of Michigan to patent certain lands in Muskegon county to Henry Webster,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the joint resolution do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. M. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The joint resolution was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 748 (file No. 448), entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Saginaw to purchase and maintain the State road bridge across the Tittabawassee river in the county of Saginaw and the approaches and appurtenances thereto for a free public highway, and to issue bonds for that purpose, and to authorize any township or townships in Saginaw county to contract with said city for the purpose of aiding said city in such purchase and maintenance, and to authorize such townships to raise money by taxation, and to issue bonds for such purpose,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*,

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 488, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Ypsilanti to construct and maintain water works and to establish a board of public works,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved that a respectful message be sent to the Governor asking for the return of

Senate bill No. 1 (file No. 110, House file No. 446), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the mining school at Houghton, in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, and for heating, lighting and furnishing the same,

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 21, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—In compliance with a request from the Senate, this day received. asking for the return of Senate bill No. 47, entitled "A bill (an act) to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Mecosta and Newaygo, now comprising the 27th judicial circuit, I have the honor to herewith return the same.

Very respectfully,

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 21, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 47, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Mecosta and Newaygo, now comprising the 27th judicial circuit,

2. Senate bill No. 442, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Branch and St. Joseph, now comprising the 15th judicial circuit.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Edwards,

The first named bill was taken from the table and ordered returned to the House.

Mr. Willits moved that a respectful message be sent to the Governor asking for the return of the second named bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The President also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 249 (file No. 299), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of swamp land for the construction of a drain in the townships of Wisner and Gilford, Tuscola county.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 21, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 36 (file No. 140), entitled

A bill making appropriation for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan,

Which was re-transmitted to the House as shown by former message, together with the objections of the Governor to the passage of the same.

Now to inform the Senate that in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution, the bill and the message were presented to the House.

The question being shall the bill pass, the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding, and two-thirds of the members elect not voting therefor, the bill was not passed.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 21, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following, entitled bill:

House bill No. 344 (file No. 186), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Flushing, in Genesee county, Michigan, to borrow money to be used in public improvements in and for the benefit of said township, and to issue bonds therefor.

Which the Senate amended as shown by message of June 17, by striking out of line 2 of section 2 the words "two-thirds."

Now to inform the Senate that in said Senate ammendment the House non-concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 21, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 143 (file No. 114), entitled

A bill to amend section 4345 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 4808 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to wills of real and personal estate,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 21, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 1 (file No. 110, House file No. 446), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the mining school at Houghton, in the upper peninsula of Michigan, and for heating, lighting and furnishing the same.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The message was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 21, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 848 (file No. 445), entitled

A bill to amend sections one and nine of act No. 156 of the session laws of 1851, entitled An act to define the powers and duties of the boards of supervisors of the several counties and to confer upon them certain local administrative and legislative powers, approved April 8, 1851, being sections 457 and 475 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being compiler's sections 473 and 481 respectively, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

2. House bill No. 762 (file No. 409), entitled

A bill to regulate the employment of labor in prisons.

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on printing.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on labor.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing June 21, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 50 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 chapter 280 of Howell's annotated statutes, being compiler's section 8137, relative to proceedings by and against corporations in courts of law.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

Amend section 3 by striking from the end thereof the words "or navigation companies or corporations," and insert the following in lieu thereof: Companies or corporations whose right of way or any part of the same is within the boundaries of the State of Michigan, nor to navigation companies or corporations,

In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Pending concurrence in the amendment,

On motion of Mr. Palmer

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 21, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved (The Senate concurring), that from and after June 15th, A. D. 1887, the two houses will transact no other business than for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the approval of the Governor and the entry of the same on the Journal by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of House, and the time of final adjournment of the Legislature shall be Saturday, June 18th, at 12 m. of that day.

Which the Senate amended to read as follows:

Resolved (The Senate concurring), that from and after June 24, A. D. 1887, the two Houses will transact no other business than for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the approval of the Governor, and the entry of the same on the Journal by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House, and the time of final adjournment of the Legislature shall be Wednesday, June 29, at 12 m. of that day.

And to inform the Senate that in the adoption of which as thus amended, the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The message was laid upon the table.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sharp moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 577 (file No. 413), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 193 of the compiled laws of 1871, being chapter 267 of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding four new sections thereto, relative to the sale of homesteads for the payment of debts of deceased persons, and expenses of administering their estates.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Palmer,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Laing,	Post,	Stark,	
Barton,	Mayo,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Monroe,	Rairden,	Willits,	
Fox,	Moon,	Roof,	Wisner,	24

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Title agreed to.

Mr. J. W. Babcock offered the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, Prompt legislation requires both promptness and fidelity on the part of the public printer; and

WHEREAS, The printing ordered by the Michigan Legislature during the present session is the largest in amount known in the history of Michigan; and

WHEREAS, The unprecedented celerity with which Messrs. Thorp & Godfrey have printed and furnished the Daily Legislative Journal, both volumes of the Legislative manual, the speed and accuracy with which the bills and joint resolutions have been printed, and the fidelity with which all work has been performed, has saved the Legislature many days' work and consequently the State much money; therefore, be it

Resolved (the House concurring), That the Legislature, by this resolution, publicly thanks Messrs. Thorp & Godfrey, State printers, for the excellent manner in which they have performed the State printing; and be it further

Resolved, That the secretary of the Senate and the clerk of the House be and they are hereby instructed to have these preambles and resolutions properly engrossed and present the same to Messrs. Thorp & Godfrey with the compliments of the Legislature of Michigan for 1887, and its best wishes for their future.

Which was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Howell moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 656 (file No. 276), entitled

A bill to organize a medical corps of the Michigan State troops.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

It was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows: By striking out of section 2 the following words:

"And on the recommendation of a board of three medical officers of the Michigan State troops; said board to be appointed by the brigade commander."

On which

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Sharp,	
Crosby,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,	8

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. O'Reilly,
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Monroe,	Rairden,
Barton,	Howell,	Moon,	Seymour, 12

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Gorman moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of section 2 the following: "and to be representatives of the different schools of medicine."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out all of section 6 after the word "department."

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill as amended was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Palmer,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Post,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Monroe	Rairden,
Edwards,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Wisner,

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Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Sharp,
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	Willits,
Deyo,	O'Reilly,		

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Mr. Howell moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Howell moved that there be a call of the Senate;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Edwards moved that a respectful message be sent to the House asking for the return of

1. House bill No. 134 (file No. 80), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Manistee, Mason, Lake and Osceola, now composing the nineteenth judicial circuit.

2. House bill Nos. 138 and 203 (file No. 77), entitled

A bill to amend section 2198 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relating to the protection of game.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Seymour moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 919 (file No. 398), entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the township board of the township of Maple river, in the county of Emmet, in this State, to compromise, settle and discharge a judgment rendered in the circuit court of the county of Emmet, in favor of said township of Maple River and against George W. Green, a de-

faulting treasurer of said township, and William Kage, William Longaker and Leroy Sandford, his sureties, for less than the full amount thereof.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Seymour,	
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,		27

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Harshaw moved to take from the order of third reading

Senate bill No. 259 (file No. 130), entitled

A bill to establish, protect and enforce the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for the erection, altering, repairing or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures; and to repeal act No. 258 of the session laws of 1879; all acts amendatory thereof, relating to mechanics' liens.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

It was then read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid upon the table.

Mr. Edwards moved to take from the table

House bill No. 853, entitled

A bill to amend section 48 of chapter 7, and section 4 of chapter 16 of act No. 390 of local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,

Mr. Campbell, Crosby, Deyo,	Mr. Howell, Laing, Mayo,	Mr. Post, Potter, Rairden,	Mr. Westgate, Willits, Wisner,	28
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barringer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sharp moved to take from the order of third reading

House bill No. 291 (file No. 306), entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which insurance companies, not organized under the laws of this State, but doing business within it, shall transact their business.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Campbell moved to take from the table

House bill No. 408 (file No. 435), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Kawkawlin and attach the same to the township of Bangor in Bay county.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood, Babcock, W.I. Barton, Campbell, Crosby, Deyo, Edwards,	Mr. Fox, Giddings, Gorman, Harshaw, Holbrook, Laing, Monroe,	Mr. Moon, O'Reilly, Palmer, Post, Potter, Rairden, Roof,	Mr. Seymour, Sharp, Stark, Westgate, Willits, Wisner	27
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Wisner moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 491, entitled

A bill to legalize the re-organization of the Bridgeport Free Church association and the election of trustees and their successors in office and all the proceedings of said trustees, their books and records having been destroyed by fire.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Laing,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Mayo,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Monroe,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Deyo,			

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Post moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 66 (file No. 275), entitled

A bill to provide for indeterminate sentences and disposition, management and release of criminals under such sentence.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon the motion to strike out the enacting clause,

Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Gorman,			

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Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Laing,		

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The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Laing,	Roof,	

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Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Deyo,			

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Willits moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 568 (file No. 176), entitled

A bill to incorporate engineering societies.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	
Edwards,	Mayo,		
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Title agreed to.

Mr. Sharp moved that the committee on States Prison be added to the committee on labor for the consideration of

House bill No. 762 (file No. 409), entitled

A bill to regulate the employment of labor in prison.

Which motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR,—In compliance with a request from the Senate just received, for the return of Senate bill No. 1 (file No. 110), entitled

A bill (An Act) making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the mining school at Houghton, in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, and for heating, lighting and furnishing the same.

I have the honor to herewith return the same.

Very respectfully,

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was ordered returned to the House in accordance with their request.

The President also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR : In compliance with a request of the Senate of this date, I have the honor to return herewith

Senate bill No. 442, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation, and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Branch and St. Joseph, now composing the fifteenth judicial district.

Very respectfully,

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The bill was ordered returned to the House.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

The Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Gorman moved to take from the order of unfinished business

House bill No. 233 (file No. 391), entitled

A bill to protect fish and preserve the fisheries of this State by regulating the meshes of nets and the use of fishing apparatus, prohibiting the fouling of the waters and destruction of fishing grounds by the refuse of manufacture or other debris, and to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 8, 10, 11, 12 and 13, of act No. 350, of the session laws of 1865, approved March 21, 1865, sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, of act No. 188, of the public acts of 1875, approved May 1, 1875, and section 4, of act No. 141, of the public acts of 1883, approved June 2, 1883,

And that it be referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Gorman moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 296 (file No. 368), entitled

A bill to regulate the freight tariff, to provide for a uniform classification of freights and maximum freight rates, and to prevent unjust discrimination in charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of freights upon the railroads in this State.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills subject to amendment as in committee of the whole.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 741 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill to amend section 6626 of Howell's annotated statutes, being section 5072 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to courts of chancery.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings	Mayo,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Gorman,,	Moon,	Stark,	
Barton, .	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Rairden,		27

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

"A bill to amend section 36 of chapter 176 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 6626, of Howells annotated statutes, relative to courts of chancery."

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Mr. O'Reily moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 867 (file No. 380), entitled

A bill to amend section 33, of chapter 7, and sections 1, 33, 34, 35 and 36 of chapter 11 of act No. 326, of the session laws of 1883, entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. O'Reily,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Monroe,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,		31

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Roof moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No 327 (file No. 247), entitled

A bill to authorize the sale in certain cases of land devised or bequeathed by will without power of sale,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Babcock, W. L.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Potter,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,	28

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Mr. Howell,	1
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Title agreed to.

The President announced that the hour of 2:30 o'clock p. m. had arrived, being the time fixed for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being for the further consideration of
Senate bill No. 216 (file No. 103), entitled

A bill to incorporate and to govern mutual fire, marine, and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Michigan.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Roof to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:
Senate bill No. 216 (file No. 103), entitled

A bill to incorporate and to govern mutual fire, marine, and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Michigan,

Have made sundry amendments thereto. and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

ALBERT K. ROOF, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the committee of the whole,

The Senate concurred, and the bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Gorman moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 96 and 871 (file No. 372), entitled

A bill to amend section 8218 of Howell's annotated statutes, being section

6630 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act number 63, of the session laws of 1883, relative to proceedings by and against public bodies having certain corporate powers, and by and against officers representing them.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Roof,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,		27

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Mayo moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 571 (file No. 394), entitled

A bill to provide for the publication of names and postoffice address of ex-soldiers, sailors and marines living in the State of Michigan, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Rairden,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Campbell,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Post,	Willits,	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Giddings,				25

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Crosby moved that the State printer be instructed to print for the use of the Senate 5,000 extra copies of the report of the committee on appropriations and finance on

Senate bill No 13 (file No. 162), entitled

A bill to equalize State bounties to volunteers in the late war of the rebellion,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Westgate moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate file No. 260, being Senate reprint of

House bill No. 149 (file No. 252), entitled

A bill to authorize the county of Presque Isle to issue bonds and to create a sinking fund for the payment thereof, and of bonds heretofore issued,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W.I.	Gorman,	Moon,	Seymour,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Crosby,	Holbrook.	Palmer,	Stark,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Post,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Laing,	Potter,	Willits,	
Fox,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,	28

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Harshaw moved to take from the table

House bill No. 430 (file No. 130), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 12, and 13, of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the public schools of Albion," being act number 267 of session laws of the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five," approved March 12, 1885,

Pending which,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate take a recess until 7:30 o'clock P. M.,

On which,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. O'Reilly,	
Barton,	Gorman,	Laing,	Post,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Mayo,	Wisner,	13

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Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,	
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,	Stark,	
Edwards,	Monroe,	Rairden,	Westgate,	
Giddings,	Moon,	Roof,	Willits,	16

The motion to take from the table was then withdrawn.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 100 (file No. 221), entitled

A bill to regulate telephone companies within the State of Michigan by fixing the rental of telephone instruments connected with the wires of the companies, and prohibiting discrimination between patrons, and providing penalties for its violation,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

Joint resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to use their best endeavors to secure such legislation as will prevent extortionary rates for the use of patents.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The joint resolution was ordered printed in the Journal, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

The following is the joint resolution:

Joint resolution, requesting our senators and representatives in congress to use their best endeavors to secure such legislation as will prevent extortionate rates for the use of patents.

WHEREAS, It is charged that patentees are charged extortionary rates for the use of telephone and other inventions that have become public necessities in business circles, as well as on articles patented, which they manufacture or cause to be manufactured and placed on sale in the open markets of the country, and bill to persons who are not informed that they are patents, the unauthorized use of which will subject them to vexatious suits at law, or the payment of excessive royalty;

AND WHEREAS, It is the duty of the government to protect the people from unfair or extortionary rates for the use of inventions protected by letters patent, and from the collection of royalty by patentees on articles sold in the open market; therefore

Resolved by the Senate of the State of Michigan (the House of Representatives concurring, That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be and they are hereby requested to use their best endeavors to secure such legislation as will result in so amending the patent laws, that the question of excessive charges to the people as royalty, shall be taken into consideration by the Commissioner of Patents whenever charges of this kind are proposed, and whenever there is a reissue asked for, or granted, and when such patented articles are sold in the open market, without written notice to the purchaser that they are protected by letters patent; and be it further

Resolved, That our senators and representatives in congress are further requested to secure the enactment of suitable laws to enable any person, desiring to use a patent, who is unable to make satisfactory terms with the holder of said patent for the use thereof, to have the aid of the courts of the United States to fix and determine the terms on which said patent may be used.

By the committee on public health:

The committee on public health, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 276, entitled

A bill to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor and to repeal all laws relative thereto,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 2 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto," approved June 20, 1885,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEORGE HOWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Howell

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Howell

The bill was ordered printed in the journal and laid on the table.

The following is the bill.

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 2 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto," approved June 20, 1885.

SECTION 1. *The people of the State of Michigan enact*, That section four of chapter two of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto," approved June 20, 1885, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 4. [The jurisdiction of the township drain commissioner shall be limited to all drains having their beginning, entire course, and terminus within the township, and where all the lands to be assessed therefor are located therein. He shall also have concurrent jurisdiction with drain commissioners of adjoining townships where the drain or the proposed drain lies in more than one township, or where lands to be assessed for the construction and maintenance of such drain is located in an adjoining township; but such concurrent jurisdiction shall extend only to the determination of the necessity for such drain, the commencement and terminus, the time of completion, and the per cent of benefits that each township shall bear in the construction and maintenance thereof. In case of a disagreement of township drain commissioners in determining the per cent of the cost of construction and maintenance of any drain which each township shall bear, then the drain commissioner of an adjoining town shall be called in and shall determine such per cent.] The county drain commissioner shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the township drain commissioner, and shall also have jurisdiction over all drains within his county, except that in all cases where the entire drain shall be laid in one county and the benefits to be derived therefrom and the assessments for its construction shall extend to lands situated in one or more adjoining coun-

ties, then all such drains shall be laid by the commissioners of such counties acting jointly, and all their proceedings shall be had under the provisions of this act regulating the construction of drains traversing more than one county

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 12, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 17, 1883, to abolish the board of councilmen of the city of Detroit, to devolve certain powers and duties of said board of councilmen upon the board of aldermen, as the common council of said city, and to establish a board of estimates in and for said city,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on liquor traffic:

The committee on liquor traffic, to whom was referred

House bill No. 188 (file No. 87), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 259, session laws of 1881, being compiler's section 2271 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the selling, furnishing or giving of any spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented or vinous liquors, or any beverage livnor or liquors containing any spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented or vinous liquors to certain persons.

Senate bill No. 73, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 6 of act No. 156 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to amend sections 1, 4, 6, and 8," of act No. 268 of the session laws of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation of the business of manufacturing and selling spirituous and intoxicating, malt, brewed or fermented liquors."

Senate bill No. 185, entitled

A bill to prevent the employment of persons addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors as drivers of public conveyances.

Senate bill No. 425, entitled

A bill to amend section 1288 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act No. 183 of the session laws of 1883, relative to the taxation of the business of manufacturing and selling of spirituous and intoxicating, malt, brewed and fermented liquor.

Senate bill No. 196, entitled

A bill to amend section 10, act 259, laws of 1881, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented and vinous liquors, to prohibit the sale of such liquors to minors, intoxicated persons, and to persons in the habit of getting intoxicated, to provide a remedy against persons selling liquor to husbands or children in certain cases, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," being section 2279 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Senate bill No. 150, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 6 and 12 of act No. 259 of the public acts of

1881, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented and vinous liquors, to prohibit the sale of such liquors to minors, to intoxicated persons and to persons in the habit of getting intoxicated, to provide a remedy against persons selling liquors to husbands or children in certain cases, and to repeal all acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent herewith.

Senate bill No. 71, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 259 of the session laws of 1881, approved June 10, 1881, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented or vinous liquors, to prohibit the sale of such liquors to minors, to intoxicated persons, and to persons in the habit of getting intoxicated, to provide a remedy against persons selling liquors to husbands or children in certain cases, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith."

Senate bill No. 40, entitled

A bill to amend section 16 of act No. 259 of session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented, and vinous liquors, to prohibit the sale of such liquors to minors, intoxicated persons and to persons in the habit of getting intoxicated, and to provide a remedy against persons selling liquors to husbands or children in certain cases, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," as amended by act number 191 of the session laws of 1883.

Senate joint resolution No. 1, entitled

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to Article 4 of the Constitution of this State, relative to the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of spirituous, malt and vinous liquors, and the right of property therein, except for mechanical, medicinal, chemical, and scientific purposes, by adding a new section thereto to stand as section 49.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that they do lie on the table and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bills and joint resolution were laid on the table.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred,

Senate bill No. 106 (file No. 41), entitled

A bill to establish county boards of education and to repeal chapter 12 of the general school laws, being chapter 12 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, relative to the examination of teachers and supervision of schools.

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 53), entitled

A bill to regulate the uniformity of text books in the public schools, and to provide and distribute the same,

Senate bill No. 379 (file No. 254), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of act No. 53 of the public acts of 1877, entitled "An act to provide for the better support of teachers' institutes, and to repeal sections 3789, 3790 and 3791 of the compiled laws of 1871," approved April 5, 1877, as amended by act No. 112 of the public acts of 1883.

Senate bill No. 202, entitled

A bill to empower school district boards to provide text books for the district in certain cases in this State.

Senate bill No. 244, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 3 in the township of Emmett, St. Clair county, Michigan, and to annex it to school district No. 8, in the township of Brockway and making it a fractional district.

House bill No. 471 (file No. 456), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 108 session laws of 1885, entitled *An act to provide for the compulsory reformatory education of juvenile disorderly persons*, approved May 21, 1885.

House bill No. 207 (file No. 96), entitled

A bill to amend section No. 3 of chapter 12 of act No. 164 of session laws of 1881, entitled "*An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools*," and repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act, being compiler's section 5152 of Howell's annotated statutes.

House bill No. 470 (file No. 455), entitled

A bill to repeal sections numbered 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12 of act No. 144, session laws of 1883, entitled "*An act to provide for the compulsory education of children in certain areas*," approved June 5th, 1883.

House bill No. 184 (file No. 78), entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 12 of the school laws, being compiler's section 5160 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the compensation of chairmen of township boards of school inspectors.

House bill No. 43 (file No. 20), entitled

A bill to amend section 112 of chapter 12 of act No. 164 of the session laws of 1881, being sections 5150 and 5161 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the election and appointment of school examiners.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The bills were laid on the table.

By the committee on State capitol and public buildings:

The committee on State capitol and public buildings, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 67, entitled

A bill to provide for lighting the State capitol building and grounds with the electric light,

Respectfully report that they have the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. W. BARTON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barton,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 129, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 11 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "*An act to prohibit any person from obstructing the regular operations and conduct*"

of the business of railroad companies or other corporations, firms or individuals," approved February 14, 1877, being sections 9274, 9275 and 9276 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 200, entitled

A bill to amend the seventh clause of section 9 of article 2 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, relative to the incorporation and regulation of railroad companies, and their liabilities in certain cases.

Senate bill No. 104 (file No. 82), entitled

A bill to fix the liability of railroads in certain cases.

Senate bill No. 282 (file No. 88), entitled

A bill to amend section 36 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, being consecutive section 3350, chapter 91, of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 194 of the session laws of 1883, relative to the crossing of one railroad by another,

Senate bill No. 116 (file No. 83), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 177, of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act relative to the delivery of grain by railway companies, approved May 31, 1881.

Senate bill No. 414, entitled

A bill to regulate the collection of fares on railroad trains.

Senate bill No. 176, entitled

A bill to amend section 41 of article 2 of act No. 198, of the session laws of 1873, as amended by act No. 207 of the public acts of 1879, as amended by act No. 174, public acts of 1883.

House bill No. 174 (file No. 364), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7 and 36 of article 2, of an act entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State, approved May 1, 1873, as amended, being compiler's sections 3350, of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act number 174, of the session laws of 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The bills were laid on the table.

Mr. Rairden moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 866 (file No. 406), entitled

A bill to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties and to punish offenses committed thereat,

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate took a recess until 7:30 P. M.

ties, then all such drains shall be laid by the commissioners of such counties acting jointly, and all their proceedings shall be had under the provisions of this act regulating the construction of drains traversing more than one county

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 12, entitled

A bill supplementary to an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 17, 1883, to abolish the board of councilmen of the city of Detroit, to devolve certain powers and duties of said board of councilmen upon the board of aldermen, as the common council of said city, and to establish a board of estimates in and for said city,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on liquor traffic:

The committee on liquor traffic, to whom was referred

House bill No. 188 (file No. 87), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 259, session laws of 1881, being compiler's section 2271 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the selling, furnishing or giving of any spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented or vinous liquors, or any beverage livuor or liquors containing any spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented or vinous liquors to certain persons.

Senate bill No. 73, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 6 of act No. 156 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to amend sections 1, 4, 6, and 8," of act No. 268 of the session laws of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation of the business of manufacturing and selling spirituous and intoxicating, malt, brewed or fermented liquors."

Senate bill No. 185, entitled

A bill to prevent the employment of persons addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors as drivers of public conveyances.

Senate bill No. 425, entitled

A bill to amend section 1288 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act No. 183 of the session laws of 1883, relative to the taxation of the business of manufacturing and selling of spirituous and intoxicating, malt, brewed and fermented liquor.

Senate bill No. 196, entitled

A bill to amend section 10, act 259, laws of 1881, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented and vinous liquors, to prohibit the sale of such liquors to minors, intoxicated persons, and to persons in the habit of getting intoxicated, to provide a remedy against persons selling liquor to husbands or children in certain cases, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," being section 2279 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Senate bill No. 150, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 6 and 12 of act No. 259 of the public acts of

1881, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented and vinous liquors, to prohibit the sale of such liquors to minors, to intoxicated persons and to persons in the habit of getting intoxicated, to provide a remedy against persons selling liquors to husbands or children in certain cases, and to repeal all acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent herewith.

Senate bill No. 71, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 259 of the session laws of 1881, approved June 10, 1881, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented or vinous liquors, to prohibit the sale of such liquors to minors, to intoxicated persons, and to persons in the habit of getting intoxicated, to provide a remedy against persons selling liquors to husbands or children in certain cases, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith."

Senate bill No. 40, entitled

A bill to amend section 16 of act No. 259 of session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented, and vinous liquors, to prohibit the sale of such liquors to minors, intoxicated persons and to persons in the habit of getting intoxicated, and to provide a remedy against persons selling liquors to husbands or children in certain cases, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," as amended by act number 191 of the session laws of 1883.

Senate joint resolution No. 1, entitled

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to Article 4 of the Constitution of this State, relative to the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of spirituous, malt and vinous liquors, and the right of property therein, except for mechanical, medicinal, chemical, and scientific purposes, by adding a new section thereto to stand as section 49.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that they do lie on the table and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bills and joint resolution were laid on the table.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred,

Senate bill No. 106 (file No. 41), entitled

A bill to establish county boards of education and to repeal chapter 12 of the general school laws, being chapter 12 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, relative to the examination of teachers and supervision of schools.

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 53), entitled

A bill to regulate the uniformity of text books in the public schools, and to provide and distribute the same,

Senate bill No. 379 (file No. 254), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of act No. 53 of the public acts of 1877, entitled "An act to provide for the better support of teachers' institutes, and to repeal sections 3789, 3790 and 3791 of the compiled laws of 1871," approved April 5, 1877, as amended by act No. 112 of the public acts of 1883.

Senate bill No. 202, entitled

A bill to empower school district boards to provide text books for the district in certain cases in this State.

Senate bill No. 244, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 3 in the township of Emmett, St. Clair county, Michigan, and to annex it to school district No. 8, in the township of Brockway and making it a fractional district.

House bill No. 471 (file No. 456), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 108 session laws of 1885, entitled An act to provide for the compulsory reformatory education of juvenile disorderly persons, approved May 21, 1885.

House bill No. 207 (file No. 96), entitled

A bill to amend section No. 3 of chapter 12 of act No. 164 of session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools," and repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act, being compiler's section 5152 of Howell's annotated statutes.

House bill No. 470 (file No. 455), entitled

A bill to repeal sections numbered 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12 of act No. 144, session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the compulsory education of children in certain assecs," approved June 5th, 1883.

House bill No. 184 (file No. 78), entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 12 of the school laws, being compiler's section 5160 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the compensation of chairmen of township boards of school inspectors.

House bill No. 43 (file No. 20), entitled

A bill to amend section 112 of chapter 12 of act No. 164 of the session laws of 1881, being sections 5150 and 5161 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the election and appointment of school examiners.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The bills were laid on the table.

By the committee on State capitol and public buildings:

The committee on State capitol and public buildings, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 67, entitled

A bill to provide for lighting the State capitol building and grounds with the electric light,

Respectfully report that they have the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. W. BARTON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barton,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 129, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 11 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to prohibit any person from obstructing the regular operations and conduct

of the business of railroad companies or other corporations, firms or individuals," approved February 14, 1877, being sections 9274, 9275 and 9276 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 200, entitled

A bill to amend the seventh clause of section 9 of article 2 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, relative to the incorporation and regulation of railroad companies, and their liabilities in certain cases.

Senate bill No. 104 (file No. 82), entitled

A bill to fix the liability of railroads in certain cases.

Senate bill No. 282 (file No. 88), entitled

A bill to amend section 36 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, being consecutive section 3350, chapter 91, of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 194 of the session laws of 1883, relative to the crossing of one railroad by another,

Senate bill No. 116 (file No. 83), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 177, of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act relative to the delivery of grain by railway companies, approved May 31, 1881.

Senate bill No. 414, entitled

A bill to regulate the collection of fares on railroad trains.

Senate bill No. 176, entitled

A bill to amend section 41 of article 2 of act No. 198, of the session laws of 1873, as amended by act No. 207 of the public acts of 1879, as amended by act No. 174, public acts of 1883.

House bill No. 174 (file No. 364), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7 and 36 of article 2, of an act entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State, approved May 1, 1873, as amended, being compiler's sections 3350, of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act number 174, of the session laws of 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

H. W. SEYMOUR, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Seymour,

The bills were laid on the table.

Mr. Bairden moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 866 (file No. 406), entitled

A bill to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties and to punish offenses committed thereat,

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate took a recess until 7:30 P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

The President *pro tem.* called the Senate to order.

The question pending at the time of taking a recess being on the motion to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of House bill No. 866 (file No. 406), entitled

A bill to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties and to punish offenses committed thereat,

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Moon moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 396, entitled

A bill to amend article 2, section 9, of act No. 188 of the session laws of 1873, approved May 1, 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railway companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads, or other corporations owning or operating any railroad in the State, and all acts amendatory thereof."

Which motion prevailed.

On Motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was referred to the committee on printing.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 449, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a stenographer for the 18th judicial circuit,

Was read a third time and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting after the word "behavior" in line 4, section 1, the words "not exceeding the term of the judge recommending his appointment."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Post moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of section 3 the words "Twelve hundred dollars per annum from the county of Bay, three hundred dollars from the county of Arenac and three hundred dollars from the county of Gladwin, which said sums shall be paid in monthly instalments out of the county treasuries of the counties aforesaid," and by inserting in lieu thereof the following words:

"Eighteen hundred dollars per annum, which said sum shall be paid in monthly installments out of the county treasuries of the counties aforesaid. The amount to be paid by each of said counties shall be determined upon the basis of the number of suits entered and commenced in the circuit courts of the said counties, respectively, the preceding year, and on the first day of January of each year, or as soon thereafter as may be, it shall be the duty of the judge of said courts to apportion the amount of such salary to be paid by each county respectively, upon the basis aforesaid, and to notify the treasurer of each county thereof; and when so notified the treasurer of each of said counties shall thereafter, until a new apportionment of salary is made, pay, in monthly installments, the annual salary of said stenographer, in accordance with said apportionment and notification of the circuit judge; and

the receipt of said stenographer shall be a sufficient voucher for each of the county treasurers aforesaid."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> 28

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Campbell moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Bay, Arenac, and Gladwin, now comprising the 18th judicial circuit.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 719 (file No. 387), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of central and local associations of mint growers,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 29
Edwards,	Mayo,		

NAYS.

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Willits moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the incorporation of central and local associations of growers of mint and other essential oil plants.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 443 (file No. 216), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 3 of title 9 of Howell's annotated statutes, entitled Of highways, bridges, private roads and ferries, by adding thereto three new sections, to stand as sections 16, 17 and 18,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W.I.,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Roof,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Moon,	Sharp,	President
Deyo,	O'Reilly,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 22

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Mr. Barton,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	4
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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 303 (file No. 288, entitled)

A bill to amend section 4 of act No. 9 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a Commissioner of Mineral Statistics, and defining the duties and compensation of the same," as amended by act No. 74 of the session laws of 1883.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Westgate,
Barton,	Giddings,	Rairden,	Willits,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Roof,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Sharp,	President,
Deyo,	Moon,	Stark,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 20
Edwards.			0

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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 252 (file No. 63), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the township of Sanborn, in the county of Alpena,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W.I.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Gorman,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Howell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 25
Edwards,	Moon,		0

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 84 (file No. 166), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 237 of the laws of 1881, entitled "An act to authorize and regulate within this State the business of plate glass, accident, live stock, steam boiler and fidelity insurance, and to repeal acts Nos. 42 and 72 of the session laws of 1877," approved June 3, 1881, being section 4325 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Deyo,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Howell,	Potter,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 24

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Rairden,	2
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Title agreed to.

Senate joint resolution No. 27 (file No. 8), entitled

Joint resolution declaring forfeited all the uncertified lands within the limits of the Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagon railroad land grant, together with all the lands certified or uncertified, which lie opposite the uncompleted section of said railroad, extending from L'Anse to Ontonagon, and authorizing the railroad board of control to confer said lands and all the rights, franchises, powers and privileges which were granted to the State of Michigan by the United States, to aid in the construction of a railroad from Marquette to Ontonagon, in said State, upon some other competent company,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the joint resolution, as follows:

By adding at the end of the joint resolution the following words, "provided that nothing in this resolution contained shall in any manner affect the rights of any person who shall have filed a homestead or pre-emption claim on any lands within the limits of said grant prior to January 1, 1887."

Which motion prevailed and the joint resolution was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Holbrook moved to amend the joint resolution as follows:

By striking out the last resolution.

On which

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Potter,
Fox,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,
Gorman,	Mayo,		

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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Rairden,	Willits,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Roof,	President
Crosby,	Palmer,	Westgate,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Giddings,	Post,		

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Pending the passage of the joint resolution,

Mr. Holbrook moved to lay the joint resolution upon the table,

On which

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,
Deyo,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Wisner,
Fox,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	

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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Willits,
Babcock, J. W.	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,
Barton,	Palmer,	Stark,	President
Crosby,	Post,	Westgate,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Giddings,			

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Pending the passage of the joint resolution,

Mr. Hubbell moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators were reported absent without leave: Messrs. Laing and Sharp.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Laing for the session.

On motion of Mr. Potter,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was despatched after the absentee.

On motion of Mr. Deyo.

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

Mr. Deyo moved the previous question;

Which was supported.

The question being, shall the main question be now put,

The same was ordered by a majority of the Senators.

The joint resolution as amended was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, J. W.,	Howell,	Roof,	Willits,
Babcock, W. I.	Hubbell,	Sharp,	President
Barton,	Post,	Stark,	<i>pro tem.</i>

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NAYS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Palmer,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Potter,
Deyo,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,
Fox,			

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Mr. Hubbell moved to re-consider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the joint resolution.

Pending which,

Mr. Mayo moved to lay the motion to re-consider on the table.

On which

Mr. Holbrook demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,
Campbell,

Mr. Holbrook,
Mayo,

Mr. O'Reilly,

Mr. Potter,

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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W., Mr. Hubbell,
Barton, Moon,
Crosby, Palmer,
Giddings, Post,
Howell, Rairden,

Mr. Roof,
Sharp,
Stark,
Westgate,

Mr. Willits,
Wisner,
President
pro tem.,

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The motion to reconsider then prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the joint resolution,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The joint resolution was laid upon the table.

Pending the third reading of

Senate bill No. 139 (file No. 293), entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3 (as amended by act number 22 of the session laws of 1883) and 5 of act number 127 of the session laws of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for inspection of illuminating oils manufactured from petroleum or coal oils, and to repeal act number 181 of the session laws of 1875, approved May 1, 1875, and act number 196 of the session laws of 1877, approved May 22, 1877 being sections 1538, 1539, and 1541, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 23, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Beattie.

Roll called: a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Stark.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Stark for the day.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 868, entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of an act entitled An act to provide for the taking of private property for the public use, and for the opening, extending, widening and straightening of streets and alleys in the city of Detroit, and to repeal act No. 281 of the session laws of 1883, being an act entitled An act to provide for the taking of private property for the public use, and for opening of streets and alleys by the city of Detroit, being act No. 354 of the local acts of 1885, approved May 14, 1885,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

1. House bill No. 425 (file No. 326), entitled

A bill to provide for the employment of convicts in the prisons of Michigan, including the Detroit house of correction, to establish their hours of labor, and to make an appropriation for the employment of convicts and to repeal all acts in contravention to this act.

2. House bill No. 277 and 455 (file No. 476), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of real estate, mortgages, and other real estate securities,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on State prison.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 380, entitled

A bill to provide for the introduction and use of safety gates upon swing and draw bridges,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (the Senate concurring), That 1000 copies of all acts of the Legislature ordered to take immediate effect be printed in pamphlet form and distributed by the Secretary of State, and that 500 additional copies of the immediate effect acts be printed for the use of the House and Senate and distributed proportionately among the members,

Which has passed the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The concurrent resolution was referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 23, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 178 (file No. 236), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7 and 36 of article 2 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State," approved May 1, 1873, as amended, being compiler's section 3350 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act No. 174 of the session laws of 1883,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. Amend section 1, lines 5 and 6, by striking out the words "three thousand three hundred and twenty-nine,"

2. Amend section 1, line 8, by striking out the words "session laws" and insert in lieu thereof the words "public acts,"

3. Amend section 1, line 9, by inserting after the word "three" the following words: "approved June 7, 1883."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 7 and 36, of article 2, of act No. 198, session laws of 1873, entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State, approved May 1, 1873, as amended, being compiler's sections 3321 and 3350, of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act number 174, of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883,

In the passage of which, as thus amended, and with the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,	
Barton,	Fox,	Laing,	Roof,	
Campbell,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Wisner,	20

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The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the title,

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The Senate concurred.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 774 (file No. 493), entitled

A bill to fix the salary of the private secretary of the auditor general,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect,

and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22. 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR,—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 442, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Branch and St. Joseph, now comprising the 15th judicial circuit,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

1. Amend sec. 1, line 7, by striking out the word "court" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "by the Governor upon recommendation of the circuit judge of said counties."

2. Amend sec. 1, in line 8, by striking out the words "during good behavior" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "during the period of six years,"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, and the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,
Babcock, J.W.	Fox,	Laing,	Roof,
Babcock, W.I.,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Sharp,
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Deyo,			

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 265 (file No. 71), entitled

A bill to provide for the confinement of persons who may be found guilty of the violation of a village ordinance or ordinances in incorporated villages in the county of Wayne in this State,

2. Senate bill No. 346 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of Au Train in the county of Alger, In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all, the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the second named bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bills were then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill 557, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of West Branch, in the county of Ogemaw, to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor, and to provide for the levying of taxes therein to pay the same.

2. House bill No. 606, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 17, 22 and 23 of act No. 161 of the public acts of 1885, entitled An act to establish the police court of the city of Detroit, approved June 9, 1885, and to add one section thereto to stand as section 26,

Which have passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The first named bill was read a first and second time by its title and Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The bill was laid on the table.

The second named bill was read a first and second time by its title and

Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 119 (file No. 263), entitled

A bill to provide for the recording of mortgages in separate books for separate assessing districts in counties, and to prescribe the duties of boards of supervisors, registers of deeds, assessing and other officers in relation thereto.

And to inform the Senate that the House has adopted a substitute for the bill entitled

A bill to provide for reporting all mortgages by the several registers of deeds of this State to the supervisors and assessing officers of their respective counties, and to the registers of deeds of other counties wherein the mortgagee resides, for assessment purposes, and providing blank form books therefor. Also prescribing the duties of registers of deeds relative to the recording of mortgages,

In the passage of which as thus substituted the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 440 (file No. 271), entitled

A bill to repeal act number 94 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Gratiot in improving the channel of Maple river, and to authorize a tax to complete the same, and to repeal act number 50, of the session laws of 1881, entitled 'An act to authorize the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to remove bars and obstructions in Maple river, in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot,' approved March 26, 1881," approved May 13, 1885,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The two named bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 339, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of an act to re-organize the public library of Bay City and to repeal section 12 of act No. 370 of the session laws of 1867, entitled An act to organize union school districts of Bay City, approved March 20, 1867, approved May 3, 1877, and said section 1, as amended by act No. 390 of the session laws of 1881, approved May 25, 1881,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 449, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Bay, Arenac and Gladwin, now comprising the 18th judicial circuit.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 491, entitled

A bill to legalize the re-organization of the Bridgeport Free Church association and the election of trustees and their successors in office and all the proceedings of said trustees, their books and records having been destroyed by fire,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 47, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Mecosta and Newaygo, now comprising the 27th judicial circuit,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

1. Amend sec. 1, line 4, by striking out after the word "shall" the words "continue to."

2. Amend sec. 1, line 6, by striking out the word "court" and inserting in lieu thereof the following words "governor on the recommendation of the judge of the circuit."

3. Amend sec 1, line 6, by inserting after the words "good behavior" the following words "not exceeding the term of the judge recommending his appointment."

In the passage of which as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Monroe,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,		26

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The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 577 (file No. 413), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 193 of the compiled laws of 1871, being chapter 267 of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding four new sections thereto, relative to the sale of homesteads for the payment of debts of deceased persons and expenses of administering their estates,

Which the Senate amended by adding at the end of section 1 the following:

"But no such sale shall be made during the lifetime of the widow of the deceased."

And to inform the Senate that in said Senate amendment the House non-concurs.

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DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Hubbell moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill,

Which motion prevailed

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Hubbell moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate amended the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion to amend,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the Senate amendment to section 1 so as to read as follows: "but no such sale shall be made during the time the widow of the deceased shall remain unmarried,"

Which motion prevailed.

The motion to amend as amended then prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Giddings,	Monroe,	Roof,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Post,		26
Edwards,	Laing,	Potter,		

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Title agreed to.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Sedate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 12 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, and section 4 same chapter and act, as amended by act No. 93, laws of 1883, relating to the examination of teachers and supervision of schools; also to amend section 3 of chapter 4, and section 2 of chapter 5 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, relating to the duties of township clerk and county clerk concerning school reports,

Which bill was amended by the House as shown by message of June 16.

But which bill was recalled by the House by message of June 20 for the purpose of an additional amendment.

Now to inform the Senate that the House reconsidered the vote by which the bill was passed and added one amendment to those reported in former message.

All of which amendments are as follows:

1. By striking out all of sec. 1, and inserting the following to stand as section 1:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 3 of chapter 4, sec. 2 of chapter 5, and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 12 of act No. 164 of the public acts of 1881, entitled An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act, approved May 21, 1881, the same being compiler's sections 5080, 5101, 5150, 5151, 5152, 5153, 5154, 5158, 5159, 5160, 5161, 5162 of Howell's annotated statutes as amended by act No. 93 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 16, 1883, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

2. Amend the bill by reconstructing it so that the amendment to chapter 4 shall come first. and amendments to chapter 5 second, and amendments to chapter 12 third.

3. Amend chapter 12 of the bill, recited section 1, line 3, by inserting after the word "elect" the words "by ballot."

4. Amend chapter 12 of the bill, section 3, line 3, by striking out after the word "the" the words "last Friday's" and insert in lieu thereof the words "first Thursday's."

5. Amend chapter 12, section 4, by adding the following at the end of said section: "*Provided*, That all examination questions shall be prepared and furnished by the superintendent of public instruction to said secretary under seal, to be opened before the applicant for certificates on the day of examination."

6. Amend chapter 12, section 5, line 5, by inserting after the word "years" the following: "*Provided*, That no first grade certificate shall be valid in any county other than that in which it was issued unless a copy of said certificate is filed with the secretary of the county board of examiners of the county in which the holder of said certificate desires to teach."

7. Amend chapter 12, section 5, line 5, by striking out the words "county in and for which it shall be given," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "state."

8. Amend chapter 12, section 11, line 6, by inserting after the word "act" the following: "*Provided*, In counties having thirty districts or less such compensation shall not exceed three hundred dollars per annum; in counties having more than thirty districts such compensation shall be, not to exceed

at the rate of ten for each district coming under the provisions of this act;"

9. Amend chapter 12, section 11, line 9, by striking out the words "less than three hundred nor;"

10. Amend chapter 12, section 11, line 12, by striking out the word "four" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three;"

11. Amend chapter 12, section 11, line 12, by inserting after the word "day," the following: "*Provided*, That the number of days so employed shall not exceed thirty, in any one year."

12. Amend chapter 12, section 11, line 23, by inserting after the manuscript word "annum," the following, "but no traveling fees shall be allowed to the secretary or any member of the board of examiners or to any assistant visitors."

13. Amend chapter 12, section 11, line 27, by inserting after the word "law," the following: "*Provided*, said chairman shall not receive to exceed two dollars for each school district in the township."

14. Amend chapter 12, section 12, line 9, by striking out after the word "vacancy" the following words, "for the unexpired portion of the term," and inserting in lieu thereof the following words, "until the first Tuesday in August after his appointment, at which time an examiner shall be elected, to fill the unexpired term, by the chairman of the boards of school inspectors of the several townships in the county."

15. Amend sec. 11, line 22, by striking out the words "school examiners" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "supervisors;"

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title of the bill so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 4, section 2 of chapter 5 and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 12 of act No. 164 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act" approved May 21, 1881, the same being compiler's sections 5080, 5101, 5150, 5151, 5152, 5153, 5154, 5158, 5159, 5160, 5161 and 5162, of Howell's annotated statutes as amended by act No. 93 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 16, 1883.

In the passage of which as thus amended, and with the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr Sharp moved that the bill be laid upon the table,

On which,

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Post,
Babcock, W.L.,	Gorman,	Mayo,	Rairden,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Roof,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Crosby,	Hubbell,		

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Mr. Barton,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Willits,	
Edwards,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Fox,	Monroe,	Westgate,		11

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to retransmit the following entitled bills:

1. House bill No. 203 (file No. 77), entitled

A bill to amend section 2198 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the protection of game.

2. House bill No. 134 (file No 80), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit court for the counties of Manistee, Mason, Lake and Osceola, now comprising the 19th judicial circuit,

In compliance with the request of the Senate for the return of the same, this day received.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Giddings moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate agreed to the title of the first named bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Giddings moved to amend the title as follows:

A bill to amend section 2093 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, the same being compiler's section 2198, of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to protection of game,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Mr. Edwards moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the second named bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of section 1 the words "continue to," also by striking out of the same section the word "court" where it first occurs and inserting in lieu thereof "Governor on recommendation of the judge of the circuit," also by inserting after the words "good behavior" the words "not exceeding the term of the judge recommending his appointment," also striking out the word "rescinded" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "revoked,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Roof,

Mr. Campbell,
Crosby,
Deyo,
Edwards,

Mr. Hubbell,
Laing,
Mayo,
Monroe,

Mr. Palmer,
Post,
Potter,

Mr. Westgate,
Willits,
Wisner,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill, entitled

Senate bill No. 35, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the bill as follows:

1. Amend sec. 1, lines 3 and 4, by striking out all after the words "eighty-seven," in line 3, down to and including the words "sixty-five," in line 4, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "ninety-three thousand seven hundred and eighty-three."

2. Amend sec. 1, line 5, by striking out after the words "eighty-eight" the words "seventy-nine thousand two hundred" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty-eight thousand seven hundred and eighty-two."

3. Amend section 1, line 9, by striking out after the words "sum of" the words "six thousand two hundred and fifty" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "five thousand."

4. Amend section 1, line 10, by striking out after the words "sum of" the words "six thousand two hundred and fifty" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "five thousand."

5. Amend section 1, line 11, by striking out after the words "sum of" the words "seven thousand five hundred" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "five thousand."

6. Amend section 1, line 12, by striking out after the words "sum of" the words "seven thousand five hundred" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "five thousand."

7. Amend section 1, lines 29, 30 and 31, by striking out all after the word "dollars" in line 29, down to and including the word "dollars" in line 31.

8. Amend section 1, line 37, by striking out after the words "sum of" the word "twenty" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirty-five."

9. Amend section 1, lines 38 and 39, by striking out after the word "dollars" in line 38 the words "for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight the sum of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000)."

10. Amend section 1 by striking out all of said section after the word "dollars" in line 43.

11. Amend section 2, line 2, by striking out after the words "sum of" the words "one hundred and two thousand eight hundred and sixty-five," and inserting in lieu thereof the following words, "ninety-three thousand seven hundred and eighty-three."

12. Amend section 2, line 4, by striking out after the words "sum of" the words "seventy-nine thousand two hundred" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty-eight thousand seven hundred and eighty-two,"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

Mr. Moon moved that the Senate concur,

Which motion did not prevail, a majority of the Senators elect not voting therefor, by the yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Potter,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Rairden,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Post,	Willits,
Fox,			

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Laing,	Sharp,
Barton,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,

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Mr. Sharp moved that a committee be requested to whom shall be referred the matters of difference,

Which motion prevailed.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 504 (file No. 371), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor law of this State,

Which the Senate amended as shown by message of June 17 as follows:

1. By striking out of line 8 of section 1 the word five and inserting in lieu thereof the word three;

2. By striking out of line 9 of section 1 the word five and inserting in lieu thereof the word three;

3. By striking out of section 1 all after the word same in line 16;

4. By inserting in line 2 of section 2 after the word sell the words any of such liquors;

5. By striking out of line 3 of section 2 the word five and inserting in lieu thereof the word three;

6. By striking out of line 5 of section 2 the word five and inserting in lieu thereof the word three;

7. By adding to the beginning of line 9 of section 2 the words section 3, and making that line the beginning of section 3 of the bill, and renumbering the other sections;

8. By inserting in line 9 of section 2 before the word provisions the word penal;

9. By striking out of line 18 of section 2 the word whose, and inserting in lieu thereof the words when forbidden in writing so to do by the;

10. By inserting in line 18 of section 2, after the word employer the words of such persons, or by the;

11. By inserting in line 19 of section 2 before the word mayor the word or;

12. By inserting in line 19 of section 2, before the word director the word or;

13. By inserting in line 19 of section 2, after the word city, the words or president, or trustee of any village;

14. By striking out of line 21 of section 2, the words who shall forbid the same;

15. By inserting in line 25 of section 2, after the word only the words without the payment of any tax specified in section one;

16. By inserting in line 31 of section 2 after the word sale, the words in manner and form as aforesaid;

17. By striking out of line 57 of section 2, the word whose, and inserting in lieu thereof the words when forbidden in writing so to do by the;

18. By inserting in line 57 of section 2, after the word employer, the words of such person, or by the;

19. By inserting in line 58 of section 2, before the word director, the word or;

20. By striking out of line 58 of section 2 the words or any supervisor or alderman;

21. By striking out of line 60 of section 2 the words shall forbid such selling, furnishing, or giving to as aforesaid;

22. By striking out of lines 60 and 61 of section 2, the words to any person, and inserting in lieu thereof the words any such liquor;

23. By inserting at the end of line 64 of section 2 the words or persons;

24. By inserting in line 65 of section 2 before the word then the words him or;

25. By inserting in line 65 of section 2, after the word support, the words or otherwise;

26. By inserting in line 81 of section 2, after the both the words such fine and imprisonment;

27. By striking out of line 82 of section 2, the word paying;

28. By inserting at the end of line 84 of section 2, the words and it shall be set forth and declared in the record of judgment upon such second conviction;

29. By striking out of line 85 of section 2, the words in addition;

30. By striking out of line 86 of section 2, the words or negligence;

31. By inserting in line 86 of section 2, after the word violation, the words and be;

32. By striking out of line 86 of section 2, the word penalty, and inserting in lieu thereof the word penalties;

33. By adding to the end of line 87 of section 2, the words or employers;

34. By striking out of line 3 of section 3, the words Monday in, and inserting in lieu thereof the words day of;

35. By striking out of line 7 of section 3, the words Monday in, and inserting in lieu thereof the words day of;

36. By striking out of line 9 of section 3 the word Monday, and inserting in lieu thereof the word day;

37. By striking out of lines 5, 9 and 10 of section 3 the words first Monday of May, and inserting in lieu thereof the words thirtieth day of April;

38. By striking out of line 1 of section 4 the word any at the beginning of the line, and inserting in lieu thereof the word every;

39. By striking out of line 1 of section 4 the word engaged, and inserting in lieu thereof the word engaging;

40. By striking out of line 1 of section 4 the word such;

41. By inserting in line 1 of section 4 after the word business, the words specified in section one of this act;

42. By striking out of line 1 of section 4 the words Monday in, and inserting in lieu thereof the words day of;

43. By striking out of line 5 of section 4 the words first Monday of May, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, thirtieth day of April;

44. By striking out of line 6 of section 4 the word demanded, and inserting in lieu thereof the word required;

45. By striking out of line 6 of section 4 the word tax and inserting in lieu thereof the word same;

46. By striking out of line 6 of section 4 the word Monday and inserting in lieu thereof the word day;

47. By striking out of line 3 of section 5 the word named and inserting in lieu thereof the word stated, and shall specify therein;

48. By striking out of line 5 of section 5 the word also and inserting in lieu thereof the words he shall also deliver to such person or persons;

49. By striking out of line 8 of section 5 the word penalty and inserting in lieu thereof the word penalties;

50. By striking out of lines 8 and 9 of section 5 the words ten dollars costs will be paid to the person making complaint upon the conviction of the offender, and that;

51. By inserting a period after the word justice in line 10 of section 5, striking out the word and, and beginning a new sentence with the word before;

52. By striking out of line 11 of section 5, the word same and inserting in lieu thereof the words said notice and receipt;

53. By striking out of lines 15 to 20 of section 5 the words and any person or persons who shall carry on any business or sell any liquors or beverages for which a tax is required to be paid by this act, without having such receipt and notice posted up and displayed at all times in the place where such business or sale is or are carried on, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to the same fine and punishment as is provided in this act for the neglect or refusal to pay the tax required by this act.

54. By inserting in line 23 of section 5, after the word full, the words in money;

55. By inserting in line 6 of section 5, after the word thereof the words if there is no specific penalty provided therefor by this act;

56. By striking out of line 7 of section 6 the word and, after the word prosecution, and inserting in lieu thereof the word or;

57. By inserting in line 8 of section 6 after the word days where it occurs the second time, the words or both such fine and imprisonment;

58. By striking out of line 9 of section 6 the word he;

59. By inserting in line 12 of section 6 after the word person the words or persons;

60. By inserting in line 14 of section 6 after the words shall the words thereby in addition to all other penalties prescribed by this act;

61. By striking out of line 14 of section 6 the words right to sell paid for, and inserting in lieu thereof the words tax so paid;

62. By inserting in line 14 of section 6 after the word them, and be precluded from continuing such business for the remainder of the year or time for which said tax was paid;

63. By striking out of lines 7 and 18 of section 6, the words, the forfeiture of the tax shall be in addition to the penalty hereinbefore prescribed;

64. By striking out of lines 20 and 21 of section 6, the words forfeitures and penalties, and inserting in lieu thereof the words penalties and forfeitures;

65. By adding to the end of section 6 the words and be precluded and debarred from continuing and engaging in any business requiring the payment of a tax under this act as aforesaid;

66. By inserting in line 5 of section 7 after the word trustees, the words the council;

67. By striking out of line 9 of section 7, the word village;

68. By striking out of lines 10, 11 and 12 of section 7 the words or be engaged, either as a principal, agent or servant, either directly or indirectly, in the sale of any of the liquors mentioned in this act, and inserting in lieu thereof the words except notaries public;

69. By inserting in line 12 of section 7, after the word nor, the word be;

70. By striking out of line 12 of section 7 the words any other bond, and inserting in lieu thereof the words more than two bonds;

71. By striking out of section 7 the words whose, and inserting in lieu thereof the words when forbidden in writing so to do by the;

72. By inserting in line 31 of section 7 before the word employer the word or;

73. By inserting in line 31 of section 7 before the word supervisor the words of such persons, or by the;

74. By inserting in line 31 of section 7 after the word mayor the words of the city or;

75. By striking out of lines 31 and 32 of section 7 the words or any supervisor or alderman of the city and inserting in lieu thereof the words or president or trustee of any village;

76. By striking out of line 33 of section 7 the words shall forbid the same;

77. By inserting in line 34 of section 7, after the word person, the words or persons;

78. By inserting in line 34 of section 7, before the word them, the words him or;

79. By inserting in line 35 of section 7, after the word support, the words or otherwise;

80. By inserting in line 56 of section 7, after the word trustees, the words the council;

81. By inserting in line 62 of section 7, after the word trustees, the words the council;

82. By inserting in line 65 of section 7, after the word trustees, the words the council;

83. By striking out of lines 8 and 9 of section 8, the words: *Provided*, That the amount received as fees under the provisions of this act by any county treasurer, shall not exceed the sum of five hundred dollars, and inserting in lieu thereof the words: *Provided*, That in all counties in the Upper Peninsula all the moneys paid to any county treasurer, under the provisions of this act,

shall, after deducting his fees as aforesaid, be by him placed to the credit of the township, village or city from which the same was collected, and shall be by such county treasurer paid over on demand to the treasurer of such township, village or city, to be applied as other general funds;

84. By striking out of line of 3 section 10, the words or persons;

85. By striking out of line 4 of section 10, the words or persons;

86. By inserting in line 9 of section 10, after the words there be two the words the expense of such publication shall be paid out of the contingent fund of the county;

87. By inserting in line 5 of section 11, before the word appoint, the words after summary hearing and determination thereon and deciding the same to have occurred;

88. By inserting in line 5 of section 11, after the word duties, the words of such officer:

89. By striking out of line 7 of section 11, the word and, and inserting in lieu thereof the words *Provided, That*;

90. By inserting in line 10 of section 11, after the word performed the words and reimburse him for all expenses incurred;

91. By striking out of line 2 of section 12 the word to after the word furnish;

92. By striking out of line 5 of section 12 the word whose, and inserting in lieu thereof the words when forbidden in writing so to do by the;

93. By striking out of line 6 of section 12 the word or, and inserting in lieu thereof of such person or by;

94. By inserting in line 7 of section 12, before the word director, the word or;

95. By striking out of line 7 of section 12, the words or any supervisor or alderman of the city;

96. By striking out of lines 8 and 9 of section 12, the words shall forbid such selling, furnishing or giving;

97. By striking out of line 12 of section 12 the word whose, and inserting in lieu thereof the words when forbidden in writing so to do by the;

98. By inserting in line 12 of section 12, before the word employer, the word or;

99. By striking out of line 12 of section 12 the word or, and inserting in lieu thereof the words of such person, or by;

100. By inserting in line 13 of section 12, before the word director, the word or;

101. By striking out of line 13 of section 12 the words or any supervisor or alderman of the city;

102. By striking out of line 15 of section 12 the words shall be forbidden the selling, furnishing, or giving of the same;

103. By striking out of lines 15 and 16 of section 12 the word presumption, and inserting in lieu thereof the word evidence,

104. By striking out of line 16 of section 12 the word liquor, and inserting in lieu thereof the word liquid;

105. By adding the following to stand as section 14:

Sec. 14. It shall not be lawful for any person, by himself, his clerk or agent, to permit any student in attendance at any public or private institution of learning in this State, or any minor, to play at cards, dice, billiards or any game of chance, in any part of any building in which spirituous liquors or intoxicating drinks are sold; nor shall it be lawful for any person by himself, his clerk or agent, to sell or give to any student in attendance at any public or

private institution of learning in this State, any spirituous or intoxicating drinks except when prescribed by a regular physician for medicinal purposes; and any person who shall offend against either of the foregoing provisions of this section, shall be deemed to have been guilty of a misdemeanor, and, on conviction thereof shall be punished as provided in section 7 of this act;

106. By striking out section 13 and inserting in lieu thereof the following, to stand as section 15, as renumbered;

SEC. 15. It shall not be lawful for any person to allow any minor to visit or remain in any room where such liquors are sold or kept for sale, unless accompanied by his or her father, or other legal guardian;

107. By inserting after the word day, in the 6th line, section 15, the following words: And it shall be the duty of sheriffs, marshals, constables and police officers to close all saloons, houses or places that shall be found open in violation of the provisions of this section, and to report forthwith all such violations to the prosecuting attorney, whose duty it shall be to immediately prosecute for such violations;

108. By inserting in line 9 of section 15, after the words council, the words or board of trustees or council;

109. By inserting in line 10 of section 15, after the word sold, the words to open at 6 o'clock A. M., and;

110. By striking out of line 10 of section 15, the words 10 o'clock and inserting in lieu thereof the words 11 o'clock P. M., and no longer;

111. By adding to the end of section 15 the words except on election days and holidays. Any person found in the act of violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a breach of the peace and punished accordingly; and the arrest therefor may be without process, and this punishment shall be taken to be in excess of all other manner of punishment in this act provided for a violation of the provisions of this section. All officers authorized to make arrests for a breach of the peace shall have like power to make arrests under the provisions of this section, as in other cases of a breach of the peace;

112. By adding the following to stand as section 18: Sec. 18. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of the five preceding sections shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished as provided in section 7 of this act;

113. By striking out of line 18 of section 16 the words in this State;

114. By adding to the end of section 16 the words *And provided further*, That nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prevent prosecuting persons for becoming drunk or intoxicated when the testimony of said person is not sought under the provisions of this section;

115. By inserting in line 8 of section 17 after the word shall, the words in addition to all other penalties provided therefor by this act;

116. By adding to the end of section 17 the following: Every wife, child, parent, guardian, husband or other person who shall be injured in person or property or means of support or otherwise by any intoxicated person, or by reason of the intoxication of any person, or by reason of the selling, giving, or furnishing any spirituous, intoxicating, fermented, or malt liquors to any person, shall have a right of action in his or her own name against any person or persons who shall, by selling or giving any intoxicating or malt liquor, have caused or contributed to the intoxication of such person or persons, or who have caused or contributed to such injury, and the principal and sureties to the bond hereinbefore mentioned shall be liable severally and jointly with the per-

son or persons so selling, giving or furnishing any spirituous, intoxicating, or malt liquors as aforesaid, and in an action provided for in this section the plaintiff shall have a right to recover actual and exemplary damages. In case of the death of either party the action and right of action given by this section shall survive to and against his executor or administrator. And in every action by any wife, husband, parent or child, general reputation of the relation of husband and wife, and parent and child shall be *prima facie* evidence of such relation, and the amount recovered by every wife or child shall be his or her sole and separate property. Any sale or gift of intoxicating or malt liquor by the lessee of any premises, resulting damages shall at the option of the lessor, work a forfeiture of the lease, and in the circuit court in chancery may enjoin the sale, giving away, or furnishing any intoxicating or malt liquors, by any lessee or occupant of the premises, which may result in loss or damage or liability to the lessor, or any person claiming under such lessor.

117. By striking out of line 1 of section 18, the word damage, and inserting in lieu thereof the word damages;

118. By striking out of line 1 of section 18, the words provided for in, and inserting in lieu thereof the words arising under;

119. By inserting in line 2 of section 18, before the word action, the word an;

120. By striking out of line 9 of section 22, the words fined in any sum, and inserting in lieu thereof the words punished by a fine;

121. By striking out of line 11 of section 22, the word sixty, and inserting in lieu thereof the words six months;

122. By inserting in line 4 of section 26, after the word thereof, the words or shall violate any of the provisions of sections 26, 27 or 28 of this act;

123. By striking out of line 4 of section 26, the words, an attempt to practice a fraud, and inserting in lieu thereof the words a misdemeanor;

124. By striking out of line 5 of section 26 the words imprisoned in the State prison not more than one year, and inserting in lieu thereof the words punished as provided in section 25 of this act;

125. By striking out of line 2 of section 27 the word adulterating, and inserting in lieu thereof the word compounding;

126. By striking out of line 3 of section 27, the word medical, and inserting in lieu thereof the word medicinal;

127. By inserting in line 2 of section 28, after the word screens, the word partitions;

128. By striking out of line 2 of section 28 the word obstructions, and inserting in lieu thereof the word things;

129. By inserting in line 3 of section 28, after the word street, the word alley;

130. By inserting in line 3 of section 28, before the words said building, the words or at the side or end of;

131. By adding to the end of section 28 the words any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this section, shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished as provided in section seven of this act;

132. By striking out section 29 and inserting in lieu thereof the following to stand as section 32, as re-numbered;

SEC. 32. No person, firm or corporation, who, prior to the time when this act shall take effect, has filed the bond and paid the tax provided by existing laws, shall be liable for any increased tax during the current year, or be com-

pelled to file any new bond pertaining to the business then being carried on, unless for causes arising under the provisions of this act. And such person, firm or corporation shall in all other respects be subject to the provisions of this act.

133. By adding the following to stand as section 33 of the bill :

SEC. 33. That for the better enforcement of this act in that portion of the county of Wayne, which forms the suburbs to the city of Detroit, the jurisdiction of the board of metropolitan police of said city is hereby extended over the townships of Springwells, Greenfield, Hamtramck and Grosse Point, in said county. And it shall be the duty of said board of metropolitan police to police said townships sufficiently strong to enable them to enforce the provisions of this act within the limits thereof, and for that purpose said board of metropolitan police are authorized to increase the police force under their control, to mount said increase or any portion thereof ; and are vested with the same authority as is now conferred upon them within the corporate limits of the said city of Detroit, and may use all or any portion of the force under their control. The police force so employed in said townships shall have and are hereby vested with the same powers to enforce the provisions of this act, and to preserve the peace as is by general law conferred upon the constables therein. The expenses of maintaining such extra force of police in said townships shall be paid monthly by the county of Wayne, out of the moneys paid into the treasury of said county under the provisions of this act on duly certified vouchers therefor, prepared and submitted by said board of metropolitan police to the board of county auditors of said county, who are hereby directed to audit and pay the same in the same manner as other claims for services against the county of Wayne are audited and paid.

134. By striking out section 30 and inserting in lieu thereof the following to stand as section 34, as re-numbered :

SEC. 34. All acts of parts of acts in any wise contravening or inconsistent with any of the provisions of this act are hereby repealed : *Provided, however,* That all suits or actions pending, under any law in force at the date this act takes effect, whether on behalf of the people of this State, or any person or persons, may be prosecuted to final judgment and such judgment enforced, in like manner and with the same effect as though this act were not passed, and all rights of action accrued to said people or any person or persons under any existing law, are hereby preserved and saved, and excepted from the operation and effect of this act, and the same may be prosecuted, sued for and recovered in like manner and to the same extent as might be done if this act were not passed : *And provided further,* That this act shall not be operative, except as to druggists, in any county in this State that shall have prohibited the manufacture and sale of the liquors mentioned in this act, in any manner now or that shall be provided by law while such prohibition is in force.

135. By renumbering consecutively the sections of the bill, as required by the division of section 2 and the addition of new sections to the bill.

And further to inform the House that the Senate has amended the title to the bill so as to read as follows :

A bill to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving, or delivering spirituous and intoxicating liquors, and malt, brewed or fermented liquors, and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

And still further to inform the House that, for convenience in consideration, said bill, as amended by the Senate, was printed as Senate file No. 278, a certified copy of which is herewith transmitted.

Now to inform the Senate that in one hundred and twenty-seven of said amendments the House concurs. The said one hundred and twenty-seven being all of said amendments except the 1st, 2d, 8th, 53d, 65th, 67th, 110th and 111th.

And further to inform the Senate that in said 1st, 2d, 8th and 53d named amendments the House non-concurs.

Further, that the said 65th amendment the House has amended by adding to the end thereof the following :

And it shall be the duty of sheriffs, marshals, constables and police officers to forthwith close all saloons and other places where the business of manufacturing, selling or keeping for sale any of the liquors mentioned in section one of this act is being conducted, upon which business the tax required by said section one has not been paid in full, and in which the receipt mentioned in section five of this act shall not be posted up and displayed.

Further, That in the said 67th, 110 and 111th named amendments the House non-concurs.

And further to inform the Senate that in the Senate amendment to the title the House concurs.

Very respectfully,
DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate insist on its amendments, appoint a committee of conference and request a like committee on the part of the House to whom shall be referred the matter of difference,

Which motion prevailed.

The President announced as such committee Messrs. Edwards, Sharp and Deyo.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on cities and villages :

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 868, entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of an act entitled An act to provide for the taking of private property for public use, and for the opening, extending, widening and straightening of streets and alleys of the city of Detroit, and to repeal act No. 281 of the session laws of 1883, being an act entitled An act to provide for the taking of private property for public use and for the opening of streets and alleys of the city of Detroit, being act No. 354 of the local acts of 1885, approved May 14, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the same do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred the resolution of which the following is a copy, viz:

WHEREAS, certain charges of intimidation and fraud are made and of record in our journals in connection with the vote on the constitutional amendment as to prohibition in the city of Detroit; and

WHEREAS, notwithstanding the lateness in the session, and the extent of the vote covered by such charges, the magnitude of the charges themselves seem to demand that they should have proper consideration at the hands of some authority fully competent to consider them, and to report to this Legislature their recommendations in the matter, therefore,

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the judiciary committees of the Senate and House be and they are hereby authorized, acting jointly, to take the matters relating to intimidation, fraud or irregularities in the city of Detroit, or elsewhere, in connection with the late vote upon the prohibitory amendment under advisement, and report their recommendations to this Legislature,

Respectfully report that they have given the subject due consideration, and desire to report as follows: That while they deprecate any infractions of the right of suffrage that may have arisen, they consider it the only function of the Legislature (with the approval of the executive), to enact and repeal laws, and there its authority and power ends with respect to such matters as are referred to in such resolution; that if it should be admitted, as stated in the papers published in the journal, that fraud was practiced at the late election, the true functions of the legislature would be to pass more stringent election laws to meet all just requirements, if the present laws were deemed insufficient to do so, and not to investigate, because such investigation would be very expensive, and entirely barren of results; that the legislature is powerless to prosecute, or cause to be prosecuted, any infractions of the rights of suffrage, even if such infractions were found upon investigation to have been incurred as charged in the journal; that it is not only the privilege of the individual citizen, but his duty, if any such infraction is known to him, to invoke the aid of the courts of law to bring to justice and punishment any person guilty of any such infraction, and to the courts of law only can application be made, and through them redress be had for any disregard of the rights of suffrage.

They therefore report that they have no recommendation to make in the premises and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL,
Chairman Senate Committee.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The concurrent resolution was laid on the table.

By the committee on education and public schools:

The committee on education and public schools, to whom was referred House bill No. 288 (file No. 481), entitled

A bill to establish and organize school district No. 9 in the township of Byron, county of Kent and State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommen-

dation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. W. WESTGATE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The bill was laid on the table.

By for the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 407, entitled

A bill for making an appropriation for the improvement and preservation of the State road in the township of Brookfield, Huron county, and for other purposes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of aiding in cleaning out, deepening and improving the ditch along the State road in the township of Brookfield, Huron county,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported for the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on roads and bridges:

The committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred

House bill No. 380, entitled

A bill to provide for the introduction and use of safety gates upon swing and draw bridges,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. J. WILLITS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on printing:

The committee on printing, to whom was referred

House bill No. 848 (file No. 445), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 9 of act No. 156 of the session laws of 1851, entitled "An act to define the powers and duties of the boards of supervisors of the several counties, and to confer upon them certain local administrative and legislative powers," approved April 8, 1851, being sections 467 and 475 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being compiler's sections 473 and 481, respectively, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and

have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committees on labor and State prison:

The committees on labor and State prison, to whom was jointly referred:

House bill No. 762 (file No. 409), entitled

A bill to regulate the employment of labor in prisons,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. S. LAING.

Chairman Committee on Labor.

EDWIN G. FOX,

Chairman Committee on State Prison.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on state affairs:

The committee on state affairs, to whom was referred sundry petitions,

Nos. 12, 13, 30, 371, 530, 544 and 715,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that they do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 74 (file No. 127), entitled

bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Barry to drain and reclaim certain swamp and overflowed lands by opening and deepening Thornapple river near the outlet of Thornapple lake, to authorize a tax to complete the same and provide for such opening and deepening of such outlet," and Senate substitute therefor. file No 296,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report back to the Senate, the substitute, entitled

A bill making an appropriation of money for opening and deepening Thornapple river near the outlet of Thornapple lake, in the county of Barry, for the purpose of benefitting the public health and providing for the performance of said work.

Without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill and proposed substitute were laid on the table.

By the committee on agricultural interests:

The committee on agricultural interests, to whom was referred

Sundry petitions,

Nos. 25, 176, 403, 404, 406, 604, 799, 800, 801 and 802,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that they do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN HOLBROOK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The petitions were laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 22, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 76, being

An act to amend sections 5, 6 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the circuit court for the county of Saginaw," approved May 7, 1881, being sections 6527, 6528 and 6530 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section to said act to stand as section 13.

Also,

Senate bill No. 27, being

An act providing for the employment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the 7th judicial circuit, State of Michigan.

Also,

Senate bill No. 300 (file No. —), being

An act to provide for the appointment, compensation and duties of a stenographer of the 24th judicial circuit.

Also,

Senate bill No. 405, being

An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the employment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the circuit court for the county of Kent, State of Michigan," being act No. 133 of the public acts of the Legislature of the year 1877, and being compiler's sections 6512 to 6522, inclusive, of Howell's annotated statutes of this State.

Also,

Senate bill No. 254 (file No. 75), being

An act to amend section 2 of chapter 53 of the compiled laws of 1871 as amended by act No. 279 public acts of 1881, approved June 11, 1881, being compiler's section 1986 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to disorderly persons, as amended by act No. 136 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 31, 1883.

Also,

Senate bill No. 126 (file No. 181), being
An act to prevent crime and punish truancy.

Also:

Senate bill No. 484 (file No. 272), being
An act to detach the county of Gladwin from the 21st judicial circuit
and attach the same to the 18th judicial circuit.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

The message was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 21, 1887. }

To the Senate :

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 278, being

An act to incorporate the city of Sault St. Marie and to repeal an act entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Sault Ste. Marie," approved May 29, 1879, as amended.

Also,

Senate bill No. 109 (file No. 111), being

An act making an appropriation for the maintenance and support of the mining school at Houghton, in the county of Houghton, Michigan, for the year A. D. 1888.

Also,

Senate bill No. 471 (file No. 273), being

An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business.

Also,

Senate bill No. 228 (file No. 136), being

An act making an appropriation for completing and furnishing the attics of the Northern Michigan Asylum for the Insane and building a detached cottage therefor.

Also,

Senate bill No. 490 (file No. 228), being

An act to authorize the township of Porter, in the county of Midland, State of Michigan, to borrow money for the payment of the outstanding township and highway orders, or other indebtedness, and issue its bonds therefor.

Also,

Senate bill No. 117, being

An act to amend section 6 of chapter 3 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto, approved June 20, 1885.

Also,

Senate bill No. 97 (file No. 32), being

An act to provide for the correction of frauds and mistakes in the canvass and returns made by inspectors of elections.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

The message was laid on the table.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Harshaw moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 259 (file No. 130) entitled,

A bill to establish, protect and enforce the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for the erection, altering, repairing or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures; and to repeal act No. 258 of the session laws of 1879; and all acts amendatory thereof, relating to mechanics' liens,

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the bill be laid on the table,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table

Senate joint resolution No. 27 (file No. 8), entitled

Joint resolution declaring forfeited all the uncertified lands within the limits of the Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagan railroad land grant, together with all the lands certified or uncertified, which lie opposite the uncompleted section of said railroad, extending from L'Anse to Ontonagon, and authorizing the railroad board of control to confer said lands and all the rights, franchises, powers and privileges which were granted to the State of Michigan by the United States, to aid in the construction of a railroad from Marquette to Ontonagon, in said State, upon some other competent company,

Which motion prevailed.

The joint resolution having been read a third time, the question being upon the passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Hubbell moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators were reported absent without leave: Messrs. Atwood and Edwards.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

Mr. Hubbell moved the previous question,

Which was supported.

The question being, shall the main question be now put,

The same was ordered by a majority of the Senators.

The joint resolution was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Sharp,	
Barton,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Post,	Willits,	
Giddings,	Laing,	Roof,		13

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	
Barringer,	Fox,	Moon,	Wisner,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,		15

Mr. J. W. Babcock arose to a

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE

And denounced the charges and insinuations recently made against him in the Lansing Journal, a daily newspaper published in the city of Lansing, as utterly and absolutely false,

Whereupon

Mr. Giddings offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, The Senate has viewed with profound regret the attempted assault upon the character of one of its most efficient and painstaking members by a newspaper published in the city of Lansing; and

WHEREAS, The relations sustained with the Senator from the 16th District have been of a most useful and honorable character during the session just closing: Therefore

Resolved, That we deprecate the occasion which calls for this expression and denounce the methods pursued by the maligners of his honor, and that in the light of the information at hand we do hereby reiterate our confidence in the ability, integrity and honesty of our associate member, Hon. J. W. Babcock, Senator from the 16th District of Michigan.

On which,

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The resolution was then unanimously adopted, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Monroe,	Roof,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Sharp,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Post,	Willits,
Edwards,	Laing,	Potter,	Wisner,
Fox,			

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Mr. Westgate moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13, of chapter 12 of act number 164, laws of 1881, and section 4, same chapter and act, as amended by act number 93, laws of 1883, relating to the examination of teachers and supervision of schools; also, to amend section 3 of chapter 4, and section 2 of chapter 5, of act number 164, laws of 1881, relating to the duties of township clerk and county clerk concerning school reports,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

Mr. Deyo moved the previous question,

Which was supported.

The question being, shall the main question be now put,

The same was ordered by a majority of the Senate.

The amendments were then concurred in by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Monroe,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Willits,	
Deyo,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Laing,	Potter,		19

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Sharp,	4
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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to inform the Senate concerning the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 35, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintainance of the University of Michigan,

Which bill the House amended as shown by message of June 22, and in which amendments the Senate refused to concur, thereby creating a disagreement, upon which disagreement the Senate asked a committee of conference.

Now to inform the Senate that the House grants said request, and that Messrs Rumsey, Jones, and Lincoln have been appointed such committee on the part of the House to whom said bill is referred.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The President announced as the committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. J. W. Babcock, Fox and Gorman.

Mr. Crosby moved that the Senate take a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.,

On which

Mr. Hubbell demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,	
Crosby,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,			10

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Palmer,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Potter,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Monroe,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Howell,	Moon,	Willits,	
Campbell,				17

Mr. Crosby moved that the Senate go into committee of the whole on the general order,

On which

Mr. Palmer demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Rairden,	
Barringer,	Hubbell,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Mayo,	O'Reilly,	Willits,	12

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, J.W.,	Gorman,	Laing,	Roof,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Holbrook,			14

Mr. Harshaw moved that the Senate take a recess until 1.30 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Edwards moved to amend by making the time 12:30.

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the amendment by making the time 3 o'clock.

On which Mr. Edwards demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend the amendment did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,	
Deyo,				5

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.	Harshaw,	Monroe,	Stark,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Edwards,	Howell,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Fox,	Laing,	Potter,	Wisner,	20

Mr. Edwards then withdrew his motion to amend the motion.

Mr. Harshaw then withdrew his motion for a recess.

The President announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 28, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bill :

House bill No. 504 (file Nos. 371 and 414), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State,

Which was amended by the Senate as shown by former message to this House, and in part of which amendments the House non-concurred as specifically shown by former message.

And upon all of which amendments the Senate insisted, thereby creating a disagreement upon which the Senate asked a committee of conference.

Now to inform the Senate that the House grants said request and that Messrs. Bates, Diekema and J. W. Robinson have been appointed such committee on the part of the House.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on conference heretofore appointed.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate took a recess until 2:30 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2:30 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

The Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Howell moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 656 (file No. 276), entitled

A bill to organize a medical corps of the Michigan State troops,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Howell moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate adopted the substitute for the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the adoption of the substitute,

The substitute was withdrawn.

The question being on the passage of the original bill,

Mr. Howell offered a substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 167 of the session laws of 1881, being an act entitled An act to provide for the re-publication and disposition of 30,000 copies of Robertson's Michigan in the War, and such additional copies as may be required to supply the demand therefor, as amended by act 143 of the session laws of 1883.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute.

The bill was then read a first and second time by its title, and

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Moon,	Roof,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,	24

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the order of third reading of bills House bill No. 178 (file No. 443), entitled

A bill to preserve the purity of elections and guard against abuses of the elective franchise,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,
 The bill was then read a third time, and
 Pending its passage,
 Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that there be a call of the Senate,
 Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators were reported absent without leave: Messrs. Barringer, Deyo, Edwards and Sharp

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Sergeant-at-arms was dispatched after the absentees.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Monroe,	Mr. Rairden,	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Laing,	Post,	Wisner,	
Giddings,	Mayo,			14

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Potter,	
Crosby,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	
Deyo,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,	12

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid upon the table.

Mr. Monroe moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 827, entitled

A bill to legalize certain drain taxes in the township of Ganges, county of Allegan, and to authorize the supervisor of said township to re-spread the same,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Post,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Potter,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Monroe,	Roof,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Deyo,				21

NAYS.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Monroe,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Post moved to take from the table

House bill No. 774 (file No. 493), entitled

A bill to fix the salary of the private secretary of the Auditor General,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Post moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 2, section 1, the word "thirteen," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixteen,"

Pending which,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the amendment by striking out "sixteen," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five,"

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion to amend then prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,		23

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Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Mayo,	3
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Post,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President called the President *pro tem.* to the chair.

Mr. Palmer moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 50 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend section 3, chapter 205 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 8137 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to proceedings by and against corporations in courts of law.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,

Mr. Barton,
Campbell,
Crosby,
Deyo,
Fox,

Mr. Holbrook,
Howell,
Hubbell,
Laing,

Mr. Palmer,
Post,
Potter,
Rairden,

Mr. Westgate,
Willits,
Wisner,
President,
pro tem., 25

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The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Laing moved to take from the order of third reading of bills
House bill No. 836 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to prohibit unjust and oppressive agreements in leases and licenses and other instruments or conveyances hereafter granted for mining iron ore, and to protect and secure lessees, licensees, grantees, or vendees in such leases, licenses, or other instruments of conveyances from the operation and effect of such agreements, and to define the rights, duties and liabilities of the parties to such leases, licenses and other instruments and conveyances.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and

Pending the passage of the bill,

Mr. Palmer moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved the previous question;

Which was supported.

The question being, shall the main question be now put,

The question was ordered by a majority of the Senators.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W. Mr. Gorman,
Barton, Hubbell,
Fox, Laing,

Mr. O'Reilly,
Roof,
Sharp,

Mr. Wisner,
President,
pro tem. 11

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Mr. Atwood, Mr. Edwards,
Babcock, W. I., Harshaw,
Campbell, Howell,
Crosby,

Mr. Moon,
Palmer,
Post,

Mr. Potter,
Rairden,
Willits,

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Mr. Hubbell gave notice that within the prescribed time he would move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Holbrook moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 119 (file No. 263), entitled

A bill to provide for recording mortgages in separate books for separate assessing districts in counties, and to prescribe the duties of boards of supervisors, registers of deeds, assessing and other officers in relation thereto,

And the House substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for reporting all mortgages by the several registers of deeds of this State to the supervisors and assessing officers of their respective counties, and to the registers of deeds of other counties wherein the mortgagee resides, for assessment purposes, and providing blank form books therefor. Also prescribing the duties of registers of deeds relative to the recording of mortgages.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the substitute,
The same was adopted.

The bill so substituted was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,	President
Fox,	Mayo,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> 23

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Roof,	3
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Title agreed to.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the order of third reading of bills House bill No. 291 (file No. 282). entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which insurance companies not organized under the laws of this State, but doing business within it, shall transact their business,

And place the same upon its immediate passage.

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

The bill was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon, By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 2, section 1, after the word "association," the words "organized under the laws of this State or," and by inserting in the same line, after the word "State," the words "but doing business therein."

On which,

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Gorman.	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Roof,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 12

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Rairden,
Barringer,	Howell,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Potter,	Wisner,
Fox,			13

Pending the passage of the bill,

Mr. Mayo moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senator was reported absent without leave: Mr. Campbell.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,
The sergeant-at-arms was dispatched after the absentee.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with, except bringing in the absentee.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. J. W. Babcock entered the following protest:

Lansing, June 28, 1887.

While I am in favor of the objects of this bill (House file No. 282), yet I protest against its passage in its present form for the following reasons, viz.:

1. That it does not apply to companies organized in this State, and because of that fact permits the compact to continue.

2. Companies organized within this State may, even if this bill passes, make combinations, and companies without the State will adopt the rates fixed by home companies and instruct their agents to write only at the rates fixed by the home companies, and thus the compact will continue and this bill will not have accomplished the object sought.

3. Without so amending this bill as to take in all companies, it will be, in my opinion, improper legislation.

J. W. BABCOCK.

Leave being granted,

Mr. Post moved to amend the bill as follows: By adding the following to the bill to stand as sec. 11.

"Sec. 11. The provisions of this act shall not apply to companies now authorized to do business in this State until after the 31st day of January, 1888,"

On which

Mr. J. W. Babcock demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Harshaw,	Post,	President	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i>	15

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Campbell,	Laing,			14

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor. by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	
Barringer,	Fox,	Moon,	Willits,	
Barton	Gorman,	Palmer,	Wisner,	18
Campbell,	Holbrook,			

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,	Mr. President	
Hubbell,	Post,	Westgate,	<i>pro tem.</i>	7

Title agreed to.

Mr. J. W. Babcock gave notice that within the prescribed time he would move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill.

Mr. Atwood moved to take from the table

House bill No. 344 (file No. 186), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Flushing, in Genesee county, Michigan, to borrow money to be used in public improvements in and for the benefit of said township, and to issue bonds therefor.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the Senate to the bill,

Mr. Atwood moved that the Senate recede.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Deyo moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate substitute for House bill No. 472 (file No. 457), introduced by Mr. Pierce, and House bill No. 249 (file No. 482), introduced by Mr. Dillon entitled

A bill to provide for the compulsory education of children in certain cases, and to repeal act No. 144 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 5, 1883; act No. 39 of the public acts of 1885, approved April 10, 1885, and act No. 108 of the public acts of 1885, approved May 21, 1885.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 360 (file No. 276), entitled

A bill to amend section 26 of chapter 185 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to "set-offs," being compiler's section 7365 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Deyo,	Mayo,		

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Crosby moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 145 (file No. 315), entitled

A bill to prevent the sale of impure, unwholesome, adulterated, or swill milk in the city of Detroit.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 2, section 1 the words "limits of the city of Detroit," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "State of Michigan,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding the following to the bill to stand as section 8:

SEC. 8. Authority is hereby given the common council of any city, and the board of trustees or council of any village to appoint an inspector of milk in any such city or village, and to fix their compensation, and when appointed the said inspectors of milk shall have all the powers given by sections 4 of this act, and shall perform all the duties required of inspectors of milk, as provided herein, and such other powers and duties as may be conferred or imposed by the ordinances of said cities or villages,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS

Mr. Babcock, W.I.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Sharp,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Westgate,
Barton,	Gorman,	Moon,	Willits,
Campbell	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	President
Deyo,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to prevent the sale of impure, unwholesome, adulterated or swill milk in the State of Michigan, and to provide for inspectors.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sharp moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 915 (file No. 466), entitled

A bill to provide for the organization, arming, and duties of independent military companies, and for commissioning the officers thereof,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Harshaw moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 259 (file No. 130), entitled

A bill to establish, protect and enforce the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or material for the erection, altering, repairing or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures; and to repeal act No. 258 of the session laws of 1879; all acts amendatory thereof, relating to mechanics' liens,

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Holbrook,	Rairden,		19

NAYS.

Mr. Howell,	Mr. Willits,	2
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Title agreed to.

Mr. Fox moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 235 (file No. 352), entitled

A bill to protect fish and regulate fishing in the lakes, rivers and streams, within and bordering the State, by providing close seasons for fishing, prohibiting the sale of certain kinds of fish, to protect persons engaged in fish culture, and to repeal sections 5, 6 and 9, of act No. 350, of the session laws of 1865, approved March 21, 1865; act No. 211 of the session laws of 1865, approved March 16, 1865; act No. 80 of the session laws of 1869, approved March 30, 1869; act No. 104 of the public acts of 1877, approved May 9, 1877; act No. 276 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 11, 1881; act No. 5 of the public acts of 1883, approved February 21, 1883; act No. 55 of the public acts of 1883, approved April 27, 1883; act No. 184 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 8, 1883,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Mayo moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 2, section 3, the word "fish" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "brook trout, grayling or California trout,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 3, section 4, after the word "attached" the words "during the months of March and April,"

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 3, section 4, the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two,"

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

Mr. Deyo moved the previous question;

Which was supported.

The question being, shall the main question be now put,

The same was ordered by a majority of the Senators.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Post,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Fox,	Mayo,		<i>pro tem.</i> 22

NAYS.

Mr. Howell, Mr. Bairden,

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Giddings moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 547 (file No. 390), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 233 of the public acts of 1881, being an act entitled "An act to reorganize the Michigan institute for educating the deaf and dumb," the same being compiler's section 1836 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Giddings moved to take from the table

House bill No. 848 (file No. 445), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 9 of act No. 156 of the session laws of 1851, entitled An act to define the powers and duties of the boards of supervisors of the several counties and to confer upon them certain local administrative and legislative powers, approved April 8, 1851, being sections 467 and 475 of the compiled laws of 1871. the same being compiler's sections 473 and 481 respectively of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The rules were suspended two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out section 9.

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 10, section 1, the words "one or more," and by striking the same words out of line 11.

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out all of section 1 after the word "appoint" in line 9.

On which

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W.I.	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Mayo,	Sharp,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,		11

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Potter,	
Campbell,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Post,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Moon,			14

Mr. Deyo moved the previous question,

Which was supported.

The question being, shall the main question now be put,

Mr. Sharp moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Sharp,		2
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, J.W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Rairden,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Laing,	Post,	Wisner,	
Deyo,				21

The main question was then ordered by a majority of the Senate.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Westgate,	
Babcock, J.W.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Wisner,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Post,	President	
Deyo,	Laing,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i>	17
Edwards,	Moon,			

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Sharp,	
Gorman,	Howell,	Roof,		7

Title agreed to

Mr. J. W. Babcock withdrew his motion to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed

House bill No. 291, (file No. 282), entitled

A bill to regulate the manner in which insurance companies not organized under the laws of this State, but doing business within it, shall transact their business.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate took a recess until 7:30 o'clock p. m.

EVENING SESSION.

7:30 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem*.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee of conference, to whom was referred

House bill No. 504 (file No. 371), entitled

A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State,

Which the Senate had amended as follows:

1. By striking out of line 8 of section 1 the word five and inserting in lieu thereof the word three;
2. By striking out of line 9 of section 1 the word five and inserting in lieu thereof the word three;
3. By striking out of section 1 all after the word same in line 16;
4. By inserting in line 2 of section 2 after the word sell the words any of such liquors;
5. By striking out of line 3 of section 2 the word five and inserting in lieu thereof the word three;
6. By striking out of line 5 of section 2 the word five and inserting in lieu thereof the word three;
7. By adding to the beginning of line 9 of section 2 the words section 3, and making that line the beginning of section 3 of the bill, and renumbering the other sections;
8. By inserting in line 9 of section 2 before the word provisions the word penal;
9. By striking out of line 18 of section 2 the word whose, and inserting in lieu thereof the words when forbidden in writing so to do by the;
10. By inserting in line 18 of section 2, after the word employer the words of such persons, or by the;
11. By inserting in line 19 of section 2 before the word mayor the word or;
12. By inserting in line 19 of section 2, before the word director the word or;
13. By inserting in line 19 of section 2, after the word city, the words or president, or trustee of any village;
14. By striking out of line 21 of section 2, the words who shall forbid the same;

15. By inserting in line 25 of section 2, after the word only the words without the payment of any tax specified in section one;

16. By inserting in line 31 of section 2 after the word sale, the words in manner and form as aforesaid;

17. By striking out of line 57 of section 2, the word whose, and inserting in lieu thereof the words when forbidden in writing so to do by the;

18. By inserting in line 57 of section 2, after the word employer, the words of such person, or by the;

19. By inserting in line 58 of section 2, before the word director, the word or;

20. By striking out of line 58 of section 2 the words or any supervisor or alderman;

21. By striking out of line 60 of section 2 the words shall forbid such selling, furnishing, or giving to as aforesaid;

22. By striking out of lines 60 and 61 of section 2, the words to any person, and inserting in lieu thereof the words any such liquor;

23. By inserting at the end of line 64 of section 2 the words or persons;

24. By inserting in line 65 of section 2 before the word then the words him or;

25. By inserting in line 65 of section 2, after the word support, the words or otherwise;

26. By inserting in line 81 of section 2, after the both the words such fine and imprisonment;

27. By striking out of line 82 of section 2, the word paying;

28. By inserting at the end of line 84 of section 2, the words and it shall be set forth and declared in the record of judgment upon such second conviction;

29. By striking out of line 85 of section 2, the words in addition;

30. By striking out of line 86 of section 2, the words or negligence;

31. By inserting in line 86 of section 2, after the word violation, the words and be;

32. By striking out of line 86 of section 2, the word penalty, and inserting in lieu thereof the word penalties;

33. By adding to the end of line 87 of section 2, the words or employers;

34. By striking out of line 3 of section 3, the words Monday in, and inserting in lieu thereof the words day of;

35. By striking out of line 7 of section 3, the words Monday in, and inserting in lieu thereof the words day of;

36. By striking out of line 9 of section 3 the word Monday, and inserting in lieu thereof the word day;

37. By striking out of lines 5, 9 and 10 of section 3 the words first Monday of May, and inserting in lieu thereof the words thirtieth day of April;

38. By striking out of line 1 of section 4 the word any at the beginning of the line, and inserting in lieu thereof the word every;

39. By striking out of line 1 of section 4 the word engaged, and inserting in lieu thereof the word engaging;

40. By striking out of line 1 of section 4 the word such;

41. By inserting in line 1 of section 4 after the word business, the words specified in section one of this act;

42. By striking out of line 1 of section 4 the words Monday in, and inserting in lieu thereof the words day of;

43. By striking out of line 5 of section 4 the words first Monday of May, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, thirtieth day of April;

44. By striking out of line 6 of section 4 the word demanded, and inserting in lieu thereof the word required;

45. By striking out of line 6 of section 4 the word tax and inserting in lieu thereof the word same;

46. By striking out of line 6 of section 4 the word Monday and inserting in lieu thereof the word day;

47. By striking out of line 3 of section 5 the word named and inserting in lieu thereof the word stated, and shall specify therein;

48. By striking out of line 5 of section 5 the word also and inserting in lieu thereof the words he shall also deliver to such person or persons;

49. By striking out of line 8 of section 5 the word penalty and inserting in lieu thereof the word penalties;

50. By striking out of lines 8 and 9 of section 5 the words ten dollars costs will be paid to the person making complaint upon the conviction of the offender, and that;

51. By inserting a period after the word justice in line 10 of section 5, striking out the word and, and beginning a new sentence with the word before;

52. By striking out of line 11 of section 5, the word same and inserting in lieu thereof the words said notice and receipt;

53. By striking out of lines 15 to 20 of section 5 the words and any person or persons who shall carry on any business or sell any liquors or beverages for which a tax is required to be paid by this act, without having such receipt and notice posted up and displayed at all times in the place where such business or sale is or are carried on, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to the same fine and punishment as is provided in this act for the neglect or refusal to pay the tax required by this act.

54. By inserting in line 23 of section 5, after the word full, the words in money;

55. By inserting in line 6 of section 5, after the word thereof the words if there is no specific penalty provided therefor by this act;

56. By striking out of line 7 of section 6 the word and, after the word prosecution, and inserting in lieu thereof the word or;

57. By inserting in line 8 of section 6 after the word days where if occurs the second time, the words or both such fine and imprisonment;

58. By striking out of line 9 of section 6 the word he;

59. By inserting in line 12 of section 6 after the word person the words or persons;

60. By inserting in line 14 of section 6 after the words shall the words thereby in addition to all other penalties prescribed by this act;

61. By striking out of line 14 of section 6 the words right to sell paid for, and inserting in lieu thereof the words tax so paid;

62. By inserting in line 14 of section 6 after the word them, and be precluded from continuing such business for the remainder of the year or time for which said tax was paid;

63. By striking out of lines 7 and 18 of section 6, the words, the forfeiture of the tax shall be in addition to the penalty hereinbefore prescribed;

64. By striking out of lines 20 and 21 of section 6, the words forfeitures and penalties, and inserting in lieu thereof the words penalties and forfeitures;

65. By adding to the end of section 6 the words and be precluded and de-

barred from continuing and engaging in any business requiring the payment of a tax under this act as aforesaid;

66. By inserting in line 5 of section 7 after the word trustees, the words the council;

67. By striking out of line 9 of section 7, the word village;

68. By striking out of lines 10, 11 and 12 of section 7 the words or be engaged, either as a principal, agent or servant, either directly or indirectly, in the sale of any of the liquors mentioned in this act, and inserting in lieu thereof the words except notaries public;

69. By inserting in line 12 of section 7, after the word nor, the word be;

70. By striking out of line 12 of section 7 the words any other bond, and inserting in lieu thereof the words more than two bonds;

71. By striking out of section 7 the words whose, and inserting in lieu thereof the words when forbidden in writing so to do by the;

72. By inserting in line 31 of section 7 before the word employer the word or;

73. By inserting in line 31 of section 7 before the word supervisor the words of such persons, or by the;

74. By inserting in line 31 of section 7 after the word mayor the words of the city or;

75. By striking out of lines 31 and 32 of section 7 the words or any supervisor or alderman of the city and inserting in lieu thereof the words or president or trustee of any village;

76. By striking out of line 33 of section 7 the words shall forbid the same;

77. By inserting in line 34 of section 7, after the word person, the words or persons;

78. By inserting in line 34 of section 7, before the word them, the words him or;

79. By inserting in line 35 of section 7, after the word support, the words or otherwise;

80. By inserting in line 56 of section 7, after the word trustees, the words the council;

81. By inserting in line 62 of section 7, after the word trustees, the words the council;

82. By inserting in line 65 of section 7, after the word trustees, the words the council;

83. By striking out of lines 3 and 9 of section 8, the words: *Provided*, That the amount received as fees under the provisions of this act by any county treasurer, shall not exceed the sum of five hundred dollars, and inserting in lieu thereof the words: *Provided*, That in all counties in the Upper Peninsula all the moneys paid to any county treasurer, under the provisions of this act, shall, after deducting his fees as aforesaid, be by him placed to the credit of the township, village or city from which the same was collected, and shall be by such county treasurer paid over on demand to the treasurer of such township, village or city, to be applied as other general funds;

84. By striking out of line of 3 section 10, the words or persons;

85. By striking out of line 4 of section 10, the words or persons;

86. By inserting in line 9 of section 10, after the words there be two the words the expense of such publication shall be paid out of the contingent fund of the county;

87. By inserting in line 5 of section 11, before the word appoint, the words

after summary hearing and determination thereon and deciding the same to have occurred;

88. By inserting in line 5 of section 11, after the word duties, the words of such officer:

89. By striking out of line 7 of section 11, the word and, and inserting in lieu thereof the words *Provided, That*;

90. By inserting in line 10 of section 11, after the word performed the words and reimburse him for all expenses incurred;

91. By striking out of line 2 of section 12 the word to after the word furnish;

92. By striking out of line 5 of section 12 the word whose, and inserting in lieu thereof the words when forbidden in writing so to do by the;

93. By striking out of line 6 of section 12 the word or, and inserting in lieu thereof of such person or by;

94. By inserting in line 7 of section 12, before the word director, the word or;

95. By striking out of line 7 of section 12, the words or any supervisor or alderman of the city;

96. By striking out of lines 8 and 9 of section 12, the words shall forbid such selling, furnishing or giving;

97. By striking out of line 12 of section 12 the word whose, and inserting in lieu thereof the words when forbidden in writing so to do by the;

98. By inserting in line 12 of section 12, before the word employer, the word or;

99. By striking out of line 12 of section 12 the word or, and inserting in lieu thereof the words of such person, or by;

100. By inserting in line 13 of section 12, before the word director, the word or;

101. By striking out of line 13 of section 12 the words or any supervisor or alderman of the city;

102. By striking out of line 15 of section 12 the words shall be forbidden the selling, furnishing, or giving of the same;

103. By striking out of lines 15 and 16 of section 12 the word presumption, and inserting in lieu thereof the word evidence,

104. By striking out of line 16 of section 12 the word liquor, and inserting in lieu thereof the word liquid;

105. By adding the following to stand as section 14:

Sec. 14. It shall not be lawful for any person, by himself, his clerk or agent, to permit any student in attendance at any public or private institution of learning in this State, or any minor, to play at cards, dice, billiards or any game of chance, in any part of any building in which spirituous liquors or intoxicating drinks are sold; nor shall it be lawful for any person by himself, his clerk or agent, to sell or give to any student in attendance at any public or private institution of learning in this State, any spirituous or intoxicating drinks except when prescribed by a regular physician for medicinal purposes; and any person who shall offend against either of the foregoing provisions of this section, shall be deemed to have been guilty of a misdemeanor, and, on conviction thereof shall be punished as provided in section 7 of this act;

106. By striking out section 13 and inserting in lieu thereof the following, to stand as section 15, as renumbered;

Sec. 15. It shall not be lawful for any person to allow any minor to visit or remain in any room where such liquors are sold or kept for sale, unless accompanied by his or her father, or other legal guardian;

107. By inserting after the word day, in the 6th line, section 15, the following words: And it shall be the duty of sheriffs, marshals, constables and police officers to close all saloons, houses or places that shall be found open in violation of the provisions of this section, and to report forthwith all such violations to the prosecuting attorney, whose duty it shall be to immediately prosecute for such violations;

108. By inserting in line 9 of section 15, after the words council, the words or board of trustees or council;

109. By inserting in line 10 of section 15, after the word sold, the words to open at 6 o'clock A. M., and;

110. By striking out of line 10 of section 15, the words 10 o'clock and inserting in lieu thereof the words 11 o'clock P. M., and no longer;

111. By adding to the end of section 15 the words except on election days and holidays. Any person found in the act of violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a breach of the peace and punished accordingly; and the arrest therefor may be without process, and this punishment shall be taken to be in excess of all other manner of punishment in this act provided for a violation of the provisions of this section. All officers authorized to make arrests for a breach of the peace shall have like power to make arrests under the provisions of this section, as in other cases of a breach of the peace;

112. By adding the following to stand as section 18: Sec. 18. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of the five preceding sections shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished as provided in section 7 of this act;

113. By striking out of line 18 of section 16 the words in this State;

114. By adding to the end of section 16 the words *And provided further*, That nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prevent prosecuting persons for becoming drunk or intoxicated when the testimony of said person is not sought under the provisions of this section;

115. By inserting in line 8 of section 17 after the word shall, the words in addition to all other penalties provided therefor by this act;

116. By adding to the end of section 17 the following: Every wife, child, parent, guardian, husband or other person who shall be injured in person or property or means of support or otherwise by any intoxicated person, or by reason of the intoxication of any person, or by reason of the selling, giving, or furnishing any spirituous, intoxicating, fermented, or malt liquors to any person, shall have a right of action in his or her own name against any person or persons who shall, by selling or giving any intoxicating or malt liquor, have caused or contributed to the intoxication of such person or persons, or who have caused or contributed to such injury, and the principal and sureties to the bond hereinbefore mentioned shall be liable severally and jointly with the person or persons so selling, giving or furnishing any spirituous, intoxicating, or malt liquors as aforesaid, and in an action provided for in this section the plaintiff shall have a right to recover actual and exemplary damages. In case of the death of either party the action and right of action given by this section shall survive to and against his executor or administrator. And in every action by any wife, husband, parent or child, general reputation of the relation of husband and wife, and parent and child shall be *prima facie* evidence of such relation, and the amount recovered by every wife or child shall be his or her sole and separate property. Any sale or gift of intoxicating or malt liquor by the lessee of any premises, resulting damages shall at the option of the les-

sor, work a forfeiture of the lease, and in the circuit court in chancery may enjoin the sale, giving away, or furnishing any intoxicating or malt liquors, or any lessee or occupant of the premises, which may result in loss or damage or liability to the lessor, or any person claiming under such lessor.

117. By striking out of line 1 of section 18, the word damage, and inserting in lieu thereof the word damages;

118. By striking out of line 1 of section 18, the words provided for in, and inserting in lieu thereof the words arising under;

119. By inserting in line 2 of section 18, before the word action, the word and;

120. By striking out of line 9 of section 22, the words fined in any sum, and inserting in lieu thereof the words punished by a fine;

121. By striking out of line 11 of section 22, the word sixty, and inserting in lieu thereof the words six months;

122. By inserting in line 4 of section 26, after the word thereof, the words or shall violate any of the provisions of sections 26, 27 or 28 of this act;

123. By striking out of line 4 of section 26, the words, an attempt to practice a fraud, and inserting in lieu thereof the words a misdemeanor;

124. By striking out of line 5 of section 26 the words imprisoned in the State prison not more than one year, and inserting in lieu thereof the words punished as provided in section 25 of this act;

125. By striking out of line 2 of section 27 the word adulterating, and inserting in lieu thereof the word compounding;

126. By striking out of line 3 of section 27, the word medical, and inserting in lieu thereof the word medicinal;

127. By inserting in line 2 of section 28, after the word screens, the word partitions;

128. By striking out of line 2 of section 28 the word obstructions, and inserting in lieu thereof the word things;

129. By inserting in line 3 of section 28, after the word street, the word alley;

130. By inserting in line 3 of section 28, before the words said building, the words or at the side or end of;

131. By adding to the end of section 28 the words any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this section, shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished as provided in section seven of this act;

132. By striking out section 29 and inserting in lieu thereof the following to stand as section 32, as re-numbered;

SEC. 32. No person, firm or corporation, who, prior to the time when this act shall take effect, has filed the bond and paid the tax provided by existing laws, shall be liable for any increased tax during the current year, or be compelled to file any new bond pertaining to the business then being carried on, unless for causes arising under the provisions of this act. And such person, firm or corporation shall in all other respects be subject to the provisions of this act.

133. By adding the following to stand as section 33 of the bill:

SEC. 33. That for the better enforcement of this act in that portion of the county of Wayne, which forms the suburbs to the city of Detroit, the jurisdiction of the board of metropolitan police of said city is hereby extended over the townships of Springwells, Greenfield, Hamtramck and Grosse Point, in said county. And it shall be the duty of said board of metropolitan police to police said townships sufficiently strong to enable them to enforce the provisions of

this act within the limits thereof, and for that purpose said board of metropolitan police are authorized to increase the police force under their control, to mount said increase or any portion thereof; and are vested with the same authority as is now conferred upon them within the corporate limits of the said city of Detroit, and may use all or any portion of the force under their control. The police force so employed in said townships shall have and are hereby vested with the same powers to enforce the provisions of this act, and to preserve the peace as is by general law conferred upon the constables therein. The expenses of maintaining such extra force of police in said townships shall be paid monthly by the county of Wayne, out of the moneys paid into the treasury of said county under the provisions of this act on duly certified vouchers therefor, prepared and submitted by said board of metropolitan police to the board of county auditors of said county, who are hereby directed to audit and pay the same in the same manner as other claims for services against the county of Wayne are audited and paid.

134. By striking out section 30 and inserting in lieu thereof the following to stand as section 34, as re-numbered:

SEC. 34. All acts or parts of acts in any wise contravening or inconsistent with any of the provisions of this act are hereby repealed: *Provided, however,* That all suits or actions pending, under any law in force at the date this act takes effect, whether on behalf of the people of this State, or any person or persons, may be prosecuted to final judgment and such judgment enforced, in like manner and with the same effect as though this act were not passed, and all rights of action accrued to said people or any person or persons under any existing law, are hereby preserved and saved, and excepted from the operation and effect of this act, and the same may be prosecuted, sued for and recovered in like manner and to the same extent as might be done if this act were not passed: *And provided further,* That this act shall not be operative, except as to druggists, in any county in this State that shall have prohibited the manufacture and sale of the liquors mentioned in this act, in any manner now or that shall be provided by law while such prohibition is in force.

135. By renumbering consecutively the sections of the bill, as required by the division of section 2 and the addition of new sections to the bill.

And the title to which bill the Senate had amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving, or delivering spirituous and intoxicating liquors, and malt, brewed or fermented liquors, and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act,

In 127 of which amendments to said bill, and in the amendment to the title thereof the House concurred, but in the 1st, 2d, 8th, 53d, 67th, 110th and 111th of which amendments the House non-concurred, and the 65th of which amendments the House amended as follows:

By adding at the end thereof the words And it shall be the duty of sheriffs marshals, constables and police officers to forthwith close all saloons and other places where the manufacturing, selling or keeping for sale any of the liquors mentioned in section 1 of this act is being conducted, upon which business the tax required by said section has not been paid in full, and in which the receipt mentioned in section 5 of this act shall not be posted up and displayed;

Whereupon the Senate insisted upon all of its said amendments and asked for a committee of conference, which was granted.

Respectfully report that they have had under careful consideration the matter of disagreement existing between the two houses relative to said bill, and make the following recommendations in respect thereto:

1st. Relative to the 1st and 2d named amendments made to said bill by the Senate, in which the House did not concur, that the Senate recede from said amendments and that section 1 of said bill be amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That in all townships, cities and villages of this State there shall be paid annually the following tax upon the business of manufacturing, selling or keeping for sale, by all persons whose business, in whole or in part, consists in selling or keeping for sale or manufacturing distilled or brewed or malt liquors, or mixed liquors, as follows: Upon the business of selling or offering for sale spirituous or intoxicating liquors, or mixed liquors, by retail, or any mixture or compound, excepting proprietary patent medicines, which in whole or part consist of spirituous or intoxicating liquors, and any malt, brewed, or fermented liquors, five hundred dollars per annum; upon the business of selling only brewed or malt liquors at wholesale or retail, or at wholesale and retail, three hundred dollars per annum; upon the business of selling spirituous or intoxicating liquors at wholesale, five hundred dollars; or at wholesale and retail, eight hundred dollars per annum; upon the business of manufacturing brewed or malt liquors for sale, sixty-five dollars per annum; upon the business of manufacturing for sale spirituous or intoxicating liquors, eight hundred dollars per annum. No person paying a tax on spirituous or intoxicating liquors under this act shall be liable to pay any tax on the sale of malt, brewed or fermented liquors. No person paying a manufacturer's tax on brewed or malt liquors under this act shall be liable to pay a wholesale dealer's tax on the same.

2. That as to the 8th amendment made to the said bill by the Senate, the House concur therein.

3. That as to the 53d amendment made to the said bill by the Senate, the House concur therein.

4. That as to the 65th amendment made to the said bill by the Senate, and which the House amended, that the Senate concur in the amendment thereto made by the House.

5. That as to the 67th amendment made to the said bill by the Senate, the Senate recede therefrom.

6. That as to the 110th and 111th amendments made to the said bill by the Senate, the House concur therein.

And the conference committee further recommend that when so amended, the said bill be concurred in by both Houses.

EDW'D E. EDWARDS,
CHAS. I. DEYO,

Members of Committee on part of Senate.

ERASTUS N. BATES,
GERRIT J. DIEKEMA,
J. W. ROBINSON,

Members of Committee on part of House.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the report of the conference committee,

Mr. Edwards moved that there be a call of the Senate,
Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senator was reported absent without leave: Mr. Laing.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was despatched after the absentee.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with, except bringing in the absentee.

The Senate then concurred in the adoption of the report of the conference committee by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	President,
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 19

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Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner
Gorman,			

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The Sergeant-at-arms announced Mr. Laing at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

Mr. Laing was admitted within the bar, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

Mr. Post moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 794 (file No. 416), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid in improving the channel of Maple river in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Roof,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Howell,		26

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Post,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Holbrook moved to take from the table

House bills Nos. 509 and 599 (file No. 357), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1344 and 1345 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the recording of town plats and the vacation of the same, as amended by act No. 108, session laws of 1873, approved April 17, 1873, being compiler's sections 1473 and 1474 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 111 of the public acts of 1885, approved May 21, 1885.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 21, amended section 1, the words "commissioner of the land office," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Auditor General," and by making the same changes in lines 40 and 41,

The motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Mayo,		<i>pro tem.</i> 26

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Mr. Crosby,	1
Title agreed to.	

Mr. Howell moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 276, entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 2 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto," approved June 20, 1885,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	President
Deyo,	Laing,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> 28
Edwards,			

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Howell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sharp moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 439 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed lands in Jackson county.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp.

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Palmer,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Post,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Holbrook.	Potter,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Moon,	Roof,		21
Fox,	O'Reilly,			

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Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Laing,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Howell,			6

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 1 entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the mining school at Houghton in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, and for heating, lighting and furnishing the same,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

Which bill was returned by the House with sundry amendments on a for-

mer occasion, as shown by message of June 8, and which bill was re-transmitted to the House on its request for the same.

Now to inform the Senate that the House has reconsidered its former action, and has amended the bill so as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated from the general fund in the State treasury, thirty thousand of which shall be available during the year 1887, and payable out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, and forty-five thousand dollars during the year 1888, for the purpose of erecting and equipping a suitable building, including all permanent fixtures, heating and lighting apparatus, etc., for the use of the mining school at Houghton, in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, established under act number seventy of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to establish and regulate a mining school in the Upper Peninsula," approved May 1, 1885.

SEC. 2. As soon as the thirty thousand dollars made payable out of the State treasury by section one of this act shall be made available, as heretofore provided, the Board of Control shall, as in section 4 of said act number 70, proceed to obtain a suitable location for said building, by donation, and proceed, as hereinafter provided, to erect a suitable building and to equip the same for the accommodation of said school, as contemplated in said section.

SEC. 3. Said board of control shall provide and adopt plans, specifications and estimates for the ground, building, machinery and fixtures for such school, including all present fixtures heating and lighting apparatus, etc., of such form, style, power and dimensions as when completed and equipped will not exceed in cost the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars, and deposit a certified copy of such plans and specifications with the Auditor General.

SEC. 4. Said board of control shall, as soon as they have secured a site and adopted such plans, specifications and estimates, advertise for a time not less than four weeks in such papers as they may select, in this State, for proposals for constructing and equipping said building in accordance with the plans and specifications heretofore mentioned. All contracts for labor and materials to be used in the erection and construction of said mining school building and for equipping the same, requiring an expenditure of more than five hundred dollars, shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders; and advertisements of the letting of such contracts shall be published as above provided, before the time for opening bids; the advertisements thus provided for to specify the time and place when the bids or proposals made in pursuance thereof shall be opened. All bids or proposals thus made shall be sealed, and shall not be opened at any time or place other than that designated in the advertisement. All or any bids or proposals received by said board of control may be by them rejected, and whether accepted or rejected shall, after decision thereon by said board of control, be deposited in the office of the Secretary of State. No contract made by the board of control for the erection of said buildings shall be binding until approval by the Governor in writing shall be endorsed thereon. When so approved, the contract shall be filed with the Auditor General, who shall file the same in his office, and shall make and certify a copy thereof, and deliver such copy to the said board of control.

SEC. 5. In letting contracts said board of control shall not obligate the State to pay any contractor any money other than that to which said contractor may be justly entitled by reason of labor or materials already fur-

nished and supplied, and in no event shall more than eighty-five per cent of the amount called for in any contract be paid to the contractor named therein before the completion of his contract and its acceptance by the board of control: *Provided*, That every contractor performing service or work, or furnishing materials under this act, shall enter into such bonds, with sureties, for the proper performance of his contract, as shall be required by said board of control and approved by the Governor.

SEC. 6. The said board of control may employ the architect whose plans they may adopt, to superintend under their direction the erection and construction of said mining school building, herein provided for; and before entering upon the discharge of his duties he shall take the oath of office prescribed by the constitution and laws of this State, and give bond for the faithful performance of the duties of his office in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars; or if in their judgment the work can be more economically done by the employment of some suitable person to superintend the work of construction under plans and specifications furnished, they may employ such person.

SEC. 7. Each of the members of said board of control shall be entitled to receive his actual expenses made in the discharge of his duties under this act and act No. 70, hereinbefore referred to, and the architect or person employed as provided for in the preceding section, and the treasurer of said board of control shall receive a reasonable compensation for their services, to be established by the board of control and approved by the Governor, which compensation and expense shall be audited by the board of State auditors.

SEC. 8. Money for payments under this act shall be drawn from the State treasury on requisition of the board of control, signed by the president and secretary thereof, which shall be presented to the Auditor General, who shall draw his warrants on the State treasurer therefor.

SEC. 9. It shall be the duty of the treasurer of said board of control to render monthly or quarterly accounts to the Auditor General and file vouchers, as required by act No. 70 of the session laws of 1885.

SEC. 10. No member of the board of control or other officer of the board shall be directly or indirectly interested in any contract or contracts for the erection or construction of said building for a mining school, or the furnishing of labor or materials for the same.

SEC. 11. Said board of control are hereby authorized at any time during the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven to draw from the general fund of the State treasury such amounts of money, not exceeding thirty thousand dollars, as they shall deem necessary for securing plans and specifications for said mining school, and for the expenditures in erecting the same. And said board of control are hereby further authorized to draw from the general fund of the State treasury at any time during the year 1888, such amounts, not exceeding forty-five thousand dollars, as may be necessary to complete said building and equip the same including all permanent fixtures, heating and lighting apparatus, etc., as provided by the plans, specifications and estimates therefor, pursuant to the provisions of act No. 70 of the session laws of 1885.

SEC. 12. No part of the money hereby appropriated shall be available until a site for said building, to be approved by the board of control, has been procured, and a clear title thereof obtained.

SEC. 13. The auditor general shall add to and incorporate with the State

tax for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven the sum of thirty thousand dollars, and for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight the sum of forty-five thousand dollars, to be assessed, levied and collected as other State taxes are assessed and collected, which sums, when collected, shall be credited to the general fund to reimburse it for the sums appropriated by section one of this act.

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title so as to read as follows:

A bill making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the mining school at Houghton in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, including all permanent fixtures, heating and lighting apparatus, etc.,

In the passage of which, as thus amended and the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W.L.	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	President,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i>
Edwards,	Laing,		29

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The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate concurred.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Mr. Hubbell moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill.

Pending which

Mr. Palmer moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table,

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The conference committee, to whom was referred the difference between the two bodies growing out of the proposed amendments by the House of Representatives to

Senate bill No. 35, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the university of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the matters of difference between the Senate and House of Representatives upon said amendments under consideration, and beg leave to inform your honorable body that said committee have arrived at the following agreement, viz: That the Senate shall recede from all its matters of difference with the House of Representatives and concur in the House of Representatives proposed amendments thereto, except the proposed amendment in line 9 of section 1 which proposed amendment reads as follows:

"In line 9, after the words 'the sum of,' strike out the words 'six thousand and two hundred and fifty,' and insert the words 'five thousand ;'" also the proposed amendment in said section 1, line 10, which reads as follows: "In line 10, after the words 'the sum of,' strike out the words 'six thousand, two hundred and fifty,' and insert the words 'five thousand,'" and as to these two said proposed amendments the House of Representatives is to recede.

Your conference committee respectfully request that this basis of agreement will be accepted by your honorable body, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK,
JAMES S. GORMAN,
EDWIN G. FOX,

Committee on the part of Senate.

M. E. RUMSEY,
L. E. LINCOLN,
W. T. JONES,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Fox moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 407, entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of aiding in cleaning out, deepening and improving the ditch along the State road known as the Wild Fowl and Cass City State road in townships Nos. 14 and 15, north of range 10 east.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The rules were suspended, two thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman,	Mayo,	Rairden,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Roof,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Edwards,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Fox,	Hubbell,	Post,	Wisner,	24

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:
House bill No. 564, entitled

A bill to provide for the recovery of damages for injuries caused or sustained by reason of defective public highways, streets, bridges, sidewalks, crosswalks or culverts, and to repeal act No. 244 of the public acts of the year 1879, being compiler's sections 1442, 1443, 1444, 1445 and 1446 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, been ordered to take immediate effect, and in all of which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

Pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Mayo,	Rairden,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Fox,	Hubbell,	Post,	Wisner,	24

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Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Roof,	3
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Title agreed to.

Mr. Potter moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate file No. 297, being Senate substitute for House bill No. 193 (file No. 415), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of opening, cleaning out, dredging and deepening Thornapple river, near the outlet of Thornapple lake, in the township of Hastings, in the county of Barry,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Potter,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent.

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 5, sec 1, after the word "lands" the words "in the lower peninsula of this State,"

Pending which

Mr Harshaw moved to amend the amendment by adding the words "already patented to the State,"

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion to amend then prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J.W.	Giddings,	Moon,	Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,		23

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Potter,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 600 (file No. 285), entitled

A bill to fix the per diem compensation of members of the State Legislature from the Upper Peninsula for and during the session of 1887,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.	Crosby,	Laing,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Willits,	
Barton,	Gorman.	Post,	Wisner,	16

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Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Rairden,
Fox,	Howell,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Harshaw,	Mayo,	Potter,	President,
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Mr. W. I. Babcock moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Crosby moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators were reported absent without leave:

Messrs. Barringer, Deyo, Roof and Wisner.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Harshaw moved to take from the table

House bill No. 557, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of West Branch, in the county of Ogemaw, to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor and to provide for the levy of taxes therein to pay the same.

Pending which,

Mr. Hubbell moved that the Senate adjourn.

On which,

Mr. Harshaw demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Mayo,	Westgate,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Willits,	
Barton,	Hubbell,			14

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Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,	
Crosby,	Giddings,	Post,	President	
Edwards,	Harshaw,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	11

And the Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 24, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.* at 9 o'clock A. M.

Religious exercises by the Rev. Mr. Ford.

Roll called: a quorum present.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 143 (file No. 114), entitled

A bill to amend section 4345 of the compiled laws of the year 1871, being section 5808 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to wills of real and personal estate.

2. Senate bill No. 249 (file No. 299), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of swamp land for the construction of a drain in the townships of Wisner and Gilford, Tuscola county.

3. Senate bill No. 265 (file No. 71), entitled

A bill to provide for the confinement of persons who may be found guilty of the violation of a village ordinance or ordinances in incorporated villages in the county of Wayne, in this State.

4. Senate bill No. 442, entitled

A bill to provide for his appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Branch and St. Joseph, now composing the 15th judicial circuit.

5. Senate bill No. 47, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Mecosta and Newaygo, now composing the 27th judicial circuit.

6. Senate bill No. 178 (file No. 236), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7 and 36, of article 2, of act No. 198, session laws of 1873, entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State, approved May 1, 1873, as amended, being compiler's sections 3321 and 3350, of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act number 174, of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

By the committee on insurance:

The committee on insurance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 256 (file No. 102), entitled

A bill to amend section 18 of chapter 131 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to life insurance companies,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The further consideration of the bill was indefinitely postponed.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

House bill No. 31 (file No. 202), entitled

A bill to carry into effect section 12 of article 15 of the constitution, relative to the holding real estate by corporations,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The further consideration of the bill was indefinitely postponed.

By the committee on university:

The committee on university, to whom was referred

House bill No. 179, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 138 of the public acts of 1881, entitled An act to provide for the medical and surgical treatment of dependent children at the hospital of the university of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JNO. C. SHARP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on public health:

The committee on public health, to whom was referred

Senate bill No 130, entitled

A bill to amend section 7 of act 81 of the public acts of 1873, being compiler's section 1628 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to State board of health,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEORGE HOWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Sharp moved that

The bill be laid on the table,

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The further consideration of the bill was indefinitely postponed.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 70, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 25 of an act entitled An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Jackson, approved April 24, 1875,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on insurance:

The committee on insurance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 530 (file No. 147), entitled

A bill to amend section 1674, compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act

No. 30 of the session laws of 1873, the same being compiler's section 4207 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to insurance bureaus,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, with the recommendation that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 895 (file No. 264), entitled

A bill to provide for the purchase of additional land for the use of the State public school,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that it do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on printing:

The committee on printing, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 396, entitled

A bill to amend article 2, section 9, of act No. 188 of the session laws of 1873, approved May 1, 1873, entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railway companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads, or other corporations owning or operating any railroad in the State, and all acts amendatory thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend article 2 of act No. 188 of the public acts of 1873, approved May 1, 1873, entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railway companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads, or other corporations owning or operating any railroad in the State, and all acts amendatory thereof, by adding thereto two new sections to stand as sections 41 and 42,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The further consideration of the bill was indefinitely postponed.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 339, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of an act to re-organize the public library of Bay City, and to repeal sec. 12 of act No. 370 of the session laws of 1867, entitled An act to organize union school districts of Bay City, approved March 20, 1867, approved May 3, 1877, and said sec. 1 as amended by act No. 390 of the session laws of 1881, approved May 25, 1881,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 331, entitled

A bill to amend section 2, chapter 4, and section 1, chapter 10 of an act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, approved June 7, 1883, being act No. 326, local acts of 1883, and to add to chapter 10 of said act two new sections to stand as sections 22 and 23, so as to abolish the board of assessors,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 277, 455 (file No. 476), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of real estate, mortgages and other real estate securities,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAY A. HUBBELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 156 (file No. 312), being

An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Calhoun, Barry and Eaton, now comprising the 5th judicial circuit.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was laid upon the table.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 1 (file No. 110), being

An act making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the mining school at Houghton, in the upper peninsula of Michigan, including all permanent fixtures, heating and lighting apparatus, etc.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 25, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate substitute for House bill No. 656 (file No. 276), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 167 of the session laws of 1881, being an act entitled An act to provide for the republication and disposition of 30,000 copies of Robertson's Michigan in the War, and such additional copies as may be required to supply the demand as amended by act 143 of the session laws of 1883,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 577 (file No. 413), entitled

A bill to amend chapter No. 133 of the compiled laws of 1871, being chapter 267 of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding four new sections thereto, relative to the sale of homesteads for the payment of debts of deceased persons, and expenses of administering their estates,

Which the Senate amended by adding at the end of section 1 the following words: "But no such sale shall be made during the time the widow of the deceased shall remain unmarried,"

Now to inform the Senate that in said Senate amendment the House non-concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the Senate insist on its amendment and request a committee of conference to whom, when appointed, shall be referred the matters of difference,

Which motion prevailed.

The President *pro tem.* announced as the committee Messrs. Edwards, Sharp and Wisner.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 897 (file No. 486), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7184, 7186 and 7189 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being sections 11, 13 and 19 of chapter 304, Howell's statutes, in relation to the punishment of fraudulent debtors, being compiler's sections 8760, 8762 and 8765,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 402 (file No. 485), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of article 2 of act number 198 of the session laws of 1873, being an act entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, as amended by act No. 177, session laws of 1877, and act No. 116, public acts of 1883,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and

Mr. Sharp moved that the bill be laid on the table,

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then referred to the committee on railroads.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 188 (file No. 80), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 79 of the session laws of 1873, and the acts amendatory thereof, entitled An act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner of railroads, and to define his powers and duties and fix his compensation, approved April 10, 1873,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 530 (file No. 147), entitled

A bill to amend section 1674 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 30 of the session laws of 1873, approved March 14, 1873, the same being compiler's section 4207 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to insurance bureaus,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on insurance.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 893 (file No. 492), entitled

A bill to amend section 9, article 2, of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, being an act entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 177, public acts of 1877, approved May 22, 1877, being compiler's section 3323 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 116, public acts of 1883, approved May 24, 1883,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on railroads.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 331, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 4, and section 1 of chapter 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and to add to chapter 10 of said act two new sections to stand as sections 22 and 23, so as to abolish the board of assessors,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and Mr. Crosby moved that the rules be suspended and the bill placed upon its immediate passage,

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 451 (file No. 490), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act 152, session laws of 1883, entitled An act to provide for the taxation of persons, copartnerships, associations, car loaning companies, corporations and fast freight lines engaged in the business of running cars over any of the railroads of this State and not being exclusively the property of any railroad company paying taxes on their gross receipts,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and
On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Post,	President	
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	22
Campbell,	Mayo,	Rairden,		

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Mr. Wisner,		1
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, By the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House of Representatives be and they are hereby directed to compile and prepare for publication, make indexes, and superintend the publication of the journals and documents of the present Legislature, and when complete and certified to by the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Senate shall be entitled to and receive for such services the sum of five hundred dollars, and the Clerk of the House of Representatives shall be entitled to and receive for such services the sum of six hundred dollars, the same to be paid on the certificate of the Secretary of State.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the concurrent resolution,

The Senate concurred.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 145 (file No. 305), entitled

A bill to prevent the sale impure, unwholesome, adulterated or swill milk in the State of Michigan, and to provide for inspectors,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 382 (file No. 91), entitled

A bill to amend section 57 of chapter 176 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the courts of chancery, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and being compiler's section 6647 of Howell's annotated statutes.

2. Senate substitute for House bill No. 518 (file No. 178), entitled

A bill to amend sections 2 and 3 of act No. 167 of the public acts of 1883, entitled An act to promote public health, approved June 6, 1883.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 35, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the university of Michigan,

Concerning which there existed a disagreement between the two houses, And upon which disagreement a conference committee had been appointed, All of which is shown by former messages.

Which conference committee reported as follows:

The conference committee to whom was referred the difference between the two bodies, growing out of the proposed amendments by the House of Representatives to Senate bill No. 35, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the university of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the matters of difference between the Senate and House of Representatives upon said amendments under consideration and beg leave to inform your honorable body that said committee has arrived at the following agreement, viz:

That the Senate shall recede from all its matters of difference with the

House of Representatives' proposed amendments thereto, except the proposed amendment in line 9 of section 1, which proposed amendment reads as follows: In line 9 after the words "the sum of" strike out the words six thousand two hundred and fifty, and insert the words "five thousand." Also the proposed amendment in said section 1, line 10, which reads as follows: In line 10 after the words "the sum of" strike out the words "six thousand two hundred and fifty" and insert the words "five thousand" and as to these two said amendments the House of Representatives is to recede.

Your conference committee respectfully request that this basis of agreement will be accepted by your honorable body, and ask to be discharged from farther consideration of the subject.

J. W. BABCOCK,
JAMES S. GORMAN,
EDWIN G. FOX,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

M. E. RUMSEY,
L. E. LINCOLN,
W. T. JONES,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

Now to inform the Senate that in the report of said conference committee the House concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the report,
On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,
Babcock, W. L.	Giddings,	Mayo,	Rairden,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Stark,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Howell,	Post,	President
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Mr. Sharp, 1
The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill: House bill No. 218, entitled

A bill to consolidate Au Sable and Oscoda, to be known as the city of Au Sable,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take

immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sharp moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 315 (file No. 295), entitled

A bill to protect the owners or keepers of stallions,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 315 (file No. 295), entitled

A bill to protect the owners or keepers of stallions,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Willits,	
Babcock, J.W.	Giddings,	Post,	Wisner,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Harshaw,	Potter,	President	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	18
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Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	
Deyo,	Gorman,	Mayo,	Stark,	
Edwards,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	12

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 95 (file No. 300), entitled

A bill to amend section 2, act 148, session laws of 1869, being section 1756 of Howell's annotated statutes as amended in act 261, session laws of 1881, relative to the appointment of superintendents of the poor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J.W.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Wisner,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	President	
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	25
Deyo,	Laing,			

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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 295 (file No. 295), entitled

A bill authorizing the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to improve Norwegian Creek, in the township of Alpena, in the county of Alpena,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Laing,			26

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Mr. Mayo, 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Pending the third reading of

Senate bill No. 380 (file No. 290), entitled

A bill in relation to the manufacture and sale of vinegar,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 113 (file No. 289), entitled

A bill to prevent the selling, giving away, or in any other way furnishing tobacco in any form to minors under the age of sixteen years,

Was read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

Mr. Crosby moved the previous question,

Which was supported.

The question being, shall the main question be now put,

The same was ordered by a majority of the Senate.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Westgate,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Laing,	Rairden,	President	
Barringer,	Mayo,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	
Campbell,	Post,			13

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Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	
Barton,	Gorman,	Moon,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Holbrook,	Palmer,		15

Senate bill No. 362 (file No. 303), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of Alpena county to issue bonds for the purpose of raising money to improve the highways leading from the city of Alpena to the several townships in said county,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 27

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Mr. Howell,	Mr. Mayo,	2
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 82 (file No 301), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 42 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, being annotator's section No. 1756 relative to the support and maintenance of the poor by counties.

Was read a third time and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting after the word "appointment" in line 9, section 2, the following words: "and one, at least, of the superintendents so appointed shall be a resident of the place where the county seat is located."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	President
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 26
Fox,	Laing,	Rairden,	0

NAYS.

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 408 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to repeal act 376 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to define and constitute school districts Nos. 1 and 4 in the township of Rich, Lapeer county,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Willits,	
Edwards,	Gorman,	Stark,	Wisner,	8

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Potter,	
Crosby,	Mayo,	O'Reilly,	Rairden,	
Deyo,				9

Senate bill No. 343 (file No. 284), entitled

A bill to amend "An act to provide for the payment of the salaries of State officers," being compiler's section 339 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the salaries of State officers, deputies and clerks,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the bill as follows :

By striking out of lines 11 and 12, amended section 1, the words "one thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifteen hundred,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Westgate moved to amend the bill as follows :

By striking out the proviso limiting the number of clerks in the State board of health office to five,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Post,	
Babcock, J. W.	Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,	
Babcock, W. I.	Edwards,	Hubbell,	Roof,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Laing,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Wisner,	20

NAYS.

Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Rairden,	Mr. Stark,	
Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	President	
Mayo,			<i>pro tem.</i> ,	9

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend "An act to provide for the payment of the salaries of State officers," being compiler's section three hundred and thirty-nine of Howell's annotated statutes relative to salaries of State officers, deputies and clerks, as amended by act number one hundred and eighteen of the public acts of 1883,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Pending the third reading of

House bill No. 296 (file No. 368), entitled

A bill to regulate the freight tariff, to provide for a uniform classification of freights and maximum freight rates, and to prevent unjust discrimination in charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of freights upon the railroads in this State,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote,
Mr. Hubbell moved that the bill be laid on the table.

On which,

Mr. Gorman demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Westgate,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Barton,	Moon,	Willits,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Crosby,			10

NAYS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Stark,	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Fox,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	President	
Gorman,	Palmer,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	16
Holbrook,				

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out all of the bill except sections 7, 12 and 13,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill,

On which Mr. Gorman demanded the yeas and nays.

Pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators were reported absent without leave: Messrs. Barringer and Fox.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with, except bringing in the absentees.

The motion to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Westgate,	
Babcock, J. W.	Deyo,	Laing,	Willits,	
Barton,	Giddings,	Moon,		11

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,	
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	President	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	18
Fox,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,		

Pending the taking of the vote on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 216 (file No. 103), entitled

A bill to incorporate and to govern mutual fire, marine, and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Michigan,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Willits,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Moon,	Wisner,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Sharp,	President
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Stark,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 15

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,
Barton,	Laing,	Palmer,	Roof,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Potter,	Westgate,
Deyo,			13

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion did not prevail.

Senate substitute for House bill No. 472 (file No. 457), introduced by Mr. Pierce, and House bill No. 249 (file No. 482), introduced by Mr. Dillon,

A bill to provide for the compulsory education of children in certain cases, and to repeal act No. 144 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 5, 1883; act No. 39 of the public acts of 1885, approved April 10, 1885, and act No. 108 of the public acts of 1885, approved May 21, 1885,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Westgate moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of section 8 the words "after consultation with the county agent except in the city of Detroit;"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of section 8 the words "or until such fine is paid,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out the proviso in section 12,

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

Pending the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.*

The question pending at the time of taking a recess being on the passage of

Senate substitute for House bill No. 472 (file No. 457), introduced by Mr. Pierce, and House bill No. 249, (file No. 482), introduced by Mr. Dillon,

A bill to provide for the compulsory education of children in certain cases, and to repeal act No. 144 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 5, 1883; act No. 39 of the public acts of 1885, approved April 10, 1885, and act No. 108 of the public acts of 1885, approved May 21, 1885,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows :

By striking out section 8 of the bill,

Pending which,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out the two provisos of section

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The motion to strike out section 8 was then withdrawn.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Edwards moved to amend the bill as follows :

By striking out of section 8 the words "Detroit House of Correction,"

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of sections 1 and 2 the word "fourteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixteen,"

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

The bill as amended was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Moon,	President	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Stark,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	
Giddings,	Laing,	Westgate,		14

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Rairden,		11

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 855. The Secretary announced the following telegram, which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

Detroit, June 24, 1887.

To the Senate of the State of Michigan:

We, the undersigned citizens and tax-payers of the city of Detroit, most vigorously protest against the clause in the bill abolishing our assessors, giving the appointing power to the board of aldermen. It is against all modern

reform in municipal government, and we insist on having all such appointments made by our mayor.

C. A. Kent,
C. I. Walker,
S. Don Elwood,
Jno. B. Dyer,
Wm. A. Moore,
Jesse H. Farwell,

Ellitt T. Slocum,
Henry A. Newland,
T. H. Hinchman & Sons,
Thos. Adams,
Phelps, Brace & Co.,
Geo. H. Adams,

And 36 other taxpayers.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The communication was laid on the table.

No. 856. Mr. Fox presented the following telegram, which was ordered spread at length upon the journal:

Detroit, June 23, 1887.

To Senator E. G. Fox:

The board of directors of Citizens' Association at meeting to-night adopted a resolution requesting you to vote for the Makelim substitute for the Tindall House bill number four eighty-five.

CHAS. S. HATHAWAY,
Sec'y Citizens' Association.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The petition was laid on the table.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to take from the table

House bill No. 296 (file No. 368), entitled

A bill to regulate the freight tariff, to provide for a uniform classification of freights and maximum freight rates, and to prevent unjust discrimination in charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of freights upon the railroads in this State.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding to section 7 the following words:

Provided, That nothing in this act shall apply to the carriage, storage or handling of property free or at reduced rates for the United States, State or municipal governments, or for charitable purposes, or to or from fairs and expositions for exhibition thereat;

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of section 12 all after the word "provided" in line 7,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out all of section 13 after the word "dollars" where it first occurs in line 5,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Hubbell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 4, section 13, the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "one;"

Also,

By striking out the words "one thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "five hundred,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Gorman moved to reconsider the vote by which section 9 of the bill was stricken out.

On which

Mr. Mayo demanded the yeas and nays.

Pending which

Mr. Hubbell moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

The motion to reconsider then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Stark,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	President
Holbrook,	Palmer,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 14

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Barton,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Post,
Babcock, J. W.	Deyo,	Hubbell,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Laing,	Willits,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	15

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Potter,	President
Barton,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 22
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Roof,	

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Westgate,
Deyo,			5

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to regulate the freight tariff, and to prevent unjust discrimination in charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of freights upon the railroads in this State,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 577 (file No. 413), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 193 of the compiled laws of 1871, being chapter 267 of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding four new sections thereto, relative to the sale of homesteads for the payment of debts of deceased persons, and expenses of administering their estates,

Which the Senate amended as follows:

By adding to the end of added section 1 the words "but no such sale shall be made during the time the widow of the deceased shall remain unmarried,"

In which amendment the House non-concurred as shown by former messages and in which the Senate insist, thereby creating a disagreement between the two houses, and on which disagreement the Senate has asked for a committee of conference,

Now to inform the Senate that the House grants such request, and that Messrs. Diekema, Crocker and Herrington have been appointed as such committee on the part of the House.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee.

House bill No. 915 (file No. 466), entitled

A bill to provide for the organization, arming, and duties of independent military companies, and for commissioning the officers thereof,

Was read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

Mr. Deyo moved the previous question ;

Which was supported.

The question being, shall the main question be now put,

The same was ordered, by a majority of the Senate.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Gorman,
 Laing,
 Mayo,

Mr. O'Reilly,
 Post,

Mr. Potter,
 Sharp,

Mr. Stark,
 President
pro tem., 9

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,
 Babcock, J. W.
 Babcock, W. I.
 Barringer,
 Barton,
 Campbell,

Mr. Crosby,
 Deyo,
 Edwards,
 Giddings,
 Harshaw,

Mr. Holbrook,
 Howell,
 Hubbell,
 Moon,
 Palmer,

Mr. Rairden,
 Roof,
 Westgate,
 Willits,
 Wisner,

By striking out of line 4, section 13, the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "one;"

Also,

By striking out the words "one thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "five hundred,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Gorman moved to reconsider the vote by which section 9 of the bill was stricken out.

On which

Mr. Mayo demanded the yeas and nays.

Pending which

Mr. Hubbell moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

The motion to reconsider then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Stark,
Crosby,	Mayo,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Roof,	President
Holbrook,	Palmer,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 14

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Barton,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Post,
Babcock, J. W.	Deyo,	Hubbell,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Laing,	Willits,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	15

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Potter,	President
Barton,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 22
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Roof,	

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Westgate,
Deyo,			5

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to regulate the freight tariff, and to prevent unjust discrimination in charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of freights upon the railroads in this State,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

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Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

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House bill No. 577 (file No. 413), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 193 of the compiled laws of 1871, being chapter 267 of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding four new sections thereto, relative to the sale of homesteads for the payment of debts of deceased persons, and expenses of administering their estates,

Which the Senate amended as follows:

By adding to the end of added section 1 the words "but no such sale shall be made during the time the widow of the deceased shall remain unmarried,"

In which amendment the House non-concurred as shown by former messages and in which the Senate insist, thereby creating a disagreement between the two houses, and on which disagreement the Senate has asked for a committee of conference,

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Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee.

House bill No. 915 (file No. 466), entitled

A bill to provide for the organization, arming, and duties of independent military companies, and for commissioning the officers thereof,

Was read a third time, and

Pending its passage,

Mr. Deyo moved the previous question ;

Which was supported.

The question being, shall the main question be now put,

The same was ordered, by a majority of the Senate.

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Gorman,
 Laing,
 Mayo,

Mr. O'Reilly,
 Post,

Mr. Potter,
 Sharp,

Mr. Stark,
 President
pro tem., 9

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,
 Babcock, J. W.
 Babcock, W. I.
 Barringer,
 Barton,
 Campbell,

Mr. Crosby,
 Deyo,
 Edwards,
 Giddings,
 Harshaw,

Mr. Holbrook,
 Howell,
 Hubbell,
 Moon,
 Palmer,

Mr. Rairden,
 Roof.
 Westgate,
 Willits,
 Wisner,

House bill No. 547 (file No 390), entitled

A bill to amend section one of act number two hundred and thirty-three of the public acts of eighteen hundred and eighty-one, being an act entitled "An act to re-organize the Michigan institute for educating the deaf and dumb," approved June 7, 1881, the same being compiler's section eighteen hundred and thirty-six of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Mayo,	Rairden,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Roof,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Post,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 24

NAYS.

Mr. Sharp,

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Rairden,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Harshaw moved to take from the order of unfinished business House bill No. 557, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of West Branch, in the county of Ogemaw, to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor, and to provide for the levy of taxes therein to pay the same,

And place the same on its immediate passage,

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Potter,
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,
			28

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Rairden moved to take from the table

House bill No. 178 (file No. 443), entitled

A bill to preserve the purity of elections and guard against abuses of the elective franchise,

On which

Mr. Willits demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Wisner,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President,	
Orosby,	Howell,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i>	
Edwards,	Mayo,	Stark,		14

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Barton,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	
Babcock, W. I.	Deyo,	Harshaw,	Roof,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Laing,	Willits,	12

The bill having been read a third time. and the question being upon its passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Rairden moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 2 of section 1, the words "the incorporated cities of" after the word "in."

By striking out of line 3 of section 4 the words "township, village."

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows, viz:

By striking out of line 6 of section 1 the words "village and township;"

By striking out of line 1 of section 7 the words "village or township;"

By striking out of lines 2 and 3 of section 7 the words "township or village;"

By striking out of line 4 of section 7 the words "village or township;"

By striking out of line 1 of section 9 the words "village or township;"

By striking out of line 1 of section 9 the words "village and township;"

By striking out of line 4 of section 11, the words "village or township;"

By striking out of line 6 of section 11, the words "village or township;"

By striking out of line 1 of section 13, the words "village or township;"

And to inform the House that the Senate has amended the same as follows:

By striking out of line 4 of section 21, the words "village or township;"

By striking out of line 4 of section 24, the words "village and township;"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Sharp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of section 31 the following words: "*And provided further, That in case of the death, resignation or withdrawal of any candidate after the tickets have been first printed a reprint of the tickets for the State, county or city affected may be made upon like deposit as herein provided,*

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President,
Fox,	Mayo,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 19

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Laing,	Willits,
Barringer,			

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Stark moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 300 (file No. 321), entitled

A bill to authorize the highway commissioners of the townships of Walker and Alpine, in the county of Kent, to receive contributions in money or labor, to be expended under their direction in grading, graveling, and improving a certain road in said county, and to declare the said road forever a free road,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Willits,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Mayo,	Rairden,	President,
Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

NAYS.

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Title and preamble agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The committee of conference, to whom was referred

House bill No. 577 (file No. 413), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 193 of the compiled laws of 1871, being chapter 267 of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding four new sections thereto, relative to the sale of homesteads for the payment of debts of deceased persons and expenses of administering their estates,

Which the Senate amended by adding at the end of section 1, the following:

"But no such sale shall be made during the time the widow of the deceased shall remain unmarried."

In which said amendment the House non-concurred, whereupon the Senate insisted upon its said amendment and asked for a committee of conference, which was granted,

Respectfully report that they have had the matter of disagreement existing between the two houses relative to said bill under consideration, and recommend that from its said amendment the Senate recede.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS,
JOHN C. SHARP,
C. W. WISNER,

Members of Committee on part of Senate.

GERRIT J. DIEKEMA,
CASS E. HERRINGTON,
MARTIN CROCKER,

Members of Committee on part of House.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the report,
On motion of Mr. Edwards,
The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor,
by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W.I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President,
			<i>pro tem.,</i> 28

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W., 1

Mr. Moon moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 691 (file No. 333), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp land to aid the townships of Eggleston and Moorland, in the county of Muskegon, for the purpose of cleaning, dredging and clearing out the south branch of Black Creek, in the township of Eggleston, and also the township and county drains in the township of Moorland, in said county,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J.W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Post,	Willits,
Deyo,	Laing,	Potter,	Wisner,
			24

NAYS.

Mr. Howell,

1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Crosby moved to take from the table

House bill No. 606, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 17, 22 and 23 of act No. 161 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide a police court for the city of Detroit," approved June 9, 1885, and to add one section thereto to stand as section 26,

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Crosby moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of section 5 the words "than a judicial."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Westgate,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President	
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	22
Fox,	Mayo,	Sharp,		0

NAYS.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Westgate moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 326 (file No. 388), entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Cheboygan, in the county of Cheboygan, to erect, operate and maintain an electric light plant in connection with its water works,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J.W.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Babcock, W.I.	Harshaw,	Post,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	Willits,
Edwards,			

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NAYS.

Mr. Barringer, Mr. Hubbell,

2

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The committee of conference to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 22 (file No. 25), entitled

A bill to require security to be given on staying proceedings upon verdicts and judgments in the circuit courts of this State,

Which the House had amended as follows:

1. By inserting in line 4 of section 1 after the word "stay" and before the word "shall" the words "of judgment shall have been rendered against him;"

2. By striking out of line 2 of section 2, after the word "bond" the words "by reason of poverty;"

3. By striking out of line 2 of section 2 the word "may" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "shall;"

4. By striking out of line 2 of section 2, after the word "inability" the words "for such reason;"

5. By striking out of line 2 of section 2 the word "such" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "a;"

6. By adding after the word "stay" in line 2 of section 2 the words "of sale on execution,"

And in which named amendments the Senate non-concurred, whereupon the House insisted upon all of its said amendments and asked for a committee of conference, which was granted,

Respectfully report that they have had under consideration the matter of disagreement existing between the two houses relative to said bill, and recommend:

1. That from the 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th of said amendments the House recede.

2. That as to the 1st of said amendments the Senate concur therein.

3. That section 1 be amended by inserting after the word "rendered" and before the word "unless" in line 4, the words "for a longer period than twenty days."

And the conference committee respectfully request that both houses concur in the recommendations herein contained, and that the bill as so amended be concurred in by both houses.

JOHN C. SHARP,
C. W. WISNER,
L. G. PALMER,

Members of Committee on part of Senate.

GERRIT J. DIEKEMA,
MARTIN CROCKER,
F. H. WATSON,

Members of Committee on the part of House.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the report,

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Moon,	Rairden,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 20

NAYS.

Mr. Hubbell,	1
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Mr. Hubbell moved to take from the table

House bill No. 748 (file No. 448), entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Saginaw to purchase and maintain the State road bridge across the Tittabawassee river in the county of Saginaw and the approaches and appurtenances thereto for a free public highway, and to issue bonds for that purpose, and to authorize any township or townships in Saginaw county to contract with said city for the purpose of aiding said city in such purchase and maintenance, and to authorize such townships to raise money by taxation, and to issue bonds for such purpose,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,	Laing,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 30

NAYS.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect

By unanimous consent,

The Senate returned to the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled

Senate bill No. 443 (file No. 216), entitled

A bill to amend chapter III of title IX of Howell's annotated statutes, en-

titled "Of highways, bridges, private roads and ferries," by adding thereto three new sections to stand as sections 16, 17 and 18,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 361 (file No. 291), entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of act 153 of the session laws of 1885, approved June 9, 1885, entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

Concurrent resolution authorizing the issue of a patent to Selah Reeve:

WHEREAS, It is made to appear to the Senate and House of Representatives that Selah Reeve, on December 14, 1853, located, entered and paid for and became the holder and rightful owner of State land certificate number 1239, and that he paid in full for the land in said certificate described;

AND WHEREAS, It appears that said Selah Reeve has conveyed the lands described in said certificate to sundry persons;

AND WHEREAS, It appears that said certificate is lost. Therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That the commissioner of the State land office be and he is hereby authorized to issue in the name of the said Selah Reeve, a duplicate certificate in place and stead of said certificate No. 1239 covering the following lands, to-wit: The east half of the southwest quarter, the southwest fractional quarter of the northwest quarter, the west half of the southwest quarter and the southwest quarter of section 31, in township 12 north, of range 15 east, being the same land mentioned and described in said original certificate No. 1239.

And be it further resolved, That the Governor of the State be and he is authorized upon presentation to him of said duplicate certificate to sign and

cause to be issued to said Selah Reeve a patent for the lands described therein whenever such certificate shall be presented to him with the certificate of the commissioner of State land office endorsed thereon, certifying that the principal and interest as well as all taxes and charges due to the State upon said land have been paid.

And to inform the Senate that the House has adopted a substitute for the same, as follows:

WHEREAS, It is made to appear that on the 14th day of December, 1853, Selah Reeve purchased, at the State land office, and paid for in full, the following described lands: The southwest fractional quarter of the northwest quarter, the west half of the southeast quarter, and the southwest quarter of section 31, in township 12 north, of range 15 east, containing two hundred and sixty-seven and forty hundredths acres, and that he received therefor full paid certificate No. 1239, and

WHEREAS, It is claimed that the said certificate No. 1239 has been lost or destroyed, and that for that reason no patent can be issued thereon; therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate, (the House concurring), That the commissioner of the State land office be and he is hereby authorized to issue to the persons legally entitled thereto, new certificates in place of said certificate No. 1239, whenever the persons claiming title thereto shall make due proof by affidavit or otherwise that the said certificate has been lost or destroyed without their fault or connivance, and that neither they nor their grantors have sold or encumbered the land described therein; and be it further

Resolved, That upon presentation to him of the said duplicate certificates, together with the further certificate that all the taxes, interest and charges upon said lands have been paid, the Governor of the State be and he is hereby authorized to cause a patent to be issued for the land described therein to the persons entitled thereto.

In the passage of which as thus substituted, the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bills:

1. Senate bill No. 95 (file No. 300), entitled
A bill to amend sec. 2, act 148, session laws of 1869, being section 1756 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act 261, session laws of 1881, relative to the appointment of superintendents of the poor.

2. Senate bill No. 82 (file No. 301), entitled
A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 42 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, being annotator's section No. 1756, relative to the support and maintenance of the poor by counties.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills:

1. Senate bill No. 259 (file No. 130), entitled

A bill to establish, protect and enforce the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for the erection, altering, repairing or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures, and to repeal act No. 258 of the session laws of 1879 and all acts amendatory thereof, relating to mechanics' liens.

2. Senate bill No. 222 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the house of the Good Shepherd at Detroit.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 84 (file No. 166), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 237 of the laws of 1881, entitled "An act to authorize and regulate within this State the business of plate glass, accident, live stock, steam boiler and fidelity insurance, and to repeal acts Nos. 42 and 72 of the session laws of 1877," approved June 3, 1881, being section 4325 of Howell's annotated statutes.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate file No. 297, being Senate substitute for House bill No. 193 (file No. 415), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of opening, cleaning out, dredging and deepening Thornapple river, near the outlet of Thornapple lake, in the township of Hastings, in the county of Barry.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bills :

1. Senate bill No. 439 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed lands in Jackson county.

2. Senate bill No. 407, entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of aiding in cleaning out, deepening and improving the ditch along the State road known as the Wild Fowl and Cass City State road in townships Nos. 14 and 15 north, of range 10 east.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bills were referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill :

Senate bill No. 66 (file No. 275), entitled

A bill to provide for indeterminate sentences and disposition, management, and release of criminals under such sentence.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bills:

1. Senate bill No. 295 (file No. 295), entitled

A bill authorizing the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to improve Norwegian Creek, in the township of Alpena, in the county of Alpena.

2. Senate bill No. 63 (file No. 252), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the township of Sanborn in the county of Alpena.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 173, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the general expense of the State government, salaries of State officers, expenses of State departments and expenses of the Legislature for the years 1887 and 1888, and to provide a tax for the payment of the same,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following entitled bill:

House bill No. 112, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the purpose of defraying the expense of the Governor and judges of the supreme court of the State of Michigan at the constitutional centennial celebration of the adoption of the constitution of the United States, to be held at Philadelphia, September 15, 16 and 17, 1887,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on appropriations and finance.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR,—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 108 (file No. 115), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled An act to amend sections 2, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 12 of an act entitled An act to revise and consolidate the several acts relating to the protection of game, and for the better preservation of elk, deer, birds and wild fowl, approved April 3, 1869; and section 1 of said act as amended by act No. 64 of the laws of 1877; and section 8 of said act as amended by act No. 201 of the laws of 1875, being act No. 151 of the laws of 1881, being section No. 2198 of chapter 64 of the general statutes of the State of Michigan, as compiled and annotated by Andrew Howell.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out section 1 of the bill and inserting the following to stand as section 1:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 1 of act No. 124, session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the several acts relating to the protection of game and for the better preservation of elk, deer, birds and wild fowls," approved April 3, 1869, and all subsequent amendments of said section, being compiler's section 2198 Howell's annotated statutes be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

2. Amend recited section 1, line 4, by inserting after the word "year" the following: "*Provided*, That in the Upper Peninsula deer may be killed between the first day of October and the 15th day of November only in each year;"

3. Amend recited section 1, line 9, by inserting after the word "trap" the following words: "Nor shall he make use of any artificial light in hunting

such deer. No person shall make use of a dog in hunting, pursuing or killing deer, within the boundaries of this State, and any dog pursuing or killing a deer or following upon the track of a deer is hereby declared to be a public nuisance and may be killed by any person when so seen and the owner of such dog shall have no recourse at law against the person so killing such dog."

4. Amend recited section 1, line 11, by striking out after the word "woodcock" the following words: "Except between the 1st day of August in each year and the 1st day of January next following."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title as follows:

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 124, session laws of 1869, entitled An act to revise and consolidate the several acts relating to the protection of game and for the better preservation of elk, deer, birds and wild fowl, approved April 3, 1869, and all subsequent amendments of said section, the same being section 2198, Howell's annotated statutes.

In the passage of which, as thus amended, and the title so amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W.I.,	Fox,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Post,	Wisner,
Barton,	Hubbell,	Potter,	President
Campbell,	Laing,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Deyo,	Mayo,		

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NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Rairden,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Roof,
German,			

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The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 854 (file No. 480), entitled

A bill to provide for keeping clear of obstructions, open and in good condition and repair all ditches in this State constructed under the authority of the board of control, having charge of the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of State roads and ditches, or ditches constructed by aid of State swamp lands,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	President	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,		30
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NAYS.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Barringer moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 552 (file No. 420), entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of a State road bridge across Black river, in the township of Grant, in St. Clair county, and to appropriate State swamp land, the proceeds of which to be used for the construction of said bridge,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Barringer,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Rairden,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Laing,	Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,		27
				0

NAYS.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barringer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on public lands:

The committee on public lands, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 485, entitled

A bill appropriating a portion of the interest due and becoming due the county of Grand Traverse from the swamp land fund accrued under act

number 31 of the session laws of 1858, to aid in establishing and improving a State road in the county of Grand Traverse, under direction of the board of supervisors of said county,

Also,

Senate bill No. 486, entitled

A bill to appropriate the unsold swamp land in the county of Grand Traverse, to aid in the improvement of a State road in said county,

Also,

Senate bill No. 487, entitled

A bill to appropriate the unsold swamp land in the county of Benzie to aid in the improvement of a State road in said county,

Also,

Senate bill No. 488, entitled

A bill to appropriate the unsold swamp land in the county of Leelanaw to aid in the improvement of a State road in said county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The bills were laid on the table.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 158 (file No. 84), entitled

A bill to regulate the passenger and freight tariff, to provide for a uniform classification of freight rates, and to prevent unjust discrimination in charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of passengers or freights upon the railroads in this State,

Together with the proposed substitute therefor, being Senate file No. 508, having the same title,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. A. ATWOOD, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on northern asylum for the insane:

The committee on northern asylum for the insane, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 459, entitled

A bill to promote efficiency in the management of the northern asylum for the insane at Traverse City,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. J. WILLITS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on roads and bridges:

The committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 461, entitled

A bill to provide for the appropriation of certain highway taxes for the improvement of a certain State road in the county of Leelanaw,

Also,

Senate bill No. 462, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 223, session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to extend the time limited in Act No. 68 of the session laws of 1883, for laying out a State road in Grand Traverse county; to authorize the commissioner appointed by virtue of said act to lay out a branch State road in said county, and to authorize said commissioner to expend money or labor contributed in laying out and opening said State road," approved June 17, 1885,

Also,

Senate bill No. 463, entitled

A bill to provide for the laying out of a State road and branches in the county of Leelanaw,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. J. WILLITS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Willits,

The bills were laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 464, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 348, session laws of 1881, entitled An act to incorporate the village of Traverse City, within the township of Traverse, county of Grand Traverse and State of Michigan, approved April 9, 1881,

Respectfully report that they have the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on cities and villages:

The committee on cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 218, entitled

A bill to consolidate Au Sauble and Oscoda, to be known as the city of Au Sauble,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Harshaw moved that the bill be referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order,

On which

Mr. Post demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Stark,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Edwards,	Moon,	Westgate,	
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Roof,	Willits,	
Barton,	Hubbell,	Sharp,		15

NAYS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Potter,	
Deyo,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Rairden,	
Giddings,	Howell,	Post,	Wisner,	12

Mr. Willits moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 438 (file No. 269), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 190 of the session laws of 1885, entitled An act making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Jackson in straightening and opening a channel or outlet for Portage lake, and to repeal act No. 132 of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed lands in Jackson county, approved May 10, 1881, approved June 16, 1885,

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	President	
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	27

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Roof moved to take from the table

House bill No. 380, entitled

A bill to provide for the introduction and use of safety gates upon swing and draw bridges,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Roof,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Deyo,	Mayo,		25

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Deyo moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 80 (file No. 440), entitled

A bill to amend section 13 of act No. 153 of the public acts of 1885, being an act entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levying and collection of taxes thereon, approved June 9, 1885,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Deyo,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Campbell moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 183 (file No. 310), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 171, session laws of 1873, entitled An act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders, approved April 29, 1873, as amended by act No. 37, public acts of 1875, approved March 19, 1875, being compiler's section 9894 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 168 public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,

Mr. Barringer, Barton, Campbell, Crosby,	Mr. Holbrook, Laing, Mayo,	Mr. Palmer, Potter, Rairden,	Mr. Wisner, President <i>pro tem.</i> ,	20
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Mr. Babcock, W.I., Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Howell,	3
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. O'Reilly moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 367, entitled

A bill amending the charter of the city of Detroit with regard to sidewalks, the laying, repairing and pay for the same,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. O'Reilly,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W., Mr. Deyo, Babcock, W.I., Edwards, Barringer, Fox, Barton, Gorman, Campbell, Holbrook, Crosby, Hubbell,	Mr. Laing, Mayo, Moon, O'Reilly, Palmer, Potter,	Mr. Rairden, Roof, Westgate, Wisner, President <i>pro tem.</i> , 23
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Mayo,

Leave of absence was granted to himself for the balance of the session.

Mr. Barton moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 321 (file No. 389), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 7, section 20 of chapter 9, section 4 of chapter 11, of act No. 62, of the session laws of 1875, entitled "An act granting and defining the powers and duties of incorporated villages," approved April 1, 1875, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, being compiler's sections 2847, 2942, and 2973, of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Barton,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 24

NAYS.

Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Howell,	2
Title agreed to.		
On motion of Mr. Barton,		
By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.		
Mr. Gorman moved to take from the table		
Senate bill No. 175 (file No. 113), entitled		
A bill to prohibit railroad companies from taking up their tracks, abandoning their stations, and failing to operate their roads in certain cases,		
Which motion prevailed.		
The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:		

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Howell,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 26

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Title agreed to.		
On motion of Mr. Gorman,		
By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.		
Mr. Laing moved to take from the table		
House bill No. 222 (file No. 197) entitled		
A bill to amend section 9 of act No. 148, session laws of 1885, entitled An act to establish a State house of correction and a branch of the State prison in the upper peninsula and to provide for the location and erection thereof, and making an appropriation therefor,		
Which motion prevailed.		
The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:		

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Giddings,	Potter,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Stark,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 21
Deyo,	Laing,		

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Laing,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The House took a recess until 7.30 o'clock P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

Mr. Giddings moved to take from the table

House bill No. 530 (file No. 147), entitled

A bill to amend section 1674 of the compiled laws of 1871 as amended by act No. 30 of the session laws of 1873, the same being compiler's section 4207 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the insurance bureau,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Potter,	
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Moon,	Stark,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Wisner,	
Campbell,	Howell,	Post,		23

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Post moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 218, entitled

A bill to consolidate Au Sable and Oscoda, to be known as the city of Au Sable,

On which

Mr. Crosby demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Post,	Mr. Rairden,	
Giddings,	Moon,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Howell,	O'Reilly,			10

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Edwards,	Holbrook,	Sharp,	
Barringer,	Fox,			10

Mr. Fox moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 463 (file No. 336), entitled

A bill to amend sections No. 26, 31 and 41, act No. 175, of the session laws of 1850, entitled "An act to provide for holding general and special elections," approved June 27, 1851, being compiler's sections No. 162, 167 and 177 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Howell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding the following to the bill to stand as section 21:

SECTION 1. The polls of the election shall be opened at eight o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as may be on the day of election, and shall be continuously open until five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day and no longer, and the inspector shall cause proclamation to be made of the opening and closing of the polls,

Which motion did not prevail and the bill was not so amended.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	President
Crosby,	Hubbell,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 26

NAYS.

Title agreed to.

Mr. Wisner moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 536, entitled

A bill to confirm assessments and the levy of taxes for municipal purposes in the city of East Saginaw for the years 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876, 1877 and 1878, under the provisions of the charter of said city and all titles to lands based on the sales made by said city for non-payment thereof, and to authorize said city to institute suits for the recovery of such lands, and in certain cases to maintain proceedings in chancery for the enforcement of the lien of said taxes,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	
			27

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 330 (file No. 431), entitled

A bill to preserve evidence of error or fraud in the counting of ballots and in election returns, and in the count of inspectors of election and the declaration of the board of canvassers, in contested elections,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	President
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Crosby,	Laing,		
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Mr. Gorman,

Title agreed to.

Mr. Holbrook moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 108 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to provide for the garnishment of executors and administrators,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Holbrook,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Holbrook moved to amend the bill as follows :

By inserting in line 2, section 5, after the word "given" the words "within five days from the issue thereof,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows :

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Stark,	
Campbell,	O'Reilly,			10

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Westgate,	
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,	
Giddings,	Laing,			14

Mr. Palmer moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 265 (file No. 451), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of merchants' and traders' associations,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President	
Fox,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	27

NAYS.

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Title agreed to

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President *pro tem* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 175 (file No. 113), entitled

A bill to prohibit railroad companies from taking up their tracks, abandoning their stations, and failing to operate their roads in certain cases,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 19, entitled

A joint resolution declaring forfeited all the uncertified lands within the limits of the Marquette, Houghton and Ontonagon railroad land grant, together with all the lands certified or uncertified which lie opposite the uncompleted portion of said railroad, extending from L'Anse to Ontonagon,

Which has passed the House by a two-thirds majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The joint resolution was read a first and second time by its title, and

Pending its reference to a committee,

Mr. Sharp moved that the joint resolution be laid on the table,

Which motion prevailed.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 362 (file No. 303), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of Alpena county to issue bonds for the purpose of raising money to improve the highways leading from the city of Alpena to the several townships in said county,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 438 (file No. 269), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 190 of the session laws of 1885, entitled An act making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Jackson in straightening and opening a channel or outlet for Portage lake, and to repeal act No. 132 of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed lands in Jackson county, approved May 10th, 1881, approved June 16th, 1885.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The centennial anniversary of the framing and promulgation of the constitution of the United States will take place at Philadelphia next September, at which all the States and territories will be represented; and

WHEREAS, A special invitation has been received requesting the attendance of the militia of the State to take part in the grand parade of the military and naval forces of the United States, and of the various States and territories; and

WHEREAS, We have a high degree of confidence in the State troops of Michigan, and admiration for their skill in arms, and believe that their presence among the troops of the nation would be beneficial in a military sense; therefore

Resolved, (the Senate concurring), That the State military board are hereby authorized to send such companies or regiments, or portions of regiments of Michigan State troops to the anniversary celebration at Philadelphia, as in their discretion they may think proper. The expenses for the journey shall be borne out of the military fund, and that a sufficient amount may be available, the State military board may in their judgment discontinue for the present year wholly or partially the annual encampment, withhold from the encampment such companies or regiments as they decide to send to Philadelphia, or in any other way alter the arrangements for the annual encampment, so as to reserve a sufficient sum to defray the expenses of this contemplated anniversary expedition.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect

and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The resolution was referred to the committee on military affairs.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 22 (file No. 25), entitled

A bill to require security to be given on staying proceedings upon verdicts and judgments in the circuit courts of this State,

Concerning which there existed a disagreement between the two houses and upon which a committee of conference was ordered.

Which committee reported as follows:

The committee of conference to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 22 (file No. 25), entitled

A bill to require security to be given on staying proceedings upon verdicts and judgments in the circuit courts of this State,

Which the House had amended as follows:

1. By inserting in line 4, section 1, after the word "stay" the words "if judgment shall have been rendered against him."

2. By striking out of line 2 of section 2 after the word "bond" the words "by reason of poverty."

3. By striking out of line 2 of section 2 the word "may" and insert in lieu thereof the word "shall."

4. By striking out of line 2 of section 2 after the word "inability" the words "for such reason."

5. By striking out of line 2 of section 2 the word "such" and insert in lieu thereof the word "a."

6. By inserting at the end of line 2, section 2, after the word "stay" the words "of sale on execution."

And in which named amendments the Senate non-concurred,

Whereupon the House insisted upon all of its said amendments and asked for a committee of conference, which was granted.

Respectfully report that they have had under consideration the matter of disagreement existing between the two houses relative to said bill and recommend

1. That from the 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th named amendments the House recede.

2. That as to the 1st of said amendments the Senate concur therein.

3. That section 1 be amended by inserting after the word "rendered" and before the word "unless," in line 4 the words "for a longer period than twenty days."

And the conference committee respectfully request that both houses con-

cur in the recommendations herein contained, and that the bill as so amended be concurred in by both houses.

JOHN C. SHARP,
C. W. WISNER,
L. G. PALMER,

Members of Committee on part of Senate.

GERRIT J. DIEKEMA,
MARTIN CROCKER,
F. H. WATSON,

Members of Committee on part of House.

Now to inform the Senate that in the report of said committee the House concurs.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Howell moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to amend section 10, chapter 343 of act No. 201 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9836 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, relative to the State industrial home for girls,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Sharp to amend the following House amendments.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. Amend section 10, line 4, by striking out the words "in case of truancy, vagrancy and;"

2. Amend section 10, line 6, by striking out the word "eighteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-one;"

By striking out of first amendment the word "truancy;"

Mr. Sharp withdrew the motion.

Pending concurrence in the amendments made by the House,

Mr. Edwards moved to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill.

On which

Mr. Sharp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,	
Campbell,	Giddings,	Post,	Westgate,	8

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Barringer,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,	
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President	
Fox,	Moon,		<i>pro tem.</i> ,	18

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

The Senate non-concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Howell,	Palmer,	Wisner,
Barringer,	Laing,	Potter,	President
Gorman,	Moon,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 15

NAYS.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Roof,	
Crosby,	Giddings,	Post,		7

Mr. Potter moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 883 (file No. 463), entitled

A bill to amend section 75 of act No. 153 of the public acts of 1885 entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Potter,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Laing,	Sharp,	President
Fox,	Moon,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 26

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Potter,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Crosby moved to take from the table

House bill No. 331, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 4, and section 1 of an act entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7th, 1883, and to add to chapter 10 of said act two new sections to stand as sections 22 and 23, so as to abolish the board of assessors,

Pending which,

The President *pro tem.* announced the following telegram:

Detroit, June 24, 1887.

To the President of the Senate:

We heartily approve of the bill to abolish the board of assessors, and earnestly ask its passage.

Signed,

Joseph B. Moon,
A. A. Raynor,
Thos. Fairbain,
F. Reves,
Chas. Wright,

Maj. Hopkins,
Elwood T. Hance,
S. S. Babcock,
Albert Stall,
H. M. Duffield,

and many others.

The question being on the motion to take from the table,

Mr. Gorman demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Barton,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Palmer,
Babcock, J.W.	Crosby,	Giddings,	Rairden,
Babcock, W.I.			

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NAYS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Moon,	Sharp,
Deyo,	Howell,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Gorman,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,

16

Mr. Stark moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 493 (file No. 428), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 78 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the incorporation of Manufacturers' Mutual fire insurance companies," approved May 10, 1883, and to add four new sections to said act to be designated as sections 17, 18, 19 and 20,

On which

Mr. Crosby demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Post,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Potter,	Willits,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Roof,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Laing,	Sharp,	President
Fox,	Moon,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 22

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Rairden,
Babcock, W. I.,	Deyo,		

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On motion of Mr. Stark,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J.W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W.I.	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,

Mr. Barringer, Barton, Campbell, Deyo, Edwards,	Mr. Gorman, Harshaw, Holbrook, Howell, Hubbell,	Mr. O'Reilly, Palmer, Post, Potter, Rairden,	Mr. Stark, Westgate, Willits, Wisner, President <i>pro tem.</i> , 23
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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	2
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Barton moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 763, entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of dredging and improving the water course between Bellaire and the waters of Torch Lake in Antrim county.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Barton,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote thereon,

By unanimous consent,

Mr. Barton moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 5, section 1, after the word "appropriated" the words "in the lower peninsula."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood, Barringer, Barton, Campbell, Crosby, Deyo, Edwards,	Mr. Fox, Giddings, Gorman, Harshaw, Hubbell, Laing, Moon,	Mr. O'Reilly, Palmer, Post, Potter, Rairden, Roof, Sharp,	Mr. Stark, Westgate, Willits, Wisner, President <i>pro tem.</i> , 26
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NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barton,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The sergeant-at-arms announced a committee from the House who informed the Senate that the House had completed its work and was ready to adjourn.

Mr. Gorman moved to take from the table

House bills Nos. 304 and 167 (file No. 430), entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of act No. 246 of the session laws of 1861, entitled An act to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes for the passage of fish through the dams across the streams of this State, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, the same being sections 2150, 2153, 2154, 2155 and 2156 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Gorman,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Rairden,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Roof,
Fox,	Hubbell,	Palmer,	Stark,
Gorman,	Laing,	Post,	Westgate, 16

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Sharp,	Wisner,
Crosby,			9

Mr. Sharp moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 887 (file No. 465), entitled

A bill to amend section 67 of act No. 153 of the public acts of 1885, entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon, approved June 9, 1885,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Howell,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Moon,	Roof,	President
Fox,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 24
Gorman,			

NAYS.

Mr. Deyo,	1
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Moon moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 797 (file No. 429), entitled

A bill to prohibit fishing with nets in any of the lakes, bays, bayous, harbors or streams of Muskegon county in this State.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook.	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,	Laing,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 27

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Harshaw moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 317 (file No. 309), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Wilson, in the county of Alpena, to construct and maintain a toll road through said township and to borrow money and issue its bonds for the construction of the same.

On which

Mr. Harshaw demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Potter,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Moon,	Rairden,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	O'Reilly,	Roof,
Déyo,	Howell,	Palmer,	Stark,
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Post,	Willits,
Fox,			

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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,			

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On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

The rules were suspended, two thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock J. W.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Palmer,
Barringer,	Fox,	Laing,	Roof,
Barton,	Gorman,	Moon,	Stark,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Wisner,
Deyo,			

17

NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Sharp,	

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Edwards moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 262 (file No. 384), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 2, and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 12 of chapter 3, of act No. 326 of local acts of 1883, entitled An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved June 7, 1883, relating to registration and elections in said city,

On which,

Mr. Gorman demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Post,	Westgate,
Barton,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Laing,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Edwards,	Moon,		

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NAYS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Roof,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Willits,

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On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Post,	Willits,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Barton,	Laing,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,			<i>pro tem.</i> ,

21

NAYS.

Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Roof,
Gorman,			

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Westgate moved to take from the table

House file No. 402, being House substitute for

A bill to provide that the crime of larceny when committed by a passenger or employé on a railroad train may be punished in another county than that in which such crime is committed,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J.W.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W.I.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Wisner,	
Crosby,				21

NAYS.

Mr. Howell,	Mr. Rairden,	2
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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Westgate moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill authorizing a prosecution for larceny committed in any railroad car while in this State, and en route in any county through which said car passes,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 367, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Detroit with regard to sidewalks, the laying, repairing and pay for the same,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Gorman moved to take from the table

House bill No. 600 (file No. 285), entitled

A bill to fix the per diem compensation of members of the State Legislature from the Upper Peninsula for and during the session of 1887,
Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that there be a call of the Senate,
Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Crosby,	Laing,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Deyo,	O'Reilly,	Willits,	
Barringer,	Giddings,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Barton,	Gorman,			18

NAYS.

Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Westgate,	
Fox,	Howell,	Post,	President	
Harshaw,	Moon,	Potter,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	11

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gorman.

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Campbell moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 339, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of an act to re organize the public library of Bay City and to repeal section 12 of act No. 370 of the session laws of 1867, entitled An act to organize union school districts of Bay City, approved March 20, 1867, approved May 3, 1877, and said section 1, as amended by act No. 390 of the session laws of 1881, approved May 25, 1881,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,	
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	Stark,	
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Westgate,	
Deyo,	Moon,	Rairden,	Wisner,	
Fox,				17

NAYS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Willits,	4
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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Campbell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Post moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 559 (file No. 438), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Midland, in Midland county, to convey certain real estate to the city of Midland,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Post,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, W.I.,	Fox,	Post,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Potter,	Willits,
Barton,	Gorman,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Roof,	President
Crosby,	Moon,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Post,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 317 (file No. 309), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Wilson, in the county of Alpena, to construct and maintain a toll road through said township and to borrow money and issue its bonds for the construction of the same,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and has ordered the same to take immediate effect by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Giddings moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 228 (file No. 308), entitled

A bill to amend sections 8033 and 8035 of the compiled laws of 1871 relative to county jails and the regulation thereof as amended, the same being

compiler's sections 9649 and 9651 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 132 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 2, 1885, and by act No. 224 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 17, 1885,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 27

NAYS.

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Giddings,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Rairden moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 866 (file No. 406), entitled

A bill to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties and to punish offences committed thereat,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Rairden,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill as amended was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barringer,	Mr. Holbrook,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Willits,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Deyo,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 18
Gorman,	Post,	Stark,	

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Moon,
Babcock, W. I.			5

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Rairden,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following entitled bill:

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to amend section 10, chapter 343 of act No. 201 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9836 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, relative to the State Industrial Home for Girls.

In compliance with the request of the Senate for the same.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Howell moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to concur in the amendments made by the House,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Howell,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Post,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Laing,	Potter,
Barton,	Gorman,	Moon,	Stark,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	President
Deyo,	Howell,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 22

NAYS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W. Mr. Roof, 2

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Wisner moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

House bill No. 377 (file No. 341), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain and reclaim marsh and overflowed lands in the townships of Albee and Spaulding, Saginaw county,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,	Gorman,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Laing,	Rairden,	Wisner, 24

NAYS.

Mr. Howell, 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wisner,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 439 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to provide a general law under which corporations may be formed to carry on printing, publishing and book-making, and any or either of them,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the members present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Stark,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Post,	Westgate,	
Barringer,	Laing,	Potter,	President	
Barton,	Moon,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	
Crosby,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,		18

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Stark moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 64 (file No. 442), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Stark,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,	
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,	
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	President	
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	27

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Title agreed to.

Mr. Crosby moved to take from the table

House bill No. 335 (file No. 335), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 45 of the session laws of 1882, entitled An act authorizing the common council of the city of Detroit, with the concurrence of the city council thereof, to make a re-assessment to defray the expense of a public improvement on Jefferson avenue, a street in said city, from the east curb line of Beaubien street to the railroad bridge in said city,

Which motion prevailed,

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the members present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

Was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Edwards,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Fox,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Post,	Wisner,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Potter,	President
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Crosby,	Laing,		25

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Howell moved that a respectful message be sent to the House, asking for the return of

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to amend section 10, chapter 343 of act No. 201 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9836 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, relative to the State Industrial Home for Girls,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Moon moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 462 (file No. 422), entitled

A bill to provide for corporations to diffuse moral and religious knowledge and instruction, and to receive and apply such gifts, loans and advances, and accept and execute such trusts as shall be made for such purposes, and to enable individuals and also associations existing under chapter 178 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended, to effect incorporation for such purposes,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Stark,
Babcock, J.W.,	Fox,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Willits,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Post,	Wisner,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Potter,	President
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,
Deyo,	Laing,	Sharp,	26

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. J. W. Babcock moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for corporations to diffuse moral and religious knowledge and instruction and to receive and apply such loans and advances, and accept and execute such trusts as shall be made for such purposes, and to enable individuals and also associations existing under act No. 192 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporations of associations, conventions, conferences or religious bodies, for literary, religious or other benevolent purposes," approved March 27, 1867, being chapter 178 of Howell's annotated statutes as amended, to effect incorporation for such purposes,

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Edwards offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary, Lewis M. Miller, be paid the extra compensation of two dollars per day during the present session, for extra work performed by him,

Which was adopted.

Mr. Moon moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House joint resolution No. 17 (file No 12), entitled

Joint resolution to authorize the State of Michigan to patent certain lands in Muskegon county to Henry Webster,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The joint resolution was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J.W.	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W.I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 28

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the joint resolution was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 173, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the general expense of the State government, salaries of State officers, expenses of the State departments and expenses of the Legislature, for the years 1887 and 1888, and to provide a tax for the payment of the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows;

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,			<i>pro tem.,</i> 29

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 112, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the Governor and Judges of the Supreme Court of the State of Michigan at the constitutional centennial celebration of the adoption of the constitution of the United States to be held at Philadelphia, September 15, 16 and 17, 1887,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,
The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on military affairs:

The committee on military affairs, to whom was referred the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The centennial anniversary of the framing and promulgation of the constitution of the United States will take place at Philadelphia next September, at which all the states and territories will be represented; and

WHEREAS, A special invitation has been received requesting the attendance of the militia of the State to take part in the grand parade of the military and naval forces of the United States and of the various states and territories; and

WHEREAS, We have a high degree of confidence in the State troops of Michigan and admiration for their skill in arms, and believe their presence among the troops of the nation would be beneficial in a military sense; therefore

Resolved, (the Senate concurring), That the State military board are hereby authorized to send such companies or regiments or portions of regiments of Michigan State troops to the anniversary celebration at Philadelphia as in their discretion they may think proper. The expenses for the journey shall be borne out of the military fund, and that a sufficient amount may be available the State military board may in their judgment discontinue for the present year, wholly or partially the annual encampment, such companies or regiments as they decide to send to Philadelphia, or in any other way alter the arrangements to defray the expenses of this contemplated anniversary expedition,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the concurrent resolution be not adopted, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JNO. C. SHARP, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The resolution was laid on the table.

By the committee on appropriations and finance:

The committee on appropriations and finance, to whom was referred the following House concurrent resolution:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That 1000 copies of all acts of the Legislature ordered to take immediate effect be printed in pamphlet form and distributed by the Secretary of State, and that 500 additional copies of the immediate effect acts be printed for the use of the House and Senate and distributed proportionately among the members,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the resolution do lie on the table, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOHN W. MOON, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Moon,

The resolution was laid on the table.

By the committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate:

The committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the following account:

B. W. Long, for sundries for the use of the toilet rooms, \$5.45.

STATEMENT.

Portland, Mich., June 23, 1887.

The Senate in account with B. W. Long:

January 6,	To hat brush.....	\$.70
	Cloth brush.....	.75
	Sponges.....	.45
	Pt. cleaning fluid.....	.35
28,	Three barbers' brooms.....	1.05
	1 medicine glass.....	.10
March 9,	1 pint cleaning fluid.....	.35
April 20,	2 whisk brooms.....	.30
	1 pt. cleaning fluid.....	.35
May 4,	" " ".....	.35
June 6,	" " ".....	.35
14,	" " ".....	.35
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Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending the allowance of the same, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The report was adopted.

By the committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate:

The committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the following account:

P. Q. Stoner for two pair shears, @ \$1.50..... \$3 00

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending the allowance of the same, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The report was adopted.

By the committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate:

The committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the following account:

James F. Edwards, for 21 days' supply of mineral water, \$21,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending the allowance of the same, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The report was adopted.

By the committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate:

The committee on supplies and miscellaneous expenses of the Senate, to whom was referred the following account:

Mrs. Salspaugh, for washing 98 towels @ 5c..... \$4 90

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending the allowance of the same, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CALVIN B. CROSBY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The report was adopted.

Mr. Edwards offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the daily sessions of the Senate hereafter commence at 11 o'clock A. M.,

Which was adopted.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

Senate bill No. 249 (file No. 299), being

An act making an appropriation of swamp lands for the construction of a drain in the townships of Wisner and Gilford, Tuscola county.

Also,

Senate bill No. 178 (file No. 236), being

An act to amend sections 7 and 36, of article 2, of act No. 198, session laws of 1873, entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State, approved May 1, 1873, as amended, being compiler's sections 3321 and 3350, of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act number 174, of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883.

Also,

Senate bill No. 265 (file No. 71), being

An act to provide for the confinement of persons who may be found guilty of the violation of a village ordinance or ordinances in incorporated villages in the county of Wayne, in this State.

Also,

Senate bill No. 422, being

An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographers of the circuit courts for the counties of Branch and St. Joseph, now composing the 15th judicial circuit.

Senate bill No. 47 (file No. —), being

An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit court for the counties of Me-costa and Newaygo, now composing the 27th judicial circuit.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

The time being 12:50 o'clock A. M.

The executive session closed,

The time being 1:10 o'clock A. M.

By the committee on State prison:

The committee on State prison, to whom was referred

House bill No. 425 (file No. 326), entitled

A bill to provide for the employment of convicts in the prisons of Michigan, including the Detroit house of correction, to establish their hours of labor, and to make an appropriation for the employment of convicts, and to repeal all acts in contravention to this act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, recommending that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Post moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 560 (file No. 334), entitled

A bill to provide for the straightening, opening, deepening and widening of Little Sturgeon creek, in Midland county, and making an appropriation of State swamp lands for same,

On which,

Mr. Crosby demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Hubbell,		

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Mr. Crosby, Mr. Rairden,

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On motion of Mr. Post,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Giddings,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, J. W.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,	
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,	
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Röof,	Wisner,	22
Fox,	Laing,			

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Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Crosby,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Rairden,	6
Barringer,	Howell,			

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Post,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

House bill No. 402 (file No. 485), entitled

A bill to amend section No. 9 of act No. 177 of the session laws of 1877, relative to railroad companies, being section 3323 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on railroads:

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred

House bill No. 893 (file No. 492), entitled

A bill to amend section 9, article 2, of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, being an act entitled An act to to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 177, public acts of 1877, approved May 22, 1877, being compiler's section 3323 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 116, public acts of 1883, approved May 24, 1883,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. A. ATWOOD, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Atwood,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate :

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution :

WHEREAS, Prompt legislation requires both promptness and fidelity on the part of the public printer ; and

WHEREAS, The printing ordered by the Michigan Legislature during the present session is the largest in amount known in the history of Michigan ; and

WHEREAS, The unprecedented celerity with which Messrs. Thorp & Godfrey have printed and furnished the Daily Legislative Journal, both volumes of the Legislative manual, the speed and accuracy with which the bills and joint resolutions have been printed, and the fidelity with which all work has been performed, has saved the Legislature many days' work and consequently the State much money; therefore, be it

Resolved (the House concurring), That the Legislature, by this resolution, publicly thanks Messrs. Thorp & Godfrey, State printers, for the excellent manner in which they have performed the State printing; and be it further

Resolved, That the secretary of the Senate and the clerk of the House be and they are hereby instructed to have these preambles and resolutions properly engrossed and present the same to Messrs. Thorp & Godfrey with the compliments of the Legislature of Michigan for 1887, and its best wishes for their future.

In the adoption of which the House has concurred by an unanimous rising vote.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The resolution was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Edwards offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are hereby tendered to Hon. Chas. J. Monroe, President *pro tem.* of the Senate, for the able, impartial, and dignified manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office,

Which was adopted.

Mr. J. W. Babcock offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are hereby tendered to Hon. James H. Macdonald, President of the Senate, for the able, impartial, and dignified manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office,

Which was adopted.

Mr. Edwards offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and he is hereby instructed to cause to be mailed to each member and officer of the Senate, to his post-office address, the daily Journal until the close of the Senate, and that he be empowered to purchase the necessary postage stamps and draw an order therefor.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Edwards offered the following resolution :

WHEREAS, Howell's annotated statutes, No. 80, recently disappeared from

one of the desks of the Senate chamber, without any fault of the person having them in charge, and have not yet been found; therefore

Resolved, That the State librarian be authorized to issue her finale receipt to the person to whom they are charged,

Which was adopted.

Mr. Gorman moved that a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the House and inform that body that the Senate had completed its work and was ready to adjourn, and also a committee of three to act with a like committee on the part of the House to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the two Houses had completed their work, and were ready to adjourn, and to enquire whether he had any further communications to make,

Which motion prevailed.

The president *pro tem.* appointed as the first committee Senators Rairden, Westgate and O'Reilly.

The president *pro tem.* appointed as the second committee Senators Gorman, Potter and Atwood.

AFTER RECESS.

Mr. Edwards offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That P. Q. Stoner, E. F. Coon and J. A. Dockeray, the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate and his assistants, be and are hereby tendered the thanks of the Senate for the able, faithful and efficient manner in which they have performed their duties during this session,

Which was adopted.

Mr. Giddings offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, The reporters on the staff of our daily papers, who have been in attendance upon the work of the session daily since its beginning, have labored industriously and faithfully in reporting the proceedings of this body; and

WHEREAS, The relation between members and reporters has been of a most cordial and friendly character; therefore

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate be extended to each member of the reportorial staff of the metropolitan papers in attendance upon this Legislature during the session just closing; and be it further

Resolved, That the Senate take especial recognition of the services of Joseph Greusel, correspondent of the Detroit Free Press, and William Stocking, of the Detroit Tribune, whose courtesy has been so constant, whose energy so untiring, whose daily reports so complete and fairminded, and whose hourly association with the members of this body has been of so many and honorable a character, as to entitle them to the warmest respect of every member of the Senate,

Pending the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Gorman moved to strike out the words "of the metropolitan papers,"

Which motion prevailed and the resolution was so amended.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

Mr. J. W. Babcock offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Senate be and they are hereby tendered

to the ministers of the Gospel who have been in attendance upon this body during the session just closed for their kindness and courtesy,

Which was adopted.

The committee appointed to wait upon the House and inform that body that the Senate had completed its work and was ready to adjourn, reported that they had performed that duty and asked to be discharged.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The committee appointed to act with a like committee on the part of the House to wait upon the Governor reported that they had performed that duty and that the Governor had informed them that he had no further communications to make, but wished to extend his sincerest thanks and regards to the Legislature, and the committee ask to be discharged.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 25, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 11 o'clock A. M.

Roll called: not a quorum present.

Present: Messrs. Babcock, W. I., Crosby, Giddings, Holbrook, Hubbell, Laing, Monroe, Moon, Post, Roof, Westgate.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

Senate bill No. 491, being

An act to legalize the re-organization of the Bridgeport Free Church association and the election of trustees and their successors in office and all the proceedings of said trustees, their books and records having been destroyed by fire.

Also,

Senate bill No. 440 (file No. 271), being

An act to repeal act No. 94 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act making an appropriation of state swamp lands to aid the county of Gratiot in improving the channel of Maple river, and to authorize a tax to complete the same, and to repeal act No 50, of the session laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-one, entitled 'An act to authorize the board of control, of state swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to remove bars and obstructions in Maple river, in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot,' approved March twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and eighty-one," approved May 13, 1885.

Also,

Senate bill No. 50 (file No. 204), being

An act to amend section 3, chapter 205 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 8137 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to proceedings by and against corporations in courts of law.

Also,

Senate bill No. 35, being

An act making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the university of Michigan.

Also,

Senate bill No. 95 (file No. 300), being

An act to amend sec. 2, act 147, session laws of 1869, being section 1756 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act 261, session laws of 1881, relative to the appointment of superintendents of the poor.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

Laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 25, 1887. }

To the Senate :

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

Senate bill No. 449, being

An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Bay, Arenac and Gladwin, now comprising the 18th judicial circuit.

Also,

Senate bill No. 656, (file No. 256), being

An act to amend section 3 of act No. 167 of the session laws of 1881, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the republication and disposition of 30,000 copies of Robertson's 'Michigan in the War,' and such additional copies as may be required to supply the demand therefor," as amended by act 143 of the session laws of 1883.

Also,

Senate bill No. 188 (file No. 80), being •

An act to amend section 5 of act No. 79 of the session laws of 1873, and the acts amendatory thereof, entitled An act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner of railroads, and to define his powers and duties and fix his compensation, approved April 10, 1873.

Also,

Senate bill No. 145 (file No. 305), being

A bill to prevent the sale of impure, unwholesome, adulterated or swill milk in the State of Michigan, and to provide for inspectors. •

Senate bill No. 407, being

An act making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of aiding in cleaning out, deepening and improving the ditch along the State road known as the Wild Fowl and Cass City State road, in townships No. 14 and 15 north, of range 10 east.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

Laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 27, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 11 o'clock A. M.

Roll called: not a quorum present.

Present: Mr. Westgate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

1. Senate bill No. 440 (file No. 271), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 94 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Gratiot in improving the channel of Maple river and to authorize a tax to complete the same, and to repeal act No. 50 of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act to authorize the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to remove bars and obstructions in Maple river, in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot, approved March 26, 1881, approved May 13, 1885."

2. Senate bill No. 222 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the house of the Good Shepherd at Detroit.

3. Senate bill No. 84 (file No. 166), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 237 of the laws of 1881, entitled, "An act to authorize and regulate within this State the business of plate glass, accident, live stock, steam boiler and fidelity insurance, and to repeal acts Nos. 42 and 72 of the session laws of 1877," approved June 3, 1881, being section 4326 of Howell's annotated statutes.

4. Senate bill No. 108 (file No. 115), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 124, session laws of 1869, entitled An act to revise and consolidate the several acts relating to the protection of game and for the better preservation of elk, deer, birds and wild fowl, approved April 3, 1869, and all subsequent amendments of said section, the same being section 2198, Howell's annotated statutes.

5. Senate bill No. 317 (file No. 309), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Wilson, in the county of Alpena, to construct and maintain a toll road through said township and to borrow money and issue its bonds for the construction of the same.

6. Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to amend section 10, chapter 343 of act No. 201 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9836 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, relative to the State Industrial Home for Girls.

7. Senate bill No. 362 (file No. 303), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of Alpena county to issue bonds for the purpose of raising money to improve the highways leading from the city of Alpena to the several townships in said county.

8. Senate bill No. 438 (file No. 269), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 190 of the session laws of 1885, entitled An act

making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Jackson in straightening and opening a channel or outlet for Portage lake, and to repeal act No. 132 of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed lands in Jackson county, approved May 10, 1881, approved June 16, 1885.

9. Senate bill No. 295 (file No. 295), entitled

A bill authorizing the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to improve Norwegian Creek, in the township of Alpena, in the county of Alpena.

10. Senate bill No. 82 (file No. 301), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 42 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, being annotator's section No. 1756, relative to the support and maintenance of the poor by counties.

11. Senate bill No. 95 (file No. 300), entitled

A bill to amend section 2, act 148, session laws of 1869, being section 1756 of Howell's annotated statutes as amended in act 261, session laws of 1881, relative to the appointment of superintendents of the poor.

12. Senate bill No. 361 (file No. 291), entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of act 153 of the session laws of 1885, approved June 9, 1885, entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon.

13. Senate bill No. 66 (file No. 275), entitled

A bill to provide for indeterminate sentences and disposition, management, and release of criminals under such sentence.

14. Senate bill No. 439 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed lands in Jackson county.

15. Senate substitute for House bill No. 193 (file No. 297), entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of opening, cleaning out, dredging and deepening Thornapple river, near the outlet of Thornapple lake, in the township of Hastings, in the county of Barry.

16. Senate bill No. 259 (file No. 130), entitled

A bill to establish, protect and enforce the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for the erection, altering, repairing or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures, and to repeal act No. 258 of the session laws of 1879 and all acts amendatory thereof, relating to mechanics' liens.

17. Senate bill No. 443 (file No. 216), entitled

A bill to amend chapter III of title IX of Howell's annotated statutes, entitled "Of highways, bridges, private roads and ferries," by adding thereto three new sections to stand as sections 16, 17 and 18,

18. Senate bill No. 145 (file No. 305), entitled

A bill to prevent the sale of impure, unwholesome, adulterated, or swill milk in the State of Michigan, and to provide for inspectors.

19. Senate substitute for House bill No. 518 (file No. 178), entitled

A bill to amend sections 2 and 3 of act No. 167 of the public acts of 1883, entitled An act to promote public health, approved June 6, 1883,

20. Senate bill No. 382 (file No. 91), entitled

A bill to amend section 57 of chapter 176 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the courts of chancery, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and being compiler's section 6647 of Howell's annotated statutes.

21. Senate bill No. 188 (file No. 80), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 79 of the session laws of 1873 and the acts amendatory thereof, entitled An act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner of railroads and to define his powers and duties and fix his compensation, approved April 10, 1873.

22. Senate bill No. 22 (file No. 25), entitled

A bill to require security to be given on staying proceedings upon verdicts and judgments in the circuit courts of this State.

23. Senate bill No. 252 (file No. 63), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of the township of Sanborn, in the county of Alpena.

24. Senate substitute for House bill No. 656 (file No. 276), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 167 of the session laws of 1881, being an act entitled An act to provide for the republication and disposition of 30,000 copies of Robertson's Michigan in the War, and such additional copies as may be required to supply the demand therefor, as amended by act 143 of the session laws of 1883.

25. Senate bill No. 1 (file No. 110), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the mining school at Houghton in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, including all permanent fixtures, heating and lighting apparatus, etc.

26. Senate bill No. 50 (file No. 204) entitled

A bill to amend section 3, chapter 205, of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 8137 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to proceedings by and against corporations in courts of law.

27. Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 4, section 2 of chapter 5, and sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 12 of act No. 164 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act," approved May 21, 1881, the same being compiler's sections 5080, 5101, 5150, 5151, 5152, 5153, 5154, 5158, 5159, 5160, 5161 and 5162 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act No. 93 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 16, 1883.

28. Senate bill No. 367, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Detroit with regard to sidewalks, the laying, repairing and pay for the same.

29. Senate bill No. 175 (file No. 113), entitled

A bill to prohibit railroad companies from taking up their tracks, abandoning their stations, and failing to operate their roads in certain cases.

30. Senate bill No. 407, entitled

A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of aiding in cleaning out, deepening and improving the ditch along the State road known as the Wild Fowl and Cass City State road in townships Nos. 14 and 15 north, of range 10 east.

31. Senate bill No. 35, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the university of Michigan.

32. Senate bill No. 449, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Bay, Arenac and Gladwin, now comprising the 18th judicial circuit.

33. Senate bill No. 491, entitled

A bill to legalize the re-organization of the Bridgeport Free Church Association and the election of trustees and their successors in office, and all the proceedings of said trustees, their books and records having been destroyed by fire.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman.*

Laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 25, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

Senate bill No. 193, file No. 297, being

An act making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of opening, cleaning out, dredging and deepening Thornapple river near the outlet of Thornapple lake, in the township of Hastings, in the county of Barry.

Also,

Senate bill No. 439 (file No. 268), being

An act to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed lands in Jackson county.

Also,

Senate bill No. 361 (file No. 291), being

An act to amend section 11 of act 153 of the session laws of 1885, approved June 9, 1885, entitled An act to provide for the assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes thereon.

Also,

Senate bill No. 295 (file No. 295), being

An act authorizing the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to improve Norwegian Creek, in the township of Alpena, in the county of Alpena.

Senate bill No. 108 (file No. 115), being

An act to amend section 1 of act No. 124, session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the several acts relative to the protection of game and for the better preservation of elk, deer, birds and wild fowl," approved April 3d, 1869, and all subsequent amendments of said section, the same being section 2198, Howell's annotated statutes.

Also,

Senate bill No. 367, being

An act amending the charter of the city of Detroit with regard to sidewalks, the laying, repairing, and pay for the same.

Also,

Senate bill No. 362 (file No. 303), being

An act to authorize the board of supervisors of Alpena county to issue bonds for the purpose of raising money to improve the highways leading from the city of Alpena to the several townships in said county.

Also,

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 209), being

An act to amend section 10, chapter 343 of act No. 201 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9836 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, relative to the State industrial home for girls.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

Laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 27, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following joint resolution:

1. Senate joint resolution No. 18, entitled

Joint resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to use their influence, and to vote for the passage of the dependent pension bill (now before Congress) over the President's veto.

In the passage of which the House has non-concurred.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The joint resolution was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
Lansing, June 27, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bills:

1. Senate bill No. 30 (file No. 40), entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the county of Manitou and attach the same to Leelanaw county.

2. Senate bill No. 88 (file No. 65), entitled

A bill to amend section 16 of chapter 9 of compiled laws of 1871, as amended, being section 452 of Howell's annotated statutes.

3. Senate bill No. 192 (file No. 72), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 259 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented and vinous liquors, to prohibit the sale of such liquors to minors, to intoxicated persons, and to persons in the habit of getting intoxicated, to provide a remedy against persons selling liquor to husbands or children in certain cases, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 10, 1881, as amended by acts 178, 187 and 191 of the public acts of 1883, by adding a new section thereto to stand as section 17, in relation to costs.

4. Senate bill No. 194 (file No. 73), entitled

A bill to amend section 15 of chapter 245 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 9837 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to offenses against property."

5. Senate bill No. 86 (file No 74), entitled

A bill to amend sections 10, 11 and 12 of chapter 201 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's sections 7995, 7996 and 7997, of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to proceedings against debtors by attachment.

6. Senate bill No. 349 (file No. 9), entitled

A bill to authorize the Erie & Kalamazoo railroad company to change its line between Palmyra Junction and the city of Adrian.

7. Senate bill No. 155 (file No. 109), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act number 205 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to authorize the transcript of a judgment from the docket of one justice of the peace to that of another within this State."

8. Senate bill No. 227 (file No. 116), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 179 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 7094 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to criminal proceedings before justices of the peace.

9. Senate bill No. 105 (file No. 119), entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 246, of the public acts of 1879, entitled, "An act in relation to commencement of actions relating to real estate, and for labor or services, and service of process therein," approved May 31, 1879, being section 7317, of Howell's annotated statutes.

10. Senate bill No. 110 (file No. 138), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, 7. and 8 of act No. 144 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the compulsory education of children in certain cases."

11. Senate bill No. 213 (file No. 145), entitled

A bill to amend section 8 of chapter 8 of Howell's annotated statutes, being compiler's section No. 131, relative to townships having two or more election districts therein.

12. Senate bill No. 182 (file No. 153), entitled

A bill to amend compiler's section 4709 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being compiler's section 6196 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the filing of chattel mortgages.

13. Senate bill No. 342 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to provide for revising the general statutes of obsolete acts.

14. Senate bill No. 306 (file No. 138), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 263 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 9586, relative to inquests on the view of dead bodies.

15. Senate bill No. 427 (file No. 175), entitled

A bill to provide for an assistant deputy auditor general, and fixing his salary.

16. Senate bill No. 271 (file No. 179), entitled

A bill to protect electors who cannot read, from fraud and deception at the polls.

17. Senate bill No. 335 (file No. 176), entitled

A bill to amend section 7980 of chapter 263 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 9593 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to coroners' fees in cases of inquest.

18. Senate bill No. 208 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of stenographers in the several judicial circuits of this State, to define their powers and duties, to fix their compensation and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith.

19. Senate bill No. 360 (file No. 233), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 70 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, being compiler's section 2247, relative to bounty for killing wolves.

20. Senate bill No. 184, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the relief of the sufferers by fire in the village of Lake Linden, in the county of Houghton, State of Michigan.

21. Senate bill No. 288, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Ironwood, in the county of Gogebic.

22. Senate bill No. 423 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to amend section 7423 of chapter 238 of the compiled laws of 1871, and being section 9000 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to taxation of costs.

23. Senate bill No. 276, entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 2 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto," approved June 20, 1885.

24. Senate bill No. 343 (file No. 284), entitled

A bill to amend "An act to provide for the payment of the salaries of State officers," being compiler's section 339 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the salaries of State officers, deputies and clerks, as amended by act No. 118 of the public acts of 1883.

25. A bill to provide for the publication in newspapers of township proclamations, registration notices, election notices, notices of letting highway and bridge contracts, and all other similar notices, where the law now requires the posting of written or printed notices, and make no provision for publishing such notices in newspapers.

In the passage of which the House has non-concurred.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL L. CROSSMAN,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bills were laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Westgate,

The Senate adjourned.

Lansing, June 28, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at 11 o'clock A. M.

Roll call: Not a quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 27, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 11), being

An act to amend section 3 of chapter 4, section 2 of chapter 5 and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, of chapter 12 of act No. 164, of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act," approved May 21, 1881, the same being compiler's sections 5080, 5101, 5150, 5151, 5152, 5153, 5154, 5158, 5159, 5160, 5161 and 5162 of Howell's annotated statutes, as amended by act number 93 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 16, 1883.

Also,

Senate bill No. 382 (file No. 91), being

An act to amend section 57 of chapter 176 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to courts of chancery, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and being compiler's section 6647 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Also,

Senate bill No. 518 (file No. 178), being

An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of act No. 167 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to promote public health," approved June 6, 1883.

Also,

Senate bill No. 443 (file No. 216), being

A bill to amend chapter 3 of title 9 of Howell's annotated statutes, entitled "Of highways, bridges, private roads and ferries," by adding thereto three new sections, to stand as sections 16, 17 and 18.

Also,

Senate bill No. 259 (file No. 130), being

An act to establish, protect and enforce the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for the erection, altering, repairing or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures; and to repeal act No. 258 of the session laws of 1879; all acts amendatory thereof, relating to mechanics lien.

Also,

Senate bill No. 222 (file No. 198), being

An act to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the house of the Good Shepherd at Detroit,

Also,

Senate bill No. 84 (file No. 166), being

An act to amend section 2 of act No. 237 of the laws of 1881, entitled "An act to authorize and regulate within this State the business of plate glass, accident, live stock, steam boiler and fidelity insurance, and to repeal acts Nos. 42 and 72 of the session laws of 1877," approved June 3, 1881, being section 4325 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Also,

Senate bill No. 82 (file No. 301), being

An act to amend section 2 of chapter 42 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, being annotator's section No. 1756 relative to the support and maintenance of the poor by counties.

Also,

Senate bill No. 252 (file No. 63), being

An act to incorporate the public schools of the township of Sanborn, in the county of Alpena.

Also,

Senate bill No. 438 (file No. 269), being

An act to repeal act No. 190 of the session laws of 1885, entitled An act making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Jackson in straightening and opening a channel or outlet for Portage lake, and to repeal act No. 132 of the session laws of 1881, entitled An act to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed lands in Jackson county, approved May 10, 1881, approved June 16, 1885.

Also,

Senate bill No. 175 (file No. 113), being

An act to prohibit railroad companies from taking up their tracks, abandoning their stations, and failing to operate their roads in certain cases.

Also,

Senate bill No. 22 (file No. 25), being

An act to require security to be given on staying proceedings upon verdicts and judgments in the circuit courts of this State.

Also,

Senate bill No. 317 (file No. 309), being

An act to authorize the township of Wilson, in the county of Alpena, to construct and maintain a toll road through said township and to borrow money and issue its bonds for the construction of the same.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

Laid on the table.

Lansing, June 29, 1887.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President at — o'clock A. M.

Roll call: Not a quorum present.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 346 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of Au Train in the county of Alger.

J. W. GIDDINGS, *Chairman*.

Laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 28, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 346 (file No. 193), being

An act to incorporate the public schools of the township of Au Train in the county of Alger.

O. G. LUCE,
Governor.

Laid on the table.

The hour of 12 o'clock M. having arrived, the President declared that, in accordance with a concurrent resolution of the two Houses, the Senate stood adjourned *sine die*.

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, June 29, 1887. }

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct Journal of the proceedings of the Senate of the Legislature of Michigan for the year 1887.

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Secretary of the Senate.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, January 12, 1887. }

IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The Senate went into executive session at 2.50 o'clock P. M.
Roll called; a quorum present.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following message from the Governor:

STATE OF MICHIGAN,
EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, January 12, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate the following named persons to the office of notary public for their respective counties.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

ALLEGAN.

John Neis, Ensign W. Pickett, Horace J. Turner, G. B. Nichols, Edwy C. Reid, John P. Wade, Edward Hutchins, P. C. Whitbeck, J. Henry Hawley, William Connell, Edwin J. King, Ransom Snell, Geo. D. Deane, C. R. Vanderpool, John H. Eppink, Nahum Gilbert, C. M. Cook, John Heath, David Stockdale, Ogden Tomlinson, W. H. McCormick, Martin Gray.

ANTRIM.

John A. Harriman, Eliza A. Harriman, William S. Mesick, Hiram T. Cook, Benjamin F. Davis, William Thompson.

ARENAC.

Charles Jones, John E. Bradley.

BARRY.

Isaac W. Vrooman, Ralzey B. Richards, Charles W. Jordan, John M. Bessmer, George S. Dennis, Wm. W. Latty, Preston Jewell, Samuel McIntyre, Jas. B. Mills, Walter Webster, Emory Parady, Frank A. Sylvester, Frank M. Woodmansee, Wm. H. Jewell.

BAY.

Willard E. Burnett, Henry Lindner, Edward W. Porter, Joseph P. Haffey.

BENZIE.

Lyman P. Judson, Charles E. Case, William J. Pettitt, Abram G. Butler, Eugene R. Chandler, Digby B. Butler, Michael A. Heuss, Richard B. Reynolds.

BERRIEN.

Thomas L. Stevens, Alfred F. Ross, Edward Walters, Clement L. Barron, D. B. Harper, Winfield S. Millard, Leander J. Morgan.

BRANCH.

Frank E. Kittredge, E. J. McKay, Frank D. Newberry, George Tibbitts, Orin D. Curtis, M. W. Wakeman, Timothy A. Hurley, George Whitten, Allen C. Culver, Milan M. Brown, George H. Turner, Dan W. Sawyer, Z. G. Osborn, Geo. H. Turner, Frank E. Kittredge.

CALHOUN.

Holden Sprague, Manassa H. Edmonds, Scott Field, Levi P. Aylworth, Charles B. Gale, George Dolittle, Herbert L. Brown, N. B. Gardner, Theodore Cook, Randall Z. Case, John R. Bentley, Henry H. Hubbard, Phillip Keuchle, William O. Wells, James W. Wood, Frank W. Clapp, Frank G. Reynolds, James I. Main, Samuel J. Henderson, Eugene P. Robertson, James W. Sheldon, Elmer Sheldon, Mark B. Brewer, Charles D. Brewer, Vanantwerp Lepper, Eugene J. Kirby, Henry P. Cherry, P. M. Fitzgerald, Andrew Dorsey, Orson A. Nichols.

CASS.

Henry Michael, Coy W. Hendryx, Chauncy T. Lee, Spafford Tryon, John Woster, B. W. Schemmerhorn, George G. Woodmansee, Harson D. Smith, George H. Redfield, Moses H. Lee.

CHARLEVOIX.

Willard A. Smith, Theodore R. Chapin, Robert W. Kane.

CHEBOYGAN.

Jacob Walton, William N. Cross, Patrick Sullivan, Charles Hamman, Embly M. Sutherland, Almon W. Eck, William A. Maultby, George Sinclair, Frank Shepherd, Oscar Adams, George P. Humphrey, Watts S. Humphrey.

CHIPPEWA.

John H. Goff.

CLARE.

Samuel F. Fine, Thomas W. Averill, Reuben Smith, Carlton Abbott, Charles E. Youdan, Dennis E. Alward, W. D. Marsh.

CLINTON.

Henry M. Perrin, Porter K. Perrin, Delbert H. Power.

CRAWFORD.

William H. Putnam.

DELTA.

R. R. Campbell, Wm. R. Northup, Solomon Greenhoot, Hiram G. Squires, Covell C. Royce, John K. Stack, Emil Glaser, John Power, Frank D. Mead, John F. Oliver.

EATON.

Tyler Hull, John W. Dann, Philip Leonard, Arthur M. Nelson, Horace S. Maynard, George Deckey, W. R. Clarke, Frank R. Warner, George Galusha, George W. Keyes, Hughes Sykes.

EMMET.

Milton W. George, John W. Hunsberger, James M. Burbeck, Henry A. Rollins, James E. Wagley, Benjamin T. Halstead, Alphonso J. Southard, Charles W. Caskey, James L. Morrice, Philip B. Wachtel, Flavel J. Smith, James R. Wylie, Archibald D. Metz, George W. Leger, George W. Stoneburner, Ezra C. Barnum.

GENESEE.

Zacheus Chase, William R. Bates, Charles S. Brown, Giles L. Denham, Abner C. Johnson, Ransom C. Johnson, John W. Foot, George E. Herriman, D. D. Aitkin, John Algae, John C. Dullam, Merton W. Fairbanks, Edgar R. Bloomer, Eugene Alexander, Ira H. Wilder, Arthur G. Bishop, Elden M. Gordon, James Martin, Edward E. Smith, Jared Van Vleet, Ralph L. Aldrich, Albert C. Lyon, Arthur J. Eddy, Charles D. Long.

GRAND TRAVERSE.

J. D. Lancaster, William Holdsworth, Samuel M. Brown, Hugh W. Clyde, Geo. L. Roberts, Charles A. Denniston, James Monteith.

GRATIOT.

Marcus Pollasky, Harry B. Waldby, Max E. Pollasky, Geo. W. Curtis, John A. Brown, Bayard A. Church, Elias C. Phillips, M. W. Coon, J. L. Sinclair, D. K. Sickles, Marvin R. Salter, Chester W. Martin, Charles H. Morse, Archibald B. Darragh, John A. Weller, Charles R. Holliday, Charles E. Webster, Thomas J. Tann, James E. Merrill, George H. Schrodos, Eunice M. B. Schrodos, Theron A. Johnson, A. E. Barstow, Wm. M. Barstow, Charlie E. Barstow, E. Y. Kelley.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, January 12, 1887. }

I hereby certify that the Senate, in executive session, did this day advise and consent to the nomination of the foregoing notaries public.

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Secretary of the Senate.

The message was referred to the committee on executive business.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following message from the Governor:

STATE OF MICHIGAN,
EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, January 12, 1887.

To the Senate.

I hereby nominate John T. Rich, of Elba, Lapeer county, Mich., to the office of Commissioner of Railroads for the term of two years from and after the first day of January, 1887.

I also nominate Henry S. Raymond, of Bay county, to the office of Commissioner of Insurance, for the term of two years from and after the first day of January, 1887.

I also nominate John Robertson, of Wayne county, to the office of Adjutant General for the term of two years from and after January 1, 1887.

I also nominate Frank D. Newberry, of Branch county, to the office of Inspector General for the term of two years from and after January 1, 1887.

I also nominate Sherman B. Daboll, of Clinton county, to the office of

Quartermaster General, for the term of two years from and after the first day of January, 1887.

I also nominate as State Librarian, Harriet A. Tenney, of Lansing, Mich., for the term of two years from and after January 1, 1887.

I also nominate as members of the Board of Trustees of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, Robert Burns, of Kalamazoo, and Ira R. Grosvenor, of Monroe, Michigan, for the term of six years from the second Tuesday in February, A. D. 1887.

I also nominate to the office of Warden of the Michigan State Prison, Hiram F. Hatch, of Jackson, Michigan, for the term of two years from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1887.

I also nominate to the office of Warden of the State House of Correction at Ionia, Erwin C. Watkins, of Rockford, Mich., for the term of two years from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1887.

I also nominate to the office of Inspector of Salt for the State of Michigan, George W. Hill, of East Saginaw, for the term of two years from and after the 26th day of January, A. D. 1887.

I also nominate to the office of Commissioner of Mineral Statistics, Charles D. Lawton, of Lawton, Michigan, for the term of two years from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1887.

I also nominate as a member of the Michigan Board of Pharmacy Stanley E. Parkill, of Owosso, for the term of five years from and after the first day of January, 1887.

I also nominate as member of the Board of Managers of the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, Hampton Rich, of Ionia, for the term of six years from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1887.

I also nominate to the office of Inspector of the State Prison, William Chamberlain, of Three Oaks, Michigan, for the term of six years from and after the first day of January, 1887.

I also nominate to the office of member of the Board of Trustees for the Eastern Michigan Asylum, Augustus C. Baldwin, of Pontiac, Michigan, and Joseph E. Sawyer, of Pontiac, for the term of six years from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1887.

I also nominate to the office of member of the Board of Control of the State Public School, Isaac A. Fancher, of Mt. Pleasant, Michigan, for the term of six years from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1887.

I also nominate as members of the State Board of Agriculture, William B. McCreery, of Flint, and Charles W. Garfield, of Grand Rapids, for the term of six years from and after the third Wednesday in January, 1887.

I also nominate as member of the Board of Corrections and Charities, Marcus Pollasky, of Alma, Michigan, for the term of eight years from and after the first day of January, 1887.

I also nominate as member of the State Board of Health, John Avery, of Greenville, Michigan, for the term of six years from the thirty-first day of January, A. D. 1887.

I also nominate Arthur Hazlewood, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, member of said State Board of Health, for the term of six years from the thirty-first day of January, 1887.

I also nominate as member of the Board of Control of Railroads, Harry A. Conant, of Monroe, Michigan, *vice* Edward H. Thompson, deceased, and to fill such unexpired term ending February 23, 1889.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor*.

The message was referred to the committee on executive business.

The committee on executive business submitted the following report:

The committee on executive business, to whom was referred the messages of the Governor transmitting nominations for the office of notary public, and also nominations for the offices of Commissioner of Railroads, Commissioner of Insurance, Adjutant General, Inspector General, Quartermaster General, State Librarian, members of the Board of Trustees of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, Warden of the Michigan State Prison, Warden of the State House of Correction, Inspector of Salt, Commissioner of Mineral Statistics, member of the Michigan Board of Pharmacy, Member of the Board of Managers of the State House of Correction, Inspector of the State Prison, member of the Board of Trustees for the Eastern Asylum, member of the Board of Control of the State Public School, members of the State Board of Agriculture, Member of the Board of Corrections and Charities, members of the State Board of Health and member of the Board of Control of Railroads, would respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the Senate do advise and consent to the nominations, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Hubbell moved that the report of the committee as to the nominations for the office of notary public be concurred in, in gross;

Pending which,

Mr. Holbrook demanded a division of the question as to the name of Eugene B. Wood, which appeared in the list of nominations for Ingham county.

The question being on concurring in the report of the committee as to the rest of the nominations for the office of notary public,

The same was concurred in, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Fox,	Laing,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Stark,
Barton,	Gudenau,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 32

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The question being on concurring in the recommendation of the committee as to the nomination of Eugene B. Wood,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The same was laid on the table.

The question being on concurring in the recommendation of the committee as to the nominations for the several other offices above mentioned,

The same was concurred in, in gross, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Hubbell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.	Fox,	Laing,	Seymour,
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Moon,	Stark,
Barton,	Gudenau,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Howell,	Potter,	President
			<i>pro tem.</i> , 32
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NAYS.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The executive session closed, the time being 2.25 P. M.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, January 20, 1887. }

IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

On motion of Mr. Howell,
The Senate went into executive session at 3.05 o'clock P. M.
Roll called; quorum present.
The President *pro tem.* announced the following message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, January 14, 1887. }

To the President of the Senate:

SIR: I respectfully request the privilege of withdrawing the name of Eugene B. Wood, nominated by me on the 12th inst. as notary public for Ingham county.

Respectfully,

C. G. LUCIE, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Moon,
The request of the Governor was granted and the nomination returned.
The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, January 17, 1887. }

To the Honorable Senate:

I do hereby nominate as a member of the Board of Fish Commissioners for the term of six years from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1887, Joel C. Parker, of Grand Rapids.

I also nominate William Donovan as member of the Board of Control of the State Reform School for the term of six years from and after the first day of January, 1887.

I also nominate as members of the Board of Trustees of the Northern Michigan Asylum for the term of six years from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1887, Varnum B. Cochran, of Marquette, and Lorin Roberts, of Traverse City.

I also nominate George T. Warren, of Flint, as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Michigan Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb, for the term of six years from and after the second Tuesday of February, A. D. 1887.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

The message was referred to the committee on executive business. .

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

STATE OF MICHIGAN, }
EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, January 19, 1887. }

To the Honorable Senate:

I do hereby nominate the following persons as notaries public in and for the respective counties for which they are named.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

ALLEGAN.

Warren A. Woodworth, George E. Dunn, Cora H. Wilkes, Dyer C. Putnam, John Fletcher, O. J. Woodard, John W. Bingham, George G. Soule, Joseph W. Hicks, Charles H. Hansen.

ALPENA.

Monroe Klock, James McNamara, Charles Cook, John J. Cathro, Orlando L. Partridge, Joseph B. Comstock, Henry Clothier, John C. Comfort, Lemuel G. Dafoe, Alexander A. Harrington, John S. McVickar, William Sleator, John C. Viall, Herman H. Wittelshofer, Wm. A. Henderson, Lyman J. Sylvester, Wm. H. Post, Charles L. Lynch, Wm. E. Turnbull.

ANTRIM.

Leander C. Handy, Solomon M. Dewey.

ARENAC.

Daniel W. Richardson, John A. Weed.

BARAGA.

Roger C. Williams, John Campbell, Wm. L. Mason, E. L. Mason, E. E. Halsey, Thomas Hooper.

BARRY.

C. A. Hough, Wesley Meyers, Columbus S. Palmerton, C. W. Armstrong, Clifford D. Beebe, C. M. Putnam.

BAY.

Julia O. Donoughue, John H. Blomshield, Frank M. VanLiew, William H. Phillips, George Wilton, Evander S. VanLiew, George H. Keating, Frank Bateman, Edward B. Braddock, William Felker, Fatio Colt, Sam Kichen,

Alfred Mosher, Thomas W. Hastings, Henry H. Norrington, E. T. Bennett, G. Harry Shearer, George P. Cobb, A. E. R. Rush, F. L. Gilbert, Nelson R. Gilbert.

BENZIE.

Frank L. Fuller.

BERRIEN.

Alonzo Plummer, Augustus L. Potter, Edson K. Slade, John A. Mays, Lawrence C. Fyfe, Silas G. Antisdale, Fred A. Woodruff, William T. Wynkoop, John A. Watson, Daniel Lapham, Joel H. Gillett, Nathaniel A. Hamilton, Isaiah Ryneerson, Edward K. Warren, Burrwell Hinchman, John C. Morgan, Thomas H. Botham, William A. Smith.

BRANCH.

F. E. Morgan, Henry C. Bailey, Carmi R. Smith, John N. Foster, Ella F. Corwin, Arthur E. Robinson, Wm. H. Lockerby.

CALHOUN.

Lewis J. Allen, Fred M. Wadleigh, Levi P. Aylworth, Charles I. Clapp, John L. Bean, George W. Nichols, Charles E. Lyman, Albert B. Calkins.

CASS.

Carroll S. Jones, Warner J. Sampson, Marshall L. Howell, Charles A. Ritter, Charles G. Banks, William M. Bunbury, John R. Carr, Jonathan H. Breed, Barak L. Rudd.

CHARLEVOIX.

George W. Allen, Horace S. Harsha, James A. Keat, J. Reed Emrey, Oscar Upright, William Harris.

CHEBOYGAN.

Alvin W. Barry, Joshua P. Sutton.

CHIPPEWA.

E. S. B. Sutton.

CLARE.

Charles A. Lyon, C. W. Perry, A. J. Doherty.

CLINTON.

J. W. Fitzgerald, Thomas H. Eddy, Jacob F. Schraft, Stephen Pearl, H. F. Antew, Robert M. Swigart, Josephus O. Selden, Roswell C. Dexter, George H. Marshall, Frank C. Payne, Peter E. Walsworth.

CRAWFORD.

John Staley, jr., O. J. Bell, Oscar Palmer.

DELTA

John P. McCall, Frank C. Buck.

EATON.

A. P. Green, F. H. DeGolia, Alanson Osborn, Luman Shepard, Chas. T. Andrews, Abram Albro, C. M. W. Blakeslee, William H. Benedict, Benj. F. Baker, Frank W. Brownson, William J. Bonnett, Lucius B. Brockett, Osmun Chappell, Horace H. Cobb, Samuel Chadwick, Isaiah H. Corbin, Parvin S. DeGraff, Frank A. Dean, Edward A. Foote, Alvan G. Fleury, Garry C. Fox, Homer Green, John G. Estelle, Daniel B. Hosler, Chas. O. Hallenbreck, Joseph M. Haslett, Sumner D. Irish, Isaac M. Jackson, C. Marion Jennings, Horton Longyear, Ira M. Laurence, Lyman H. McCall, Homer W. Meeker, William I. Moyer, Frank Merritt, Andrew N. Moon, George W. Mead, Carl F. Meads, Douglas J. McCarges, Hamilton G. McPeck, Henry J. Martin, John C. Nicholas, Horace B. Perry, Nathaniel J. Perry, George A. Perry, James M. Peters, James W. Potter, Samuel Pollock, Charles A. Patterson, Philo D. Patterson, Henry Robinson, A. Eugene Russell, Hiram Smoke, Albert D. Saxton, J. C. Sherman, Hiram Shipman, John H. Squier, Elvin W. Stiles, Ralph E. Stevens, Frank Spaulding, Orson L. Shepard, Oliver P. Shuler, Orr Schurtz, Edmund S. Tracey, A. B. Tillotson, Russell F. Tinkham, Henry M. Towsley, Thomas J. Toaz, John Vanhouten, Albert P. Vananker, Frank D. Waldo, B. W. Warren, Leslie M. Wood, Nathan G. Watson, John B. Williams, John E. Wool. William H. Griffen, William M. Biekman, Charles Wikson.

EMMET.

Joseph G. Bain.

GENESEE.

Oscar F. Clarke, John H. Tyler, Edward E. Smith, Cyrus M. Rulison, Franklin P. Sayre, Albert A. Elmore, Josiah Buckbee, John S. Decker, Daniel E. Adams, William E. Ormsby, Melvin D. Rogers, Thaddeus G. Smith, Fred. W. Breman, John M. Hall, Louis G. Willison, Abraham M. Lyons, Reuben W. Sage, John J. Pellett, Robert J. Whaley, Henry C. Van Deusen, J. Brush Fenton, Egbert L. Bangs.

GRATIOT.

John T. Mathews, Truman W. Whitney, Elbert A. Whitney, G. S. VanBuskirk, M. Foster Chaffey, E. H. Ashley, W. S. VanSceiner, J. H. DeMay, J. L. Foot, Wm. Brice, Thomas J. Tann, Newell Leonard, Luke B. Sawyer, Charles W. Giddings, James P. Gibbs, John G. Scott, Eugene F. Frost.

HILLSDALE.

Andrew Winchester, James E. Murray, James W. Niblack, Eli VanValkenburgh, Timothy E. Dibell, Charles F. Wade, Wm. M. Ransom.

HOUGHTON.

Edward C. Taylor.

HURON.

George H. Walker, David H. Pierce, Allison L. Wright, Charles E. Thompson, R. J. W. Thompson, William R. Conley, John D. Cornett, Albert A. Brown, Jonas R. Learned, Thomas B. Woodworth.

INGHAM.

Gurden L. Wight, Edwin Clark, Jay P. Lee, James W. Hinchey, Gilbert H. Gay, Geo. G. VanAlstine, Russell A. Clark, Lemert Cook, Franklin W. Havens, Frank S. Kedzie, Samuel Lawrence, William W. Peirson, John J. Calkins, Florentine C. Woodworth, Frank H. Colbath, John B. Cook, Lev-
erett R. Chaddock, Harry J. Haven, Edwin D. Whitney, Lawton T. Hemans, G. W. Bement, J. H. Wardwell, C. H. Roberts, Willis O. Humphrey, J. Edward Roe, Edward C. Chapin, Leonard B. Gardner, Wm. W. Cook, William O'Connor, Albert E. Cowles.

IONIA.

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George Orth, Granger Hill, Otis E. M. Cutcheon, Sibley G. Taylor, Frank McMahon.

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A. W. Tweedie.

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M. B. Olmstead, Charles J. Collins, Jay R. Monroe, Simpson Howland, Robert J. Williamson.

KENT.

Mrs. Almeda Bell, William W. Weir, Frank E. Thurber, John T. Gould, Ambrose A. Weeks, Albert L. Pickett, William H. Andrews, Charles A. Rob-

inson, Andrew J. Stebbins, James B. Sprague, Geo. W. Williams, jr., Frank W. Wilson, J. F. Hacker, Robert Hunter, jr., Henry N. Stone, R. Humphrey Stevens, Lillie A. Burgard, John W. VanLewen, Frank S. Donaldson, Orlando K. Pearsall, Isaac R. Church, Stephen A. Cross, Edwin A. Burlingame, Maurice M. Houseman, Benton W. Lewis, William J. Sproat, Simeon Hunt, Edward H. Hunt, G. Frank Godfrey, Lawrence P. Eddy, William W. Irwin, John McQuewan, Minnie L. Sheldon, William A. Innes, David C. Fletcher, Eben F. Snyder, Benjamin F. Sliter, Aaron Brewer, Isaac F. Lamoreaux, Joseph O. Bellair.

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W. McNaughton.

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Edgar L. Gray, Albert G. Day, Sullivan Armstrong.

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OTSEGO.

William H. Brown, Edward S. Dickenson.

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Joseph Brown, Frank J. Brown, Reuben D. Bacon, Charles N. A. Brouwer, Otto Breyman, Aloys Bilz, James Brändt, Oscar F. Conklin, Wiekke Diekema, John J. Danhof, jr., Benjamin F. Eames, George A. Farr, John V. B. Goodrich, Benton A. Green, Thomas Hefferan, Ranse A. Hyma, David F. Hunton, Thomas Hines, Roswell Lillie, Arthur Lowell, Charles L. Moody, Francis E. Murray, Richard D. McNaughton, John Mastenbroek, Horace G. Nichols, Charles T. Pagelson, Charles H. Pierce, Isaac J. Quick, Bethuel Rice, Charles E. Soule, George D. Sanford, George Stickney, Wilber C. Scott, V. W. Seely, Charles H. Smedley, William Savidge, Andrew Thomson, Johannes G. Van Hess, Arend Visscher, Gerrit VanSchelven, Walter G. Van Slyck, Frederick D. Vos, Adam Wagner, William Whipple, jr., Silas M. Wright, Roswell G. Wells, John G. Forrest, Edward P. Gibbs, Albert Lahnia, Wybe J. Nienhuis, Huibert Pelgrim, Cornelis Verschure, Annie M. Goodrich, Mary E. Diekema.

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Michael Case.

BOSCOMMON.

John B. Johnson.

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Wm. E. Ramsay, Wm. S. Wright, Edwin P. Stone, Wm. C. Phipps, Chas. H. Davis, Arthur O. Poiniar, H. A. Whipple, Norman L. Miller, Hiram L. Miller, Hugo Schreiber, Leslie B. Hanchett, Benton Hanchett, Carlton K. Runnels, Thomas Ward, John Leidlein, James C. McNalley, John Northwood, Mortimer D. Snow, Jacob M. Wiltse, John Loeblein, Edward A. Perkins, James A. Harris, Charles T. Beatty, Robert N. Wilson, Albert H. Comstock, Joseph Seeman, Charles H. Camp, Geo. B. Brooks, Edwin H. Eddy, Asa T. Sanderson.

SANILAC.

George E. English, Chas. H. McGinley.

SCHOOLCRAFT.

Frederic J. Hargrave.

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Ezra Lattimer, Abram M. Young, Stearns F. Smith, Oliver L. Smith, T. D. Dewey, Ezra Mason, L. A. Hamblin, Luther Ryon, A. F. Bott, H. H. Pulver, Lucius E. Gould, E. M. Miller, N. Gulick, W. H. Ream.

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ST. JOSEPH.

Leverett A. Clapp, Charles V. Smith, Edwin L. Clapp, Geo. W. Beisel.

TUSCOLA.

Thomas J. Eveland, George Kinney, Ernest C. Robinson, Frank Jenkins, Samuel Bell, Frederick Eyre, Henry Dunn, Walter J. Webber.

VAN BUREN.

John W. Free, Frederick E. Sherwood, James E. Chandler, Eugene W. Cribbs, Rufus C. Nash.

WASHTENAW.

Daniel B. Greene, Edward H. Greene, Clark Cornwell, Herbert A. Williams, William H. Davenport, John W. Blakesley, Zina P. King, Eugene K. Frueauff.

WAYNE.

William S. Sheeran, Robert T. Gray, Peter J. Schulte, John Campbell, James C. Oldfield, T. H. Baskerville, Michael Brennan, Charles Sullivan, George S. Adams, John C. Donnelly, John L. McDonell, Samuel P. Booth, Charles F. Waterman, James B. Leal, George S. Wells, Emanuel Fox, Thomas Morrison, George McDonald, William Stevenson, Charles M. Rousseau, Wallace A. Anger, Edgar O. Durfee, Frederick J. Stevens, Charles J. Hunt, William H. Murphy, Joseph K. Finehart, Jeremiah D. Long, Frank Favor, George W. Walthew, Robert Oakman, Adam Stuermer, Wm. Champ, James R. Dutton, John E. Griffiths, Walter MacMillan, Henry Russell, George L. Nadollock, William J. Fowler, Alex. D. Fowler, C. C. Burt, Harlow P. Davock, Browse T. Prentiss, Henry G. Holmes, James J. Brown, Elbridge G. Newhall, James P. Woodard, Jno. C. Cahalan, John Graves, John W. A. S. Cullen, Alex. A. Swenger, Robert F. Hartenstein, Victor F. Favor, Henry A. Chaney, John W. McGrath, J. Wilkie Moore, Levi L. Barbour, J. Abner Sherman, Harrison B. Wright, F. O. Davenport, Elias S. Woodman, Joseph H. Woodman, Adolph W. Duvernois, Geo. F. Hellwig, Elijan Goodell, John N. Wolfslayer, Edwin J. Booth, Egbert C. Preston, H. H. Ladd, James Inglis, J. H. Robinson, W. P. Sumner, Wm. A. Butler, jr., Elliott J. Stoddard, George J. Carroll, John A. Russell, Maier B. Breitenbach, Bradshaw Hodgkinson, John F. Cullen, William Daly, James R. Hosie, Peter C. Bird, John Gillespie, John M. Farland, Clinton W. Coolidge, Thomas Morrison, Thomas Kissane, William H. Young, Edwin A. Parsons, Jared A. Sexton, Charles H. Horton, Henry C. Colburn, Frank Doherty, William D. Fox, Frank W. Claxton, Thos. Barlum, F. W. Brede, Albert H. Raynor, John Steward, Perrin C. Goodell, Leander Waffle, John M. Lee, Sylvester K. Burgess, Walter Henderson, Richard Pulcher, David Trombly, Roger Eeklin, Abram Stringer, John T. Mott, Lewis C. Hough, David D. Allen, George A. Starkweather, Oscar A. Fraser, Chas. D. Durfee, Nathan T. Sly, Darwin B. Northrup, Frederick Wood Roberts, Frank Rothenberg, Benjamin F. Haxton, Christian D. Strubel, George McDonald, Jackson B. Wood, William R. Montgomery, John F. Calahan, Peter E. Park, Alexander Brown, Henry P. Sanger, Lillian M. Hubbard, Sylvester Larned, S. S. Babcock.

WEXFORD.

Lew Van Meter.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, January 20, 1887. }

I hereby certify that the Senate, in executive session, did this day advise and consent to the foregoing nominations for the office of notary public.

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Secretary of the Senate.

The message was referred to the committee on executive business.

The committee on executive business submitted the following report:

The committee on executive business, to whom was referred messages from the Governor transmitting nominations to the offices of member of the Board of Fish Commissioners, member of the Board of Control of the State Reform School, members of the Board of Trustees of the Northern Michi-

gan Asylum for the Insane, and member of the Board of Trustees for the Michigan Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb, and also nominations to the office of notary public, respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and recommend that the Senate do advise and consent to the said several nominations, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The report of the committee was adopted, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W.L.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gudenau,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Edwards,	Mayo,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 27

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On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Secretary of the Senate was instructed to suggest to the Governor, in behalf of the Senate, the propriety of transmitting hereafter, to the Senate, the full names of all persons nominated to the office of notary public.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The executive session closed, the time being 3.35 o'clock P. M.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, January 28, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The Senate went into executive session at 3.35 o'clock P. M.

Roll called; quorum present.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, January 27, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Sidney D. Miller, of Detroit, as a member of the board of metropolitan police commissioners for the city of Detroit, for the term of eight years from and after the first day of February, A. D. 1887.

I also nominate William Ball, of Hamburg, Livingston county, as member of the board of control of the State reform school, vice James Blair, resigned, and for the unexpired term of said Blair, ending January 1, 1889.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

Referred to the committee on executive business.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
January 28, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I do hereby nominate Dr. Hal C. Wyman, of Detroit, as a member of the board of corrections and charities, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Levi L. Barbour, and whose term of office will expire on the first day of January, A. D. 1891.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

Referred to the committee on executive business.

The committee on executive business submitted the following report:

The committee on executive business to whom was referred the messages of the Governor transmitting nominations for the office of member of the board of metropolitan police commissioners for the city of Detroit, member of the board of control of the State reform school and member of the board of corrections and charities, would respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the Senate do advise and consent to the nominations and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The report of the committee was concurred in, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp.
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner.
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,	President
Deyo,	Laing,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.,</i>
Edwards,	Mayo,		

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On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The executive session closed, the time being 3.45 o'clock.

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, February 3, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate went into executive session at 9.15 o'clock A. M., with open doors.

Roll called ; quorum present.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, February 3, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate the within named persons to the office of notary public for their respective counties.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

ALCONA.

George E. Gillman, Clifton E. Jameson, Wm. E. Depew.

ALLEGAN.

W. V. Hoyt, Arthur F. Marsh, John W. Brigham, John Brason, Hiram Bailey, Asa W. Blackmond, Harmon H. Cooley, Leon Chichester, Geo. T. Clapp, Ransom J. Barris, F. E. Fish, Ed. Hawley, Frank S. Raymond, Pat-
rocalus A. Latta, Harold C. Weeks, William W. Warren, Horace H. Pope,
John F. Henry, Julius M. Eaton, James D. Graham, Martin Gray, George F.
Heath, John S. Marr, Horace B. Peck, Benjamin D. Pritchard, George
Scales, William A. Webster, Charles C. Hodge.

ALPENA.

Judson D. Holmes, Fred N. Fletcher, William H. Hall, Andrew W. Com-
stock, Thomas C. Lester.

ANTRIM.

Leander C. Handy, Thomas W. Sines.

BARRY.

John Carveth, M. C. Griswold, James Clarke, Frank Lamoreaux, Emanuel
J. Feighner, Daniel W. Rogers, George B. Manchester, Hiram Coleman,

BAY.

T. E. Webster, Charles D. Fisher, Elbridge W. Oakes, Rolla Glover, John
C. Hewitt, Wm. G. Beard, G. Henry Shearer, Sam Kaichen, George A.
Allen, Moritz Westover, Brakie J. Orr, J. Walter McIntosh, Noah Hambling,
George S. Weatherby, Ernest Frank, Oscar Waters, John H. Wilkins, Samuel
Littaner, John E. Heatley, Chauncy Gregory, Charles F. Corbin, William
R. McCormick, William J. McCormick, Spencer O. Fisher, Hamilton M.
Wright.

BENZIE.

Myron E. Thurston, John B. Batts, N. Augustus Parker, Jonathan W.
Russell, Lovette A. Jenne, Almeron Crandall, Denison F. Holden.

BERRIEN.

Edward L. Kingsland, Charles Hart, Luthur Hemingway, Grafton P. Williams, Benjamin F. Rounds, Emory M. Plimpton, William E. Plimpton, Felix Schumacher, Aleson C. Roe, George F. Edwards, David Bacon, Worth Landon, Don Morrison, Charles D. Nichols, William Dester, Nathan V. Lovell, Willis E. Peck, Art Coffinger.

BRANCH.

Mortimer B. Wakeman, Alanson T. Kinney, C. Clayton Johnson, Daniel F. Rich, Alonzo S. Upson, Rose B. Carpenter, Neil E. Hanna.

CALHOUN.

James A. Courtright, William H. Brockway, Henry N. McCormick, Hiland H. Garfield, Thomas S. Dorsey, Ilona M. Fitzgerald, Edson Treadwell, Francis A. Stace, Isaac M. Flint, jr., Henry H. Brown, Charles E. Thomas, William H. Fonda, Jerome F. Culp, James M. Gifford, William J. Dibble, Albert Andrus, Charles E. Gill.

CASS.

L. Burget Desvoignes, Freeman J. Atwell, Joel Cowgill, John B. Harmon, George B. Turner, Thomas L. Blakely, C. M. Dennis.

CHARLEVOIX.

F. E. Boosinger, Oscar F. Wisner, Hugh R. Miller, George B. Martin, Fred. Bossinger, Harlan P. Barbour.

CHEBOYGAN.

Samuel H. Taylor, Philo E. Hackett.

CHIPPEWA.

John C. Calhain, Robert N. Adams, Gill G. Scranton, Sidney B. Wight, William E. Johnson, Henry S. Hunter.

CLARE.

Samuel F. Fine, Wallace L. Lyons, E. D. Wheaton, Wallace W. Weatherwax, Henry K. Wickham, Albert L. Flewelling, Elias E. Austin, George J. Cummins, Frank B. Wilson, George Gallup.

CLINTON.

Jacob F. Shraft, John B. Howe, Robert Anderson, Sylvanus Bachelder, A. Warren Scoville, Edward Brown, Joshua Brown, Adoniram J. Smith, M. W. Dunham, Levi W. Baldwin, E. Eugene Moss.

CRAWFORD.

John Staley.

EATON.

Parm S. DeGraff, Andrew W. Moon, John C. Nichols, Albert P. Vanauken, Charles Nixon, George D. Wilcox, Edward S. Lacey, David G. Kennedy, Peter Kauffman, Jesse T. Fouts, Joseph L. Wagoner.

EMMET.

Benjamin Keway, John S. Shurtleff, Henry C. Wilde.

GENESEE.

James L. Curry, Robbins Jones, Zorrie House, Timothy B. Case, Charles Lovejoy, Clarence Tinker, John Berry, Charles H. May, Stephen Mathewson, Peter Lennon, Elmer E. Harris, Charles E. McAlester, Wm. Moore, Thomas C. Hughes, Francis H. Rankin, Rachel J. Davison, George Packard, Albert E. Ransom, Walter W. Millard, William H. Putnam, Dexter Horton, Wm. E. Martin, John H. Hicok, Joseph W. Stockwell, Howard B. Latourette, Charles H. Wisner, Charles H. Johnson, William R. Alger.

GLADWIN.

Horace D. Scrafford, Wilber W. Steele, Frank L. Prindle.

GRAND TRAVERSE.

James L. Gibbs, B. C. Bonnell, E. H. Foster, Thomas W. Browne, J. M. Thomas, Myron S. Brownson, James B. Lancaster, Charles E. Silver, Charles E. Lockwood, Oscar P. Carver, Reuben Hatch.

GRATIOT.

Wm. E. Winton, John H. Winton, J. Lee Potts, Willard D. Tucker, Gilbert C. Smith, Isaac S. Seaver, John D. Spinney, Gideon S. Case, Rollin S. Case.

HILLSDALE.

Thomas J. Lowery, Lewis S. Walworth, Frank W. Barber, John F. Fitzsimmons, Melborne J. Davis, Corvis M. Barre, Daniel H. Mills, Dorr Phillips, Solomon W. Yeagley, Myron W. Comstock, Floyd J. Wilson, Eli B. Rogers, William H. Tallman, Casey W. Dunton, George Kinney.

HOUGHTON.

J. L. Nankerois, John S. Dymock, Fred. MacKenzie, Thomas D. Meads, Henry L. Baer.

HURON.

Charles S. McKee, John D. Weeks, Luke S. Johnson, Wallace W. Browne, Richard Smith, George F. Hazen, James H. Armlin, Frank W. Hubbard, Harry H. Simpson, Robert Munford, Eustus Kolb, John W. Shine, William C. Williamson, Andrew J. Lynd, Joseph H. Clark.

INGHAM.

William Van Buren, Charles F. Hammond, Ebenezer Walker, Cornelius A. Gower, Henry N. Lawrence, Lucien Reed, Cyrus Alsdorf, John Ferguson, David Howell, Lucius E. Hawley, Charles J. Rayner, Alexander Cameron, Ed. F. Woodcock, Benjamin F. Davis, Pomeroy Van Riper, Henry S. Hatch, Edward N. Morrison, Russell C. Ostrander, John Jordan, Charles D. Cowles.

IONIA.

Ethan T. Montgomery, Ernest C. Howe, Burgess B. Robinson, Larmen B. Townsend, James C. Percival, John T. Loomis, Charles H. Mercer, Stephen M. Mitchell, W. J. Tabor, Luke W. Cook, C. Oscar Thompson, Charles W. French, John Morton, W. H. Howard, U. V. Staley.

IOSCO.

James E. Forrest, Robert White, James E. Dillon, Greeley Hill, H. Clay King, Lyman B. Smith.

ISABELLA.

Hamlin J. Ward, Henry H. Graves, Herbert A. Sanford, Mary Cutter, James Hogan.

JACKSON.

William Brown, Harmon H. Ford, Josephine M. Bacon, Francis M. Ellison, J. Delos Jewell, John G. Mundy, Zenas B. Platt, Almerin M. Tinker, Benjamin Porter, Nathan C. Lowe, John Farrell, John F. Forwood, Peter B. Hoyt, Francis G. Fifield, James A. Parkinson, Friend Maxon, John A. Hall, George M. Devlin, Charles J. Comstock, Addison B. Robinson, George W. Kennedy, Henry E. Edwards, Johnathan P. Hinshaw, Hiel Woodward, James R. Hilton, Grove H. Walcott, Hollis F. Knapp, Orville Gorton, David J. Riley, John DeLamater, Walter B. Webb, Alonzo F. Smith.

KALAMAZOO.

Ralph E. Krumm, Henry Labbitt, Elbert S. Roos, Holland Simmons, David C. Hoedemaker, Frank E. Knappen, Dennison E. Groesbeck, Fred H. Brittain, C. G. Townsend, Albert Little, W. F. Sherman, William A. Luby, Robert F. Judson, William H. McCourtie.

KALKASKA.

William C. Hewitt, William Richardson.

KENT.

Joseph K. Fairchild, Andrew Beyer, Somers A. Pelton, Lucian B. Lull, Eugene E. Winsor, Samuel S. Chipman, Henry A. Hydorn, Edward G. Raymond. James D. Ellinwood, Charles Blass, John J. Reinshagen, Andrew J. Reeves. John Sehler, Arthur Seymour, Fred S. Clark, Sherman C. Prindle, Egbert C. Shay, George H. Gildersleeve, Charles N. Armstrong, Orren Raynor, Dewitt C. Underwood.

LAKE.

Albert J. Campbell.

LAPEER.

William O. Bates, Clark E. Bates, John L. Donaldson, John Hevener, Wm. M. Smith, Effie Palmer, John J. Lamb, Walter B. Churchill, Asahel Bryan, Charles W. Stiver, W. H. Bailey.

LEENANAW.

Francis S. Blackman, John Heuss.

LENAWEE.

Arthur D. Gilmore, E. Leroy Mills, Frank E. Cawley, Charles L. Davis, James E. Gibbs, William P. Straight, Selah H. Raymond, Thomas G. Chandler, Eloise M. Bliss, Josie Smith, Walter E. Burridge, James R. Gilkey, Almond L. Bliss, Japeth Cross, John D. Templeton, Channing Whitney, Levi Vanderburg, O. H. Alger, S. C. Stacy, Wm. DeMott, Isaac N. Pilbeam.

LIVINGSTON.

LaFayette Peet, William Harper.

MACKINAC.

Thomas Chambers, Wm. A. Burt.

MACOMB.

James M. Rowley, Sanford M. Stone, S. J. Heath, W. B. Shattuck.

MANISTEE.

Robert R. Blacker, Philip W. Niskern, Richard Hoffman, C. D. Stanley.

MARQUETTE.

Alice Damp.

MASON.

Ora J. Graves, Martin B. Payne, J. Edwin Smith, John J. Gilding.

MECOSTA.

Walter S. Howd, Douglas Roben, Frank R. Fowler, Edson A. Darling, Peter G. Koch, Bion Wixson.

MENOMINEE.

Byron S. Waite, Hugh McLaughlin, George H. Hagerson, Alva L. Sawyer, Michael H. Kern, John Sturrock, William A. Andrew, Franklin H. Brown, H. P. Hendricks, Fabian J. Trudell, Andrew G. Nesbitt.

MIDLAND.

James W. Cochrane, Charles A. Webster, Benjamin F. Bradley, William Davidson, William D. Gordon, Willard A. Huyck, Dyer W. Hitchcock, Charles L. Jenney, Thomas Moore, George Patrick, Fred. T. Reed, Peter L. Tremper, Edward Corselius, Ira Fales, Samuel D. Gaskill, Leona C. Hitchcock, George F. Hemingway, James V. Lownsbury, Thomas B. Main, Geo. W. O'Donnell, Edward P. Rice, William D. Marsh, Thomas Moor, George Cayford, Joseph C. Townsend, George Miller.

MISSAUKKEE.

Howard Owens, Abraham Stout, George B. Howe.

MONROE.

Harry A. Lockwood, David Reed, John P. Jaminet, Charles Loll, Josiah Hall, Simeon Van Akin, James H. Gage, Edgar W. Mead, Maurice Weill, George C. Sayre.

MONTCALM.

James G. McGorry, M. Clement Palmer, William R. Beardsley, Octavius Skey, Charles L. Hecox, Wellington G. Clark, William E. Hoyt, Henry M. Caukin, John A. Barry, Edward Sadler.

MUSKEGON.

George H. Jacks, Charles L. Gunn, Ernest A. Worden, James B. Lee, Clyde W. Cunningham, Thomas Hume, William A. Murray.

NEWAYGO.

Orin L. Ray, Horace Warren, James A. Tyler, James R. Odell, George H. Brown, James E. Sharp, Smith D. Witherell, Hollis T. Reed, John F. A. Raider, James O. Willsie, Laura J. Willsie, Seth S. Watrous, Daniel E. Soper, John H. Simmons.

OAKLAND.

George M. Woolman, William F. Bingham, Roswell Burt, George D. Woodman, David Hoburt, Charles Kingsley, James Crawford, Edward D. Howell, Edwin A. Botsford, James H. Harger, Isaac S. Kitchen, George W. Smith, Theodore Hallister, Albe A. Lull, James S. Bradford, Clark B. Turner, Almeron S. Matthews, Levi B. Taft, George O. Kinsman, Andrew Sutherland, Homer J. Pelton, John W. Anderson, O. E. Bell, Edwin F. Delano, Paine Chappel.

OSCEOLA.

Cassius M. Beardsley, Alfred O. Temple, William E. Bellows, William H. Williams, John H. Aner, William G. Fleischhauer, Marcus A. Laffer, Irwin Chase, John C. Creath, Charles F. Stout, John H. Belcher.

OSCODA.

James Fockler.

OTSEGO.

W. H. H. Cooper, Henry Whiteley, Cassius D. McEwen, George Skelton.

OTTAWA.

George W. Watrous, Moses Barrett Hopkins.

PRESQUE ISLE.

Joseph Smith, William Schmidt.

ROSCOMMON.

Joseph O. Dildine.

SAGINAW.

James G. Harris, Edwin F. Saunders, James J. E. Johnstone, Charles L. Boyd, Arthur F. Lewis, Dewitt C. Gage, William S. Pennant, William G. Emerick, F. I. Curtis, Addison T. Brown, John A. Combs, Wm. F. Denfeld, William J. Smith, Charles L. Boyd, Thomas Gage, Elmer S. Crawford, Albert H. Comstock, Rufus Z. Smith, Frank McNally, James C. McNally, Gilbert G. Laird, Peter C. Andre, Barton Griffin, Jenner E. Morse, Frank A. Goodman, Jacob Schwartz, Charles B. Tefft, Frank E. Baker, Sheldon Rinehart, Samuel S. Carson, George H. Maurer, William T. Otis, Joseph W. Budd, John S. Goldie, James H. Malcolm, William S. Mills, George W. Burnham, William A. Donaldson, Duane Osburn, William M. Tennant, James Green, Edward Ziegner.

SANTILAC.

William Olothier, Charles J. French, Moses Burns, jr., Dillis P. Morse, James S. Kennefick, J. E. Hull, Nicholas P. Houghtalin, John J. Shields, John H. Murdaugh.

SCHOOLCRAFT.

John D. Mersereau.

SHIAWASSEE.

Gilman J. McClintock, William C. Hume, Homer E. Dean, Egbert M. Miller, Edmund O. Dewey, Edward Allen, Jane A. Church, Ebenezer Gould.

ST. CLAIR.

James Brown, John H. Hydorn, James J. Boyce, Edward J. Rodgers, Garrison E. Smith, Frank Hart, George P. Voorheis, T. J. Millikin, Frank Hubbard, Fred C. Blood, Albert Sheppard, Calvin A. Blood, E. S. Post,

John G. Cobb, Patrick H. Phillips, John W. Gustin, Geo. A. Ashpole, Fred C. Adams, John Fitzpatrick, Lorew A. Sherman, Franklin Moore, Joseph G. Carman, Alexander A. Rose, Merritt Sperry.

ST. JOSEPH.

George E. Royce, Marie E. Coffinbury, Charles J. Slover, Samuel R. Robinson, Gersham C. Doane, Norman G. Cooper, Olivia K. S. Leland, Albert C. Titus, Jay J. Stanton, Harry A. Clapp, Isaac Howard.

TUSCOLA.

Cassius M. Hazen, Sylvester J. Smith, William N. Covey, Luke H. Corcoran, George W. Sorter, S. R. Markham, Daniel T. Randall, James D. Brooker, James W. Stiner, C. R. Burroughs, Henry G. Sherman, Preston C. Purdy.

VAN BUREN.

Charles H. Butler, Horace M. Olney, Mrs. Anna E. Potter, Edwin N. Rathbun, Harley E. Squier, Varnum H. Dilley, Orrin W. Rowland, Charles M. Morrill, Augustine B. Chase, Nathaniel W. Lewis.

WASHTENAW.

Tisdale I. VanAtta, Elijah W. Morgan, James N. Wallace, William J. Clarke, James H. Morris, Frank Joslyn, Willard B. Smith, Franklin Hinckley, Patrick McKernan, John W. Bennett, Franklin L. Parker, John D. Van Duyn, Merchant H. Goodrich, Henry Gorton, John W. Pathin.

WAYNE.

Henri D. Allison, Charles Norman Ayres, Thomas Doyle, John E. Gainey, Isaac C. V. Wheat, Clarence M. Burton, Gustave F. Behr, Joseph A. Pierson, Elias T. Ingersoll, F. F. Campan, William S. Hosmer, DeWitt H. Taylor, Benjamin F. Stamm, George S. Adams, William H. Traynor, William H. Connor, James H. Connor, Charles B. Hebbard, George E. Pierson, Henry N. Brevoort, Charles F. Backus, Miss Nellie Preston, Benjamin F. Briscoe, Henry M. Reynolds, Wm. Zimmerman, John M. Cody, Wesley A. Green, Adam E. Bloom, John O'Connor, John R. King, Charles E. Swales, James E. Tryon, William L. Carpenter, Charles C. Kellogg, William H. Allison, E. B. Welton, Malcolm C. Marr, Frank I. Curtis, Philip H. Andrews, Cyrus Johnston, Orrin L. Ballard, Thomas McGraw, William T. Dupont, Chas. A. Malcouronne, Edward J. Snover, John R. Knapman, John E. Keating, Elhanon W. Cleveland, Charles A. Begle, John C. Parry, Basil A. Lemke, Victor T. Lemke, William A. Stuart, William T. Weitz, George B. Sheehy, Herman J. VanLeyen, William Farnane, Thomas W. Laidlaw, Alexander P. Quinlan, Peter Wynn, Edward Johnson, John McDuff, Joseph Waltz, William Bonker, Ralph Phelps, jr., John R. King, Dewitt C. Spaulding, George M. Black, John T. R. Brown, Homer O. McGraw, William K. Willis, Charles F. Waterman, Samuel P. Booth, Edward J. McKendree, Frank, F. Williams, William Carson, Allan H. Frazer, Percy D. Dwight, Edward J. Hickey, Jay Fuller, Robert M. Zug, Walter S. Campbell, Mark Sines, James

A. Stevens, Edward N. Lathers, Giles H. Collins, James Jamison, Oscar Schloemann, Frederick W. Whiting, Frank Berriman, Franklin S. Deming, Clarence A. Lightner, Archibald G. Lindsay, Frederick W. Higgins, John E. Meyer, Henry M. Utley, Sumner Collins, John J. Vahey, Carl E. Warner, Overton L. Kinney, Elias H. Sellers, Albert F. Sellers, Joel M. Jones, Wm. V. Moore, Wm. F. Atkinson, Samuel T. Douglas, Edward W. Pendleton, Edward M. Greiner, John C. Rabout.

WEXFORD.

H. S. Huson, Henry C. Foxworthy, Henry Ballou, A. G. Fuller, James E. Henderson, Augustus J. Teed, Neal D. Ford.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate advised and consented to the above nominations without reference to the committee on executive business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,	
Babcock, W. I.,	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,	
Barringer,	Gorman,	Post,	Westgate,	
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	President	
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> ,	
Deyo,	Mayo,	Roof,		22

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On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The executive session closed, the time being 9:30 o'clock.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, February 18, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. Sharp.

The Senate went into executive session at 5:15 o'clock P. M.

Roll called: quorum present.

The President announced the following message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, February 17, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Alfred H. Heaths, of Ionia, to the office of Labor Commissioner for the term of two years from and after the 1st day of March, A. D. 1887.

C. G. LUCE, Governor

The message was referred to the committee on executive business.

By the committee on executive business.

The committee on executive business, to whom was referred the appointment by the Governor of Alfred H. Heath to the office of Labor Commissioner, respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the Senate do advise and concur in said nomination and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending the taking of the vote,

Mr. Sharp moved that the message and nomination be referred to the committee on labor ;

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Edwards the message and nomination were laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The executive closed the time being 5:40 o'clock P. M.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, February 24, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. Willits the Senate went into executive session at 4:40 o'clock P. M. with open doors.

Quorum present.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, February 24, 1887. }

To the Senate :

I hereby nominate the within named persons to the office of notary public for their respective counties.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

ALLEGAN.

Cornelius J. Voorhurst, Samuel A. Hewitt, Stephen S. Stout, Richard B. Newnham, Samuel D. Foster, Henry E. Stanky, James Smith, James E. Lonsbury, S. A. Burch, Franklin Severens.

ALPENA.

George Stubbs, Joseph Cavanagh, Arthur L. Stone, Ery H. Toland, James L. Sanborn, Fred M. Kimball.

ANTRIM.

Jesse F. Waldron, Andrew J. Dole, Garrett V. Nash, Lewis M. Kanagy.

BARRY.

Jason E. Tobias, Lewis Baldwin, Martin V. Barker, Isaac Weeks, James M. Bauer, Chas. W. Jones, Russel K. Stanton, M. C. Woodmansee, Loyal E. Knappen, Belle Throop, Wm. B. Sweezey, Chas. Houghtalin, Clement Smith, E. H. Lathrop, Daniel Strider, John M. Nevins, Geo. Thomas, Andrew F. Sylvester, William Rowley, John F. Goodyear, Cortez P. Pendill, Wm. L. Cobb, David A. Bowker.

BAY.

Lee E. Joslyn, James B. Barber, I. W. Snyder, Bernard Lourim, Carlos P. Wilson, Lucien F. Rose, Thomas A. E. Weadock, Henry F. Emery, Charles Fischer, Seely R. Burchard, Horace B. Mix, George Turner, George Lewis, Edwin M. Parsons, Jacob Knoblauch, George Washington, Charles J. Bonsfield, John Briske, A. L. Stewart.

BENZIE.

Lovette A. Jenne.

BERRIEN.

Geo. S. Clapp, Liberty W. Gibson, John C. Dick, A. A. Worthington, Charles Foster, Harvey N. Sheldon, George Miller, Richard N. Van Natter, Fred. Gerdes, R. M. Shaffer, John T. Beckwith, Thomas Love, Albert L. Drew, Charles D. Wright, John M. Glavin, Ellis S. Shauer, Edwin H. Vincent, George A. Lambert, Albert H. Potter, George H. Richards, James A. Kellogg.

BRANCH.

Elijah C. S. Green, Lorenzo D. Fisk, Abram J. Aldrich, John W. Stearns, Walton J. Barnes, Jerome B. Tift, J. D. Conklin, D. H. Conklin, Leonard F. Humphrey, John H. Jones, George W. Van Aiken, John Murphy, Henry L. Sillick, Milo D. Campbell, Smith Wood.

CALHOUN.

Charles L. Palmer, Myron H. Joy, William H. Wolf, Cholett C. Beach, Frank W. Dunning, Andrew J. Hanna, Alfred A. Ellsworth, Freedom G. Shepard, Albert C. Kingman, Benjamin F. Hinman, Charles H. Hinman, John C. Patterson, O. Scott Clark, Naxon S. Ireland, Noble B. Palmeter, C. Howard Daskam, Charles L. Palmer, C. A. Tift, Albert V. Parks, Chester J. Murray, William W. Snider, S. A. LaDoor, Lena Wells, Chr. Fred. Vogel, Charles H. Raven, Irwin S. Barhite, Herbert E. Winsor, E. C. Groosbeck, Joseph M. Failing, Charles Hutchinson, Louis C. Miller, James M. Parsons, Samuel A. Flint, John Peavey.

CASS.

Charles H. Perry, James F. Haskins, Edgar Walters.

CHEBOYGAN.

Jeremiah McCarthy.

CHIPPEWA.

Charles W. Pickford, Thomas Ryan, George W. Brown, Joan Morrison.

CLINTON.

Charles M. Merrill, Richard C. Davies, Robert E. Davies, Ellsworth Eldredge, Robert Anderson, John G. Patterson, James Haire, Cyrus Sherman, Oliver L. Spaulding, William L. Leeland, William H. Faxon, Samuel S. Walker, Theodore Price, Adolph M. Stamont, William C. Lankton.

CRAWFORD.

Charles E. Hicks, Thaddeus E. Hastings, George W. Love.

EATON.

Fred J. Slayton, William F. Hamlin, Oris W. Gridley, Scott W. Shaul, Nelson O. Merritt, Ira C. Jennings, Byran Culbarson, Hasson A. Love, Adelbert D. Baughman, Abram G. Butler, William Spicer, David M. Hough, Hilan N. Cole, Russel F. Tinkham.

EMMET.

Amos M. Deitz, Titus B. Snyder, Myron C. Ladd, James Buckley, Will E. Hampton, Charles W. Ingalls.

GENESEE.

Wm. J. Speers, Seymour W. Ensign, Wm. F. Clapp, Dwight B. Stone, John Stephens, Wm. Hamilton, Oliver J. Hamilton, Wm. Stevenson, John B. Laing, John H. Whalon, Thomas Monroe, John H. Slaght, Wm. A. Miller, Henry W. Zimmerman, F. Karrer, Henry C. Van Atta, Robert Carent, David Schram, D. D. Howell, A. P. Gale.

GLADWIN.

Francis Burket, Isaac Hannah, Eugene Foster.

GRAND TRAVERSE.

Edwin S. Pratt, Dorr B. Titus, Thomas T. Bates, Reubin Goodrich.

GRATIOT.

R. W. Maxam, C. O. Trask, O. F. Jackson, Benton H. Scovill, Arthur R. Garbutt, James L. Clark, J. H. Seaver, David Duncan, J. A. Crandall, Norman H. Wells, D. C. Johnson, E. L. Walbridge, Almon Yerington, George D. Reeves, Benjamin F. Pease, S. J. Haring, Silas Moody.

HILLSDALE.

Bert M. Nutton, Emmet C. Mason, Millard F. Lamb, Arthur L. Gurnsey, Robert A. Weir, Alfonzo Shafer, William G. Whitney.

HOUGHTON.

Jeremiah T. Finnegan.

HURON.

John J. Creighton, Bela W. Jenks, Marton Conaton, Ira O. Trumbull, Elbridge F. Bacon, Jacob Spruss, Bradford Slack, Richard Winsor, Seymour Worden, John Cary, Charles S. Nims, Daniel H. Ludington, Fred. H. Stafford, L. Dow Griffin, Robert Phelps, William T. Bartley, James M. Skinner, Carl Heisterman.

INGHAM.

James B. Judson, Washington G. Wiley, Nathan Judson, Henry D. Jones, John J. Bush, Peter Lowe, Oliver M. Hill, Charles R. Brown, George M. Huntington, Marcus M. Atwood, Selah H. Worden, Daniel L. Crossman, Charles M. Hilliard, C. M. Rice, Oscar A. Clark, Edy Baker, Wm. H. Pinckney, Wm. H. McKale, William W. Osborn, Ira E. Randall, Origen D. Hardy, Amos A. King, Edgar Z. Strong, T. Ohlinger, George A. Earl, James M. Whallon, Masar D. Chatterton, Eva C. Darling, William D. Longyear, Charles C. Fitch, John W. Whallon, Quincy A. Smith, Edwin A. Smith, Patrick H. Dolan, John B. Dakin, Charles J. Davis, George M. Dayton, R. P. Dayton, William Donovan, Lee S. Cobb, H. Crawford, John I. Christopher, Geo. C. Cooper, S. Lee Cook, D. P. Whitmore, Frank T. Hoyt, Elliott H. Augell, Henry Freeman, Frank A. Cross, C. M. Gilbert, Amos T. Gunn, M. J. Goss, Alfred J. Holley, Schuyler S. Olds, E. D. Lewis, R. G. C. Knight, James H. Irish, Lucius H. Ives, Edwin R. Hawley, Edward W. Sparrow, Andrew Silverhorn, G. Edwin States, John R. Rush, H. D. Pugh, Miner E. Park, Albert R. Pratt, George W. Bristol, Frank L. Dodge, John F. Crotty.

IONIA.

Palmer H. Taylor, Laurentius B. Soule, Frederick S. Hutchinson, Philo D. Outler, Benjamin R. Covert, Clarence B. Wardle, William Hixson, George W. Cadwell, Walter Freman Ross, William A. Luther, Robert M. Wilson, Frederick Graff, Thomas Mells, Joseph S. Preston, Wallace R. Freeman, William K. Clute, John Nichol, James B. Post, Walter D. Arnold, Isaac Talcott.

IOSCO.

Henry O. Nightengale, Henry Hanson, Elmer G. Rix, Charles R. Henry, Joseph H. Schmeck, Ezra Smith.

ISABELLA.

Henry V. Darling, William Mills, Frederick Speck, Thomas Costello, Henry E. Ward.

JACKSON.

John B. King, Nathan G. King, Robt. T. McNaughton, Jas. W. Blakely, Lucy S. Potter, Edward W. Barber, John Holcroft, Charles P. Hunt, George

S. Bennett, Gilbert R. Byrne, William M. Thompson, Benjamin F. Wilcox, Eugene Pringle, Edwin B. Parks, Charles E. McLean, Marvin Myers, John R. Moffett, Solomon Musliner, Daniel B. Hibbard, jr., George W. Austin, Edward D. Knowles, Henry Austin, Robert E. Williams, William L. Seaton, James Coulston.

KALAMAZOO.

Henry I. Allen, Henry W. Bush, A. J. Burrell, Chas. H. Pickark, W. W. Baldwin, Gilbert E. Read, Lorenzo Bixby, Frank C. Balch, Chas. W. Jones, D. L. Johnson, Clark A. Lawrence, Arthur Strong, Charles L. Cobb, Horace Brownell, Julius M. Hutchinson, Theodore Merrill, Peter Backaloo.

KALKASKA.

Ambrose W. Jones, James W. Mosher, John A. P. Mason.

KENT.

Charles D. Stebbins, Albert T. Kellogg, Luella Gainwell, John W. Holcomb, Arthur C. Denison, Frank W. Ball, Frederic E. Walbridge, Benjamin F. Washburn, Robert L. Johnson, William F. McKnight, Joel S. Harrison, L. McKnight Sellers.

KEWEENAW.

Charles A. Hanscom.

LAKE.

George A. Reuter, Frank Taylor, Francis Hibner, Robert J. Mathews, Ernest Nicholason, Alonzo U. Smith, Henry W. Marsh, John F. Stewart, Clara Nicholason, Elmer E. Bleakslee, David A. Cornell.

LAPEER.

Richard Vickery, Richard V. Langdon, J. Bentley, Edmond Brownell, William H. Alcott, C. E. Hatt, J. C. VanBlaricom.

LEELANAW.

Nancy C. Helm, Michael A. Heuss.

LENAWEE.

Henry Finger, Francis Grandy, Welcome V. Fisk, Chas. M. Butler, Seymour Howell, Henry Monagan, Norman B. Carter, Edwin G. Wilson, Daniel D. Balus, Samuel Steel, George McLachlin, William Henderson, Alexander Richards, Joel Carpenter, Ira Swaney, Jonathan W. Burroughs, Charles C. Whitney, William Brown, Solomon B. Hughes, Henry N. King, Emma M. Gilbert, Lorenzo L. Brown.

LIVINGSTON.

Spiradon S. Abbott, Eugene A. Stowe, James T. Eaman, Hiram Hopper, Ira O. Marble, Franklin H. Hendrick, Nicholas Lake, jr.

MACKINAC.

George P. Brown.

MACOMB.

D. M. Heath, John A. Hooker, Franklin P. Monfort, Jacob Miller, George M. Crocker, Paul Ullrich, Edward A. Hime, Geo. W. Robinson, Joseph Chubb, Theodore M. Chubb, Lorenzo G. Sperry, E. J. Salsbury, Adelbert T. Sutton.

MANISTEE.

James R. Lee, Frank L. Fowler, Joseph A. Steine.

MARQUETTE.

Fred. Heffernan, Orrin E. Downing, John F. Armstrong, John Gleason, Charles T. Joslin.

MASON.

Charles T. Sawyer, Grace J. Crawford, Levi Shackelton, Adelbert A. Shaw, Austin D. Bates, Frank P. Dunwell, Fayette Johnson, Emery D. Weimer, Charles M. Stanford, Robert Arnott.

MECOSTA.

Lewis E. Wolcott, James M. Swanger, Charlie Gay, J. Platt Underwood, Calvin W. Nottingham, William O. Lake, Isaac W. Ferris.

MENOMINEE.

Arthur K. Dame, Albert H. Mellen, Daniel H. Lieberthal, George H. Haggerson, George H. Houser, Alfred B. Stryker, Richard O. Flannigan, Norwood Bowers, Alice M. Bowers, Howard E. Thompson.

MIDLAND.

Allen R. McMillan, Bradt Pearsall, James Murphy, John W. Stanford, Frank E. Barbour.

MISSAUKEE.

M. D. Richardson, John Caldwell, George K. Peck.

MONROE.

Henry H. Rauch, Philip Miller, Joseph Francisco, William H. Talcott, Perry E. Palmer, Robert F. Eldredge, Benjamin Dansard, jr., George Itchner, Samuel P. Navarre, Nathaniel Newell, Caroline M. Dunbar, J. Henry Kurz, Thomas D. Adams, Titus Babcock, Albert J. Wilkerson.

MONTCALM.

Emery J. Blanding, E. C. Cummings, John Donelson, I. B. Taylor,

Peleg S. Dodge, A. De Forest Gardner, Martin J. Miner, Wm. A. Quinby, John H. Passage, George Humiston, Lyman C. Moore, Will H. Wood, Joshua H. Noah.

MONTMORENCY.

John E. Mills, Charles H. Meyer, John H. Stevens.

MUSKEGON.

Samuel H. Stevens, Charles C. Thompson, William L. Hammond, John Hulst, Thomas D. Smith, Nellie Conklin, Ferdinand Weller, Robert E. Bunker, Frank Bracelin, Stephen H. Clink, Thomas C. Clark, Nelson DeLong, Chas. L. Dodge, Albert Dickerman, Lewis C. Gilbert, David D. Erwin, Frank W. Hawley, Frank H. Holbrook, Edward D. Haines, H. Dudley Johnston, Roderick J. McDonald, George D. Smith, Christian L. Streng, John Tait, Martin Waalkes, Daniel G. Garnsey, George T. Clark, Paul I. Hedges, Benjamin Whitney, Thomas C. Stinson, Ed. J. Smith, George Dowling, Albert Bolt, Daniel Galintine, Horace L. Delano, William A. Gleed, John T. Ryan, Bola Borgman, John B. King, Nelius Holthe, Joseph F. Hobbes.

NEWAYGO.

James A. Tyler, John H. Simmons, Marshall B. Franklin, Alleck G. Runnels, Charles K. Carter, Oscar W. Price, Henry D. Woodard.

OAKLAND.

Joseph C. Powell, Hiram C. Colvin, Robert J. Lounsbury, James H. Cummings, William Walls, Mark D. Spellar, Joseph Bailey, jr., Humphrey Hickey, P. Dean Warner, Ralph W. Slayton, Frank J. Vowles, Samuel E. Beach, James W. Muthersill, Edwin E. Brewster, Dwight Peeples, Edwin Arms, John H. Smith, Arthur C. Bird, Samuel Martin, Joshua C. Predmore, Kingsley Calkins, William Henry LeRoy, George E. Proper, James Pepper.

OCEANA.

William H. Tuller, Nelson E. Barrows, John P. Ackerson, John F. Widoe, Effie Gardner.

OGEMAW.

Edward A. Hildreth, William A. Weeks, Allan S. Rose, Foster L. Snodgrass, Hiram Hodge, John N. Quigley, Leander A. White.

ONTONAGON.

Burton L. Scanlin, Charles Howds, Norman W. Haire, Henry M. Powers, Benjamin F. Chynoweth, James T. Bond.

OSCEOLA.

Charles H. Holden, Robert H. Allen.

OSCODA.

Alexander Lymburn, Orlin W. Crawford.

OTSEGO.

Charles F. Davis, Adelbert Kirsten, George W. Sickles, H. L. Bonner, Robert Philips.

OTTAWA.

Benton E. Green.

PRESQUE ISLE.

Henry Platz, Thomas E. Shaw, Charles E. Case.

ROSCOMMON.

Eugene Kiely, Stanley W. Turner.

SAGINAW.

Clarence E. Powell, Francis McNally, George Conway, Henry L. Harrison, Joseph D. Wilson, Charles J. Reynick, Bartholomew Griffin, Chas. D. Little, Charles N. Shirreff, Arthur Ross, Daniel W. Mudge, William J. Smith, Chester B. Jones, George J. Little, S. V. Haskell, John S. Egerer, Horace W. Stewart, Thomas L. Runnells, Ansel L. Vaughn, George Davenport, James Davitt, W. J. Moffitt, Manly S. Smith.

SANILAC.

Frederick L. Walther, William S. Moore, John Ryan, John S. Crandell, George Murray.

SCHOOLCRAFT.

Wm. A. Clark, jr.

SHIWASSEE.

Thurston P. Hackelman, Charles S. Williams, Odell Chapman, Benjamin F. Button.

ST. CLAIR.

William B. Morse, Benjamin F. Loomis, David Moore, Thomas Moore, John M. Kane, Samuel Thompson, Julius A. Jones, George S. Granger, Grace E. Lord, Merritt Sperry, John A. Lamb, Cyrus A. Hovey, Frank O. Reynolds, John H. Bartlett, W. E. Leonard, Frank J. Haynes, Charles N. Runnells, John L. Elliott, John M. Gleason, O'Brien O'Donnell, John B. McIlwain, J. H. Merrill, John H. Merrill, W. Cowing, D. G. Finlayson, Eugene J. Schoolcraft, Ed. J. Kendall, John C. Hickey, Darwin Drake, Oscar F. Morse, Henry J. Olney, John Lothian, William Baird, Henry King-ley, William A. Bailey, Linnaeus S. Nobles, Richard Jones, Albert D. Bennett.

ST. JOSEPH.

David Knok, jr., John B. Divine, David S. A. Key, William Sadler, Jonathan S. Flanders, George E. Roys, Marie E. Coffinberry, Gersham P. Doan, Hugh P. Stewart.

TUSCOLA.

Benjamin W. Huston, Frank L. Fales, Pitt Potter, Calvin Stiles, Josiah R. Lewis, Thomas Clyne, Lester M. Sherwood, David E. Cranston, John Paul, Morgan B. Slafter.

VAN BUREN.

George F. Collett, Fred. E. Packard, Theodore B. Randall.

WASHTENAW.

J. W. Knight, Michael J. Lehman, William F. Hatch, Edward Gorman, John Clark, Hudson T. Morton, William Dansingburg, Albert M. Clark, E. W. Childs, Marcus S. Cook, Charles H. Greenman, Christian Mack, William R. Price, Ralph C. McAllaster.

WAYNE.

Edward C. D. Clark, George F. Beasley, F. B. Wemple, Charles F. Pel-
tier, Herbert A. Wright, William J. Shields, Gersham H. Waldo, Christo-
pher H. Wilson, Henry Beottcher, Eugene S. Clarkson, Albert H. Wilkin-
son, Alex. T. Hurst, G. H. Stalker, Fred. A. Robinson, John S. Tyler, Asa
B. Sears, Peter Sorensen, Lewis F. Margah, Wm. B. Hayes, George H. Wood-
ruff, James C. McCaul, Frank A. Rasch, DeForest Paine, Joseph T. Lowry,
Peter Ahlberg, George T. Abrey, Cornelius W. Britt, W. H. Irvine, F. A.
Blades, Edward D. King, James E. Albee, W. B. Rice, Arba W. Seymour,
Robert Young, Francis E. Rankin, Harvey C. Beeson, Henry S. Mahon,
Henry S. Ames, Benjamin S. Warren, Levi J. Fick, Ame P. T. Beniteau,
Charles E. Jenkins, John R. Stirling, Jefferson M. Thurber, John N. Bag-
ley, W. A. Eldredge, Maurice J. Keating, Lucius W. Frazer, M. A. Gustin,
Alvah G. Pitts, Stephen Martin, A. A. MacDairmid, Frederick C. Mathews,
James M. Kinney, John W. Betzing, Frank Hesse, Charles Kudner, William
F. Moore, David J. Evans, John A. Worcester, William F. McCorkle, Jno.
Goring, George R. Shaw, Lorenzo N. Clark, George Dingwall, Bert C. Wil-
der, George W. Moore, J. P. Reed, Joseph Waltz, Joseph A. Pierson, Wil-
liam B. Rice, Joseph Pulte, Martha Strickland, Edmind J. Bolio, Overton L.
Kinny, Walter A. Newberry, Anthony Seifert, John E. Meyer, John E. Hyde,
John Calalan, Jonathan S. Pierce, Edwin Stanton Sherrill, Alexander G.
Comstock, Wm. J. Craig, Louis F. Dillmann, Joseph J. Dederich, Peter De-
derich's, jr., George A. Sheley, William L. Carlisle, Henry M. Fechheimer,
Thomas F. Hancock, James Dunn, John Shanahan, T. F. Hancock, William
P. Lane, John McGarry, William H. Hellings, Homer A. Flint, Edwin C.
Hinsdale, Charles Flowers, Chris. Amman, jr., Thomas J. Griffin, Andrew
W. Kelley, Daniel A. Delaney, John H. Leys, John Strigel, Andrew Forbes,
Charles W. Hockett, Isaac S. Filer, Edmund Joncas, William C. Stoepel,
Peter Glowczewski, Emil Pfeiffer, Charles R. Baggs, Seth E. Engle, Henry
Watt, George L. Reno.

WEXFORD.

Charles E. Cooper, Donald E. McIntyre, Louis R. Bishop.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The nominations were confirmed, without reference to the committee on executive business.

The Senate then advised and consented to the above nominations, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J.W.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Sharp,
Babcock, W.I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Roof,	President
Deyo,	Hubbell,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 30

NAYS.

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On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The nomination of Alfred H. Heath as Labor Commissioner was taken from the table.

Mr. Sharp moved that the galleries be cleared and the doors closed.

Which motion did not prevail.

After some discussion,

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,

The galleries were cleared and the doors closed.

The Senate then advised and consented to the nomination of Alfred H. Heath as Labor Commissioner, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Edwards,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J.W.,	Fox,	Mayo,	Sharp,
Babcock, W.I.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Stark,
Barringer,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 31

NAYS.

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On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The executive session closed, the time being 5:55 o'clock P. M.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, Mich., March 3, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. Edwards,
The Senate went into executive session at 5:15 o'clock P. M.
The President *pro tem.* announced the following message:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, March 2, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I do hereby nominate as members of the Board of Managers of the Michigan Soldiers' Home, Michael Brown, of Big Rapids, and James A. Crozer, of Menominee, for the term of six years from and after the 1st day of March, 1887, and Russel A. Alger, of Detroit, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Byron R. Price, of Grand Rapids, and whose term of office will commence April 1, 1887, and end March 1, 1889.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was referred to the committee on executive business.

By the committee on executive business.

The committee on executive business, to whom was referred the nominations of Michael Brown, James A. Crozier and Russel A. Alger as members of the Board of Managers of the Michigan Soldiers' Home, respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the Senate do advise and consent thereto and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and the committee discharged.

The Senate then confirmed the foregoing nominations, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Barringer,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Mayo,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 26
Edwards,	Moon,	Seymour,	

NAYS.

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On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The executive session closed, the time being 5.25 o'clock P. M.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 20, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. Sharp,

The Senate went into executive session at 5.45 o'clock P. M.

Quorum present.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following message:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, March 17, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate the within named persons to the office of notary public for their respective counties.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

ALCONA.

Louis L. Fiske, Simeon J. McNally, Frank Dodge.

ALLEGAN.

Francis C. Tanner, John Hendges, Marshall Bugden, Henry E. Stanley, S. A. Buck, Milton Chase, Asa W. Blackmond, Joseph M. Gordon, Seralpha A. Buck, Royal L. Taylor.

ALPENA.

Walcott Lawrence, Seth A. L. Warner, David Bruno.

ANTRIM.

Charles Durkee, William C. Lewis, Reuben W. Coy, Robert R. Wilkinson.

ARENAC.

James J. Decker, S. E. Hayes.

BARRY.

James N. Collister, L. E. Stauffer, Theodore C. Downing, Irving L. Cressy, James N. Covert.

BAY.

Fremont J. Tromble, Edwin Van Tuyl, Chauncy H. Shearer, Alexander Culbert, C. Louis Fox, Emil Anneke, Edward Anneke, Nicholas C. Hartingh, Hurdie M. Ready, W. E. Callender, Josiah Timmis, William A. Pettapiece, William A. Beebe, Joseph P. LeRoux, Adoniram J. Stevens, John M. Miller, Edward H. Rankin, Michael McCormick, Thomas D. Campbell, James B. Shearer, John Drake, Frank Van Aukin, Samuel F. Wait, Murton E. Town.

BENZIE.

H. T. Davidson, Richard B. Reynolds, John H. Woodward.

BERRIEN.

William H. Sinclair, James B. Crosby, Alvin Morley, Marshall C. Franer, Isaac Hathaway, David S. Evens, Norman E. Landon, Ambrose F. Morley, Thomas M. Terry, Andrew J. Kidd, Joseph W. Brewer, Edward S. Curran, Montgomery Shepard, William R. Rough, William S. Munroe, Fred L. Reeves, David H. Patterson, Fred F. King.

BRANCH.

Henry H. Barlow, Benjamin F. Wheat, George W. Stearns, Willis H. Osborn, Frank L. Kern, Henry C. Clark, Luther S. Wright, Frank A. Lyon, Angelo R. Bonney, Samuel W. Dickinson.

CALHOUN.

Chr. Fred Vogel, Eli S. Walker, Samuel E. Daigman, Anna M. Remmel, William J. Smith, William C. Dumphry, George B. Canney, James M. Moses, Alfred S. Swift.

CASS.

Benjamin F. Higgins, Carl Gerding, Deodatus W. Hurd, J. Manning, C. M. Dennis, Joseph Thompson.

CHARLEVOIX.

Orlando Blair, William J. Pearson, John F. Fairchild, Benjamin Weaver, Roscoe L. Corbett, Charles A. Reinhart, Garrett V. Nash, Walter P. Brown, Homer H. Miller, Robert A. Miller, Joseph S. Dixon, Fred J. Meach, Judge W. Barnes, Amelia C. Dittmer, Enoch K. Robinson.

CHEBOYGAN.

Thomas D. James, George G. Wharton.

CHIPPEWA.

Charles McCall, Horace M. Oren, Edwin J. Pink, Jay W. Sutton, George A. Cady.

CLARE.

Egbert W. Chapin, Arthur W. McIntyre, William Giberson.

CLINTON.

Will H. Brunson, William A. Abel, George A. Steel.

CRAWFORD.

Charles W. Wast.

EATON.

Belle M. Perry, A. M. Barber.

EMMET.

Henry H. Parr, Rollin C. Dart, John Wachtel.

GENESEE.

Hattie M. Sayer, David J. Ballantyne, Mark W. Stevens, Geo. M. Sayler, J. P. Burroughs, Rodney Lyman, Luman L. Fuller, John N. Welch, John J. Carton, Everett L. Bray.

GRAND TRAVERSE.

Sara Steffire.

GRATIOT.

Frank E. Salisbury, James A. Wheeler, James B. Curtis.

HILLSDALE.

Spencer D. Bishopp, Charles H. Levens, James Beattie, Thomas A. Hanvey, T. S. Barnes, J. W. Lewis, John Q. Adams, Seth D. McNeal, Clarence N. Chapman, William A. Armstrong.

HOUGHTON.

Adolph F. Isler, Edward F. Douglass, John B. Wertin, Ed. F. Cuddihy.

HURON.

William M. Brey, Frank T. Sinclair, Robert Philip, William T. Bartley, Charles A. Burger.

INGHAM.

Roy G. Jones, Ephraim Longyear, E. L. Dana, John A. Carr, James Blackmore, W. T. Coleman.

IONIA.

Frank D. M. Davis, James A. Latta, Horace F. Miner, Oscar Talcott, Frank A. Sessions, Richard C. Stone, Orissa M. Jones, Riley M. Reed, Robert P. McLaughlin.

IOSCO.

Frank Smith, George L. Cornville.

IRON.

C. T. Crandall, Fay G. Clark.

ISABELLA.

Cornelius Bogan, Charles G. Eaton, Charles R. White, Ed. R. Schweier, J. D. McKenna, James M. Hillard.

JACKSON.

Nathaniel B. Hall, Harry R. Hall, Lou J. Burch, Michael Kenney, William H. Curtis, Charles D. Pierce, Charles Heine, Henry D. Griffith, John Tanswell, Samuel Bunker, Jno. E. Winn, Chas. W. Cook, William W. Howe, Edward J. Ryerson, Mabel Jameson, Herbert A. Hodge.

KALAMAZOO.

Thomas R. Savage, William L. Worcester, Hampden Kelsey, Orleans L. Jordan, Volney H. Lockwood, Robert D. McKinley, Emma B. Hull, R. D. McKinney, Geo. E. Curtis, Henry E. Hoyt, George S. Pierson, Lewis S. Burdick, William Shear, A. Sydney Hays, Ira D. Bixby, Albert R. Barnes, William M. Lee, Isaac A. Brown, John Galligan, William S. Montague, James H. Kinnane.

KALKASKA.

James A. Haniot, James M. Flagg, William S. Crooks, Charles E. Ramsey, A. A. Bleazby.

KENT.

Adam B. Sherk, Charles T. Brenner, Isaac M. Weston, Ithiel J. Cilley, Harry C. Chase, William Wisner Taylor, William G. Clark, George H. Davidson, R. A. Weeks, John M. Mathewson.

LAPEER.

E. E. Hemingway, John Barden, Asael B. Weston, Silas B. Gaskill, Andrew Kester, Frank E. Odell, Lysander B. Greenman, William Goddard, John G. Cruce, Jacob B. Decker, Samson R. Wilcox.

LEELANAW.

John Dorrington.

LENAWEE.

Roswell W. Lakins, Harry C. Lardo, Orsamus Lamb, Daniel T. Hall, Wm. E. Burton, John L. O'Mealey, Alexander Easlick, C. S. Ingals, Henry W. Stevens.

LIVINGSTON.

Robert J. Minkley.

MACKINAC.

James McNamara, Charles Conners, Michael Chambers, John R. McLeod, James Reid, William H. Boucha.

MACOMB.

Dewight R. Andrus, Isaac C. Cross, Charles M. Tackles, John Hooker, Thomas M. Crocker, Milton DeWitt Bryce, Charles J. Phillips, John Smith, jr.

MANISTEE.

George L. Hilliker, John H. Grant, Richard W. Smith, Charles C. Young.

MARQUETTE.

W. Foot Hall, George S. Barnes, Peter W. Phelps, E. Storrs Barrows, John M. Edgerton, George R. Persons.

MASON.

Martimer L. Hudson, Charles G. Wing.

MECOSTA.

Peter Koch, Durelle F. Glidden, Fred. A. Mann, Lewis Toan, Charles B. Mosher, George F. Fairman, Frederick W. Lynch, Charles W. Cunningham, Allie Hay, R. B. Hughes.

MENOMINEE.

Herbert M. Pelham, Louis Dobeas, Charles B. Knowlton.

MIDLAND.

James Secor, John C. Sias, Calvin Rich, John W. Stanford, George Rockwell, Oscar D. Gotham, Charles E. Call.

MONROE.

R. Rogers Kirby, Otis A. Critchett, George G. Covell, Michael Gramlich, Gustavus Brandes, William F. Fulcher.

MONTCALM.

Edwin S. Collins, Ophin R. Goodno, Leroy C. Ostrander, Merrick W. Chapin, Albert S. French.

MUSKEGON.

Edward S. Latimer, Edwin Potter, Rasmus Johnson, James A. Robinson, Charles W. Emerson, B. Frank Ray, Frank W. Hawley, Charles H. DePuy, Alonzo E. Kingsley, Clark L. Frazier, Edward Jones, Dan T. Chamberlain.

NEWAYGO.

Daniel L. Weaver, Josiah F. Jessup, Abram Terwilliger, Guy C. Pond.

OAKLAND.

Thaddeus A. Smith, Joseph Reimer, Andrew J. Bickford, Junius Ten Eyck, Sarah A. Button, Charles S. Berridge, Andrew A. Bean, J. H. Holman.

OCEANA.

E. S. Palmiter, John D. S. Hanson, John V. Cahill.

ONTONAGON.

William O. Butler.

OSCEOLA.

J. C. Holden, A. C. Adams, Henry Seymour, William H. Smith, James S. Donley, Joseph W. Ash, William Tuttle.

OSCODA.

Revilo H. Fosdick.

OTTAWA.

Walter I. Lillie, George F. Richardson, Jane Marsilje, Leendert Mulder, G. J. Vanalstine.

PRESQUE ISLE.

Victor C. Burnham.

SAGINAW.

Hugh O. C. Treanor, William W. Burgess, Henry L. Root, John G. Edelman, John A. Edget, John M. Brooks, William H. Winnie, Solomon Gillet, Stewart W. Kennedy, Geo. M. Stevens, B. M. Thompson, James A. Connery, William J. Smith, Abram G. Wall, Myron T. Dodge, Fred. L. Mumford, H. H. Hoyt, John M. Morley, Joseph H. Cowell.

SANILAC.

Archibald C. Graham.

SCHOOLCRAFT.

Frederic J. Hargrave, Wm. F. Riggs, Jerome Bowen.

SHIAWASSEE.

Richard E. Chipman, William H. Putnam, Charles P. Weeden, John M. Fitch, Charles C. DeCamp.

ST. CLAIR.

W. B. Morse, David C. McElroy, Wm. C. Huget, Wm. H. Mitchell, Frank Hoffman, Frank Leonard, Albert H. Cottrell, Geo. C. Solis, John T. Knox, Frederick Garbutt, John P. Hutton, O. M. Stevenson, Edwin S. Petit, Thomas Emery, Wm. L. Thompson, Stephen E. Rider.

ST. JOSEPH.

George W. Osborn, Henry S. Leinbach, George A. B. Cooke, Michael C. O'Dowd.

TUSCOLA.

William A. Clark, George S. Farrar, William Gunnell, John A. Teskey, Anna B. Slaght, Quimby Tappan, Emory D. Cook, J. J. Gies, Levi L. Wixson.

VAN BUREN.

Lyman J. Dane, William W. Smith, Jonathan G. Parkhurst, William H. Longwell, Enoch S. Harvey.

WASHTENAW.

Albert H. Perry, Jacob D. Shults, Edward Clark, Chauncey H. Millen, Wyllis R. Henderson, John S. Henderson, Arthur Brown, Jerome C. Knowlton, Frank Trussell, Henry R. Palmer, Orla B. Taylor.

WAYNE.

John Roney, Sidney D. Miller, Frederick T. Sibley, James W. Price, Isaac S. Filer, George B. Fitch, Asa H. Willmarth, Herschel Whitaker, Henry C. Christianity, Joseph Waltz, William Bouker, Jacob E. Baker, Bernard Youngblood, E. B. Youngblood, William P. Langley, George A. Corwin, Anthony Schulte, Thos. F. Halloran, John J. Perren, Jno. Austin, Charles R. Baker, Lucius H. Collins, James O'Brien, Henry E. Palmer, Frank X. Lingemann, Godfrey J. Lochbihler, Hugh McCarron, Joseph B. Moore, Frank Forbes, James G. Miller, Newell S. Wright, Charles H. Fisk, William Wiley, James H. McDonald, Harry E. Palmer, Rufus H. Tenny, George Sieder, Ferdinand J. Berschbach, James Playford, Ransom Plumstead, Fred. E. Farnsworth, John B. Bracht, Richard Rice, Aug. F. Doelts, John O'Neil, Patrick M. Kinsella, John D. Cothairn, Henry M. Duffield, Patrick Fitzsimmons, Francis A. Thomas, Benjamin F. Geiger, William C. Chapman, James M. Welch, James D. Carter, Fred. J. Watson, Alexander E. Riopelle, Anthony Look, Edward T. Hance, John A. Kengel, James A. Visger, John H. Kerr, Frank H. Butter, Edwin F. Steers, B. Hodgkinson, Frank L. Grant, John G. Dingwall, Chas. Brundage, Edward A. Gott, George Maurice, jr., William Wiley, Henry P. Baldwin 2nd, Fred. B. Porter, William Guenther, Fred. Guenther, Nahum P. Thayer, James M. Welch, John C. Wood, James H. Stone, Adolphe D. Byer, Jacob E. Vreeland, William D. F. Mackintosh, William E. Henze, James M. Jones, A. Daniel Germain.

WEXFORD.

Caleb A. Lamb, George E. Herrick, Harrison M. Dunham, Andrew Carlson, Samuel F. Long, Joseph C. Blake, Massor L. Dunham.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing nominations without reference to the committee on executive business.

The nominations were then confirmed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Deyo,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, W.I.,	Fox,	Laing,	Seymour,
Barringer,	Giddings,	Mayo,	Westgate,
Barton,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Willits,
Campbell,	Harshaw,	Post,	President
Crosby,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

NAYS.

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On motion of Mr. Holbrook,
The executive session closed, the time being 5.55 o'clock P. M.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, April 9, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. Seymour,
The Senate went into executive session at 5:25 o'clock P. M.
Quorum present.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, April 9, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Mrs. Mary E. Cooley, of Ann Arbor, Mich., to the office of member of the Board of Control of the Industrial Home for Girls for the term of six years from and after the first day of April, 1887.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing nomination, without reference to the committee on executive business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.,	Mr. Howell,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Potter,	Sharp,
Edwards,	Laing,	Rairden,	Stark,
Fox,	Mayo,	Roof,	President
Holbrook,	Moon,		<i>pro tem.</i> , 18

NAYS.

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On motion of Mr. Edwards,
The executive session closed, the time being 5:35 o'clock P. M.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, April 15, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. Roof,

The Senate went into executive session at 5.30 o'clock P. M.

Quorum present.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following message:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, April 15, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate the within named persons to the office of notary public for their respective counties.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

ALCONA.

Fred. A. Beede.

ALLEGAN.

Leonard M. Doxey, William C. Walter, Horace C. Beverly, Chancy A. Barnes, William Cross.

ALPENA.

Frank D. Williams, Henry L. Oppenborn, Thomas Collins, Benjamin C. Morse, Casper Alpern, Neil Macdonald, Joseph H. Cobb, Alexander Berryhill, Wm. A. McDonald.

ANTRIM.

Milton W. Newkirk, James R. Child.

ARENAC.

Fletcher E. Carscallan, Lawrence McHugh.

BARAGA.

August Menge, Thomas McGillan.

BARRY.

Eli F. Evans, John H. Dennis, Charles F. Cock, Charles W. Warner, Hartley E. Hendrick, Frank McDerby, Stephen P. Russell, D. W. Reynolds, Andrew J. Thomson, Alvin Maltby, John B. Messimer.

BAY.

John Macdonald, Thomas Bergevin, Morris Westover, William A. Knapp, John C. Rowden, Ernst Frank, Leman L. Culver, Charles Fitzhugh, jr., J. L. Harquell, Louis Goeschel, George H. Shearer, John L. Stoddard, Daniel Mangan, George W. Mann, Henry L. Posker, Dominic McLaughlin, Frank Bushkoski, Ludwik Daniels, Reuben C. Trasker.

BERRIEN.

John A. Eastman, Max Schiele, William H. Smith, Franklin Gowdy, James F. Haskins, L. P. Fox, George S. Clapp, John V. Phillips, L. K. Gould, Charles W. Haskins.

BRANCH.

Joseph H. Montague, Burton S. Howe, Samuel A. Smith, Wm. E. Ware, Fanny B. Rose, Franklin T. Eddy, John S. Evans.

CALHOUN.

W. R. Lewis, Thos. H. Briggs, Joseph S. Noyes, Willet M. Albertson, Dwight Sackett, Morgan G. Beach, Reuben J. Emery, George Perrett, C. F. Collins.

CASS.

Elias Morris, John M. Hoisington, E. H. Jones.

CHARLEVOIX.

Will A. Norton, Elisha H. Shepard, Edward H. Green, Robert A. Miller, Harry Nicholls, Edwin M. Clark, Frank E. Fogg.

CHEBOYGAN.

Alexander McPhee, Christopher J. Brook, Archibald Earl, Samuel L. Keyes, Samuel H. Taylor.

CHIPPEWA.

Thomas J. Martin, Henry S. Hunter, H. D. Johnston, D. Farrand Henry, Wm. F. Purdy, Cassius D. Dowling.

CLARE.

Fred L. Tupper.

CLINTON.

Newell A. Dryer, Alvin Shaver, George A. Wells, William M. Leland, Henry N. Blakeslee, Charles M. Hagadorn, William Collins.

DELTA.

J. F. Mortimer, Harry C. Ellis, Edwin P. Barras.

EATON.

S. W. Harmon, Lucus J. Smith, Amos F. Clafin, Alexander H. Cameron, Charles R. Parmelee.

EMMET.

Drayton D. Whitten, Dougall McKenzie.

GENESEE.

Walter Blackmare, William C. Durant, Marvin L. Seeley, Charles F. DeLand, Geo. H. Durand, Abram C. Harrison, Alfred D. Rundlet, Herbert E. Lamb, Calvin Cartright, Dennis Lyon.

GLADWIN.

Warren T. Johnson, Enoch Robbins.

GRAND TRAVERSE.

James R. Adsit, Malcolm Winnie, Edgar Ormsby, Fred Duell, John Pulcifer, Seth C. Moffatt, W. H. C. Mitchell.

GRATIOT.

Thomas A. Hanney, Geo. P. Stone, Henry W. Sandall, Kelly S. Searl, Henry A. Weiss, Edwin S. Hoskins.

HILLSDALE.

Stanley C. Murry, Herbert A. Chapman.

HURON.

Amos T. Winsor, Frank T. Sinclair, Thomas Kerr, James Green, Peter D. Post, Robert B. Martini, George W. Carpenter, John Kinde, Joseph J. Leszczyński.

INGHAM.

John M. Potter, Alexander Simpson, Charles O. Pratt, Wm. H. Clark, Edward N. White, Daniel Edwards, George L. Spangler.

IONIA.

Newell S. Hitchcock, Oscar N. Jenkins, Will White, jr., Frank R. Chase, Libbie H. Miller, Albert Jackson, Virgie G. Conner, Iris J. Kenyon.

IOSCA.

William F. Whittemore, George S. Darling, Howard M. Belknap, George S. Taylor, Nicholas C. Hartingh, Greene Pack.

IRON.

George M. Buckley.

ISABELLA.

Philip Grewett, Isaac R. Jameson.

JACKSON.

Ralph E. Snow, David E. Haskins, Geo. B. Kellogg, Charles R. Welch, Ben A. Joy, Daniel B. Hibbard, jr., Fred. M. Briggs, Mrs. M. Belle Crowell, Willis D. Casey, Daniel B. Spaulding.

KALAMAZOO.

John M. Lucasse, Geo. H. Phillips, Washington W. Olin, William A. Glover, William E. Cock, Frank H. Olin, M. B. Miller.

KALKASKA.

Henry B. Hawley, John D. Dagle, Michael J. Murphy.

KENT.

Benjamin Holben, William L. Dickenson, Thomas J. O'Brien, William C. Sheppard, Elizabeth Hanna, Henrie M. Sleeper, Alphonzo Button, Wm. H. Marston, Jesse Tompsett, David P. Clay, Charles M. Wilson, Ezra O. Phillips, Stephen S. Hamilton, Carroll S. Hartman, James C. Craig, J. Mason Reynolds, Henry E. Chase, Freeman Lathrop, Charles H. Miller.

LAKE.

Stephen E. Dickens.

LAPEER.

Alfred Burgess, Wm. H. H. Cheasbro, Joseph Manwarring, Geo. H. Cummings, Virtulan Rich, B. M. Snyder.

LEELANAW.

Noel Couturier.

LENAWEE.

Sterry A. Johnson, John E. Bird, Henry C. Retan, O. D. Porter, Lewis S. Wilcox, Herbert M. Temple, Edwin J. Southworth, Solomon B. Hughes, George Whitbock.

LIVINGSTON.

Newberry M. Sweet, Thomas Bigg.

MACKINAC.

Peter W. Hombach, William H. Hombach, George H. Hombach, John J. Thompson, Alex C. Rankin, Louis Pauley, William P. Preston, Eugene J. Lachance, James Gregins.

MACOMB.

George W. Garvin, W. Harry Rutter, George P. Hale.

MANISTEE.

Edward C. Lewis, Chas. W. Babcock.

MARQUETTE.

Jacob Dolf, Young Campbell.

MASON.

Alexander Depeel, Charles E. Resseguie, Wait Wright, Denslow D. Davie, Marvin B. Graves.

MENOMINEE.

Alfred P. Smith, Seth M. Packard.

MIDLAND.

Warren L. Sias, Thomas J. Secor.

MISSAUKEE.

Hiram Schepers.

MONROE.

Lynott Bloodgood, Elam Willard, Norton T. Spaulding, Samuel S. Lapoint, Edward T. Sherwood, James C. Critchett, Porter Eighmy, Elliot O. Grosvenor.

MONTCALM.

Coville G. Mason, Irving Fuller, Myron M. Tryon, Baron Blanchard, Ernest A. Kemp, Ethan J. Clark, C. C. Sayles, Charles R. Culver, A. T. Call, Miss May Summers, Peleg S. Dodge, C. O. Trask, Wm. A. Webber.

MONTMORENOY.

Walter B. Bodey, William Briley.

MUSKEGON.

Max Lange, Leigh B. Smith, Edward B. Dana, William J. Stekettee, Daniel C. Lamereaux, Joseph C. Ford, William L. Ryan, Katie M. Shannock, John S. Burton, George Bolt, George H. Buzzell, Henry H. Terwilliger, George N. Cobb, Albert Norris, Marvin B. Converse.

NEWAYGO.

William S. Utley, Edward Edwards, Andrew C. Peck.

OAKLAND.

Leonard Wolfe, Elliott R. Wilcox, Katie Morrison, John H. O'Brien,

James D. Bateman, Richard W. Bell, Albert E. Seaman, George Ball, Edward E. Brewster, Peter B. Bromley, Enos R. Matthews, Richard Brownson, Benjamin F. Miller.

OCEANA.

Julius J. Patek.

OGEMAW.

Daniel W. Benjamin, Herbert I. Smith.

ONTONAGON.

Lewis D. Mitchell, James M. Haring, Lawrence Collins, Byron N. White.

OSCEOLA.

Dan Youngs.

OTSEGO.

Chester C. Mitchell.

OTTAWA.

Frank Hedges, Benjamin Laubach, John Wasson.

SAGINAW.

Henry K. Gibson, Charles H. Lee, Donelda Bennett, T. Dailey Mower, Gilbert W. Laddie, James A. Connery, William H. Owen, George M. Winkler, Joseph B. Staniford, Chester Brown, John Davin, Benjamin F. Webster, John F. Maher, Maria E. Dunk, Mrs. Susan Cole, Leonard Blakely, William S. Mitts, George G. Laird.

SANILAC.

William H. Eunest, Joseph J. Trickey, Mark Turner.

SCHOOLCRAFT.

Arthur Beebe.

SHIAWASSEE.

George O. Shattuck, John J. Atherton, Winfield Carson.

ST. CLAIR.

A. F. Spencer, Mortimer C. Pomeroy, James R. McGurk, William J. Sweet, George A. Wouch.

ST. JOSEPH.

James H. Fonda, John S. Flanders, Chas. Betts, D. F. Parsons, Joseph E. French, Frank H. Whitney, Charles A. Palmer, Ansel Lamporte.

TUSCOLA.

H. S. Myers, Charles T. Jarvis, Thomas Dayton, Farley Crow, William H. Carson, William M. Rogers.

VAN BUREN.

Charles D. Eaton, Fred G. Dewey, Samuel Ellis, J. S. Tuxbury.

WASHTENAW.

A. W. Hamilton, Watson Barr, Gustave Brehm, Thomas F. Hill, John R. Miner, Elihu B. Pond.

WAYNE.

George W. Radford, H. C. Lamb, Patrick M. Kingsella, Samuel Fichner, James L. Thomson, John Areher, Geo. M. Conner, George E. Thompson, A. H. McDonell, Cory L. Andrews, John Monnig, John A. Goodwillie, Hugh McCarron, Floyd R. Meachem, David Parsons, Edward Johnson, George Wiley, Charles H. Hutchins, Eugene A. Loranger, John L. McCloud, William A. Pettengill, D. G. Riopelle, William H. Trainor, H. B. Joy, Richard H. Hall, John F. Murray, Amandus VonEssen, Charles R. Wardell, Wm. M. Rathbone, Frederick S. Lawrence, George W. Coomer, Frank H. Crawford, George H. Martz, Herbert A. Leshner, Julian G. Dickinson, John S. McPherson, William H. Mechling, Frank A. Early, Isadore Robinson, Howard W. Sterling, Jacob Baumann, Joseph L. Harrington, William R. Rummeler, John B. Ryan, Henry Hanson, B. R. Finlayson, Herman H. Cole, Edward A. Barnes, Whiting S. Crane, Carlton A. Beardsley, William N. Lindsay, Hermann Dey, Albert E. Peppers, Norman Reynolds, David W. Brooks, Henry F. Brownson, William G. Butler, Fred J. Irland, Richard F. Reaume.

WEXFORD.

John H. Wheeler.

GOGEBIC.

Charles F. Button, John T. Scanlin, James S. Monroe, Charles M. Howell, Alex. Strom, Richard C. Chanebenlun, Louis P. Bourguin, Louis M. Goldberg, Geo. F. Kelley, W. W. Warner, Irving A. Bassett, Fred Bennett.

LUCE.

Ambro Bettes, Robert F. Berdie, Sanford N. Dutcher, Robert Tait.

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing nominations without reference to the committee on executive business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Gorman,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Edwards,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Giddings,	Mayo,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 23

NAYS.

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On motion of Mr. Edwards,
The executive session closed, the time being 5.40 o'clock P. M.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, April 23, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. W. I. Babcock,
The Senate met in executive session at 11.45 o'clock A. M.
Quorum present.
The President *pro tem.* announced the following message:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, April 23, 1887. }

To the Senate.

I hereby nominate Daniel B. Ainger, of Charlotte, Michigan, to the office of Adjutant General of the State of Michigan, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of General John Robertson, whose term of office will expire January 1, A. D. 1889.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was referred to the committee on executive business.

By the committee on executive business.

The committee on executive business, to whom was referred the appointment of Daniel B. Ainger to the office of Adjutant General, respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the Senate do advise and consent thereto, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The Senate then confirmed the foregoing nomination, a majority of the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, W. I.	Mr. Harshaw,	Mr. Potter,	Mr. Stark,
Barringer,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	Westgate,
Barton,	Mayo,	Roof,	Willits,
Crosby,	Moon,	Seymour,	President,
Edwards,	O'Reilly,	Sharp,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 21
Giddings,	Palmer,		

NAYS.

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On motion of Mr. Sharp,
The executive session closed, the time being 12 o'clock M.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, May 5, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. Sharp,
The Senate went into executive session at 5.30 o'clock P. M.
Quorum present.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, May 5, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I do hereby nominate as a member of the Board of Control of the Michigan School for the Blind, Hon. Daniel L. Case, of Lansing, for the term of six years from and after the 20th day of June, A. D. 1887.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

The message was referred to the committee on executive business.

By the committee on executive business:

The committee on executive business, to whom was referred the nomination of Daniel L. Case to the office of member of the Board of Control of the Michigan School for the Blind, respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the Senate do advise and consent thereto, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The Senate then confirmed the above nomination, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Mayo,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barringer,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Howell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Hubbell,	Roof,	President
Edwards,	Laing,		<i>pro tem., 30</i>

NAYS.

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On motion of Mr. Edwards,
The executive session closed, the time being 5:25 o'clock P. M.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, May 11, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The Senate went into executive session at 6 o'clock P. M.

Quorum present.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, May 6, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate the within named persons to the office of jury commissioners for the county of Wayne, as follows:

James L. Edson, of the city of Detroit; Levi L. Barbour, of the city of Detroit; David Frey, of the city of Detroit, and Theodore C. Sherwood, of Plymouth, Wayne county, each for the term of six years from the first day of April, 1887.

Lyman A. Brant, of the city of Detroit, for the term of two years from the first day of April, 1887.

Walter H. Coots, of the city of Detroit, and Frank Blaser, of the city of Detroit, each for the term of four years from the first day of April, 1887.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

The message was referred to the committee on executive business.

By the committee on executive business:

The committee on executive business to whom was referred the nomination of James L. Edson, Levi L. Barbour, David Frey, Theodore C. Sherwood, Lyman A. Brant, Walter H. Coots, and Frank Blaser as jury commissioners for the county of Wayne, respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the Senate do advise and consent thereto, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The Senate then confirmed the foregoing nominations, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.	Gorman,	Post,	Westgate,
Barringer,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Campbell,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Laing,	Roof,	President
Deyo,	Moon,	Seymour,	<i>pro tem.,</i>
Edwards,			

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On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The executive session closed, the time being 6:05 o'clock P. M.

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, May 13, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. Roof,

The Senate went into executive session at 5:40 o'clock P. M.

Quorum present.

The temporary President announced the following message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, May 13, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate the within named persons to the office of notaries public for their respective counties.

C. G. LUCE, *Governor.*

ALGER.

John A. Steinlein, Robert G. Elliott.

ALLEGAN.

Harrie Rogers, Joseph Veilkind, Hiram N. Averill.

ALPENA.

Lemuel G. Dafoe, Charles W. Bertch, Charles A. Jeyte.

ARENAC.

Peter M. Angus.

BARAGA.

E. H. Ormsby.

BARRY.

Harry F. Stevens, Marshall L. Cook, Charles H. Bauer, William Rowley, Wm. H. Powers, George Barden, James W. Sacket.

BAY.

John Macdonald, W. M. Drake, Curtis E. Pierce, Freeman D. Adams, Adam C. McIntosh, William M. Kelly.

BENZIE.

Edwin J. Parker.

BERRIEN.

Charles Foster, Charles Hart, Charles D. Wright, Alexander Emery, George H. Richards, John Gogle, Lewis Scofield, Max P. Blakesly, Mary E. Meade, Leonard J. Merchant.

BRANCH

Henry P. Mowry, C. W. Roode, Egbert Nichols, Agnes Gibson, Andrew L. Kinney.

CALHOUN.

Frank R. Amlar, Harvey M. Evans, Wm. D. Wood, Wm. M. Albertson, John E. Foley.

CASS.

Abner R. Byrd, John M. Wright.

CHARLEVOIX.

Edwin A. Lewis, Daniel C. Wood, Archibald Buttars, Andrew D. Cruikshank, Chas. J. Grier.

CHEBOYGAN.

Galusha D. V. Rollo.

CHIPPEWA.

Andrew Jackson, Jeramiah P. O'Brien, Edmund J. Penny, William H. Best, Joel W. McMahon, Frank R. Warner, John C. Shaw, Clement C. Yerkes, Carey W. Dunton, Richard Endress, Chas. Perry Rees.

CLARE.

Friedr. Lange, John W. Dunlop, William Crawford.

CLINTON.

Deboise E. Leonard, Joel H. Cranson, Horace N. Keys, Thomas P. Steadman.

EATON.

Henry L. Biglow, Frank E. Barnes, Perry Trim, Frank E. West, Harry T. McGrath.

EMMET.

Matthew F. Guinon, Jay L. Newberry, Matt J. Erwin, Amos T. Burnett.

GENESEE.

Joseph H. Rankin, Earl E. Walton, Wm. H. Graham, Wm. W. Joyner.

GOGEBIC.

M. M. Riley, Otto E. Karste, Rudolph H. Wendt.

GRAND TRAVERSE.

Henry P. Whipple.

GRATIOT.

L. T. Wright, J. O. Lumsden, T. S. Barnes.

HILLSDALE.

John M. Moreland, Alonzo Hewitt.

HOUGHTON.

Charles M. Miller, James Lisa, Raymond A. Goulet, John Halle.

HURON.

Philip B. Woodworth, Thomas Kerr, George Drury, Simon Hoffman.

INGHAM.

John S. Huston, Thomas W. Hebbard, Richard A. Montgomery, Jay W. Freeman, James A. Park.

IONIA.

Jabez C. Percival, Barnabas D. Galloway, Henry VanHowten, D. Jay Gillam, Bingley R. Fales, Wilber H. Moon, Emory W. Moore, Frank C. Miller, De Elbert A. Reynolds.

IOSCO.

Wm. B. Kelly.

ISABELLA.

Mathew Morrison, Marsena D. Swan, Hugh Leitch, Chas. H. Parker.

JACKSON.

Albert Stiles, George B. Kellogg, D. B. Hibbard, jr., Augustus W. Walfe, Richard L. Head, Sanford Hunt, William S. Culver.

KALAMAZOO.

Volney L. Dibble, Martin Verhage, Lewis C. Starkey, Frank Dudgeon, Chauncey Strong, A. J. Winslow, William Tyler Smith, Amos D. Allen.

KALKASKA.

Cassius M. Phelps.

KENT.

George Clapperton, William F. Shedd, George H. Chappell, Wilbur H. Pardee, Annie E. Hunter, Mary B. Campbell, J. Aldrich Smith, Chas. W. Holden, George Van Nest, Tom W. MacVenn.

LAKE.

Richard Byron, Charles H. Munro, Ralph H. Hallister.

LAPEER.

Wm. S. Abbott, William Sawtell, John P. Ryan, George S. Hutton.

LEELANAW.

Peter C. Goldschmitt.

LENAWEE.

Philip M. Bates, Martin P. Stockwell.

LIVINGSTON.

Stephen A. Crane, Charles J. Glenn.

LUCE.

Joseph Stafford, Millet E. Murney, Sidney B. Wight, Riley H. Fuller.

MACKINAC.

Charles W. Henry.

MACOMB.

Robert F. Eldridge.

MANISTEE.

Desire Reuse, Edward C. Lewis, Thomas Millard, Christian B. Jentoft, Abraham H. Storms.

MASON.

William Metcalf.

MECOSTA.

Chester W. Comstock, Andrew Hanson, Charles F. Barnard, William Creevey.

MENOMINEE.

Luther M. Packard, D. F. Mullins.

MIDLAND.

James V. Lounsbury.

MISSAUKEE.

Herbert M. Weed.

MONROE.

Michael Phelan, John I. Ellis, Thomas A. Digne, Ira D. Boardman, Christian Hobart.

MONTCALM.

John E. Graham, Jay De Forest Pierson, Thomas K. Ward, George S. Wilkinson, Leroy C. Ostrander.

MONTMORENCY.

Wolcott Lawrence Leach.

MUSKEGON.

Albert Waldron, Frank Standish, Charles W. Emerson, James H. Smith.

NEWAYGO.

William D. Fuller, Chancey H. Reynolds, James W. Dunning, Benjamin Candee.

OAKLAND.

Galucia C. Gibbs, Horatio Wright, Albert E. Seaman, Albe Lull.

OCEANA.

Will P. Sackrider, Enoch T. Mugford.

OGEMAW.

Henry W. Diamond, Isaac H. Jones.

OSCODA.

John A. McMahon.

OTTAWA.

Moses B. Hopkins, George Hefferan, Thomas Culligan, Fred D. Voss, Otto Breyman, Henry W. Harrington, Cornelis Ver Seleure, Sidney Stark.

SAGINAW.

Joseph B. Wiggins, Fred W. Plumer, Julian W. Bullock, Charles J. Reynick, Ira O. Alger.

SANILAC.

Alexander A. Ewing, Albert Wickware, George W. McKay, Livingston Foster, Henry W. Pfaff, Asa O. Bisbee.

SHIAWASSEE.

C. C. Rowell, Wm. H. Hunt, Wm. A. Rosenkrans, Wm. A. Royce, John W. Bishop, Elliott V. Smith.

ST. CLAIR.

Charles E. Frink, Ephraim Scott, S. P. Smith, Joseph L. Stevenson, E. G. Stevenson, H. B. Buckridge, Cains H. Saph, Adolph Cohoe.

ST. JOSEPH.

Daniel J. Bingman, W. R. Matthews, James H. Lyon.

TUSCOLA.

Hiram Cobiene.

VAN BUREN.

Jay M. Rowe, Osmer Letson, Harvey J. Edgell.

WASHTENAW.

J. Willard Babbitt, Martillo Warner, J. D. Stevens, George N. B. Renwick, George O. Benton, John J. Whitacre, James H. R. McVicar.

WAYNE.

J. Milton Holbrook, Martin Selak, John B. Serald, Edward Y. Swift, Edward E. Swift, John Galloway, Frederick Barlin, Hugo Boettcher, Walter E. Campbell, Richard Tregaskis, William H. Flynn, William M. Rathbone, Edward P. Conahan, Arthur B. Marks, Wm. H. Kydd, Frank Lark, Seymour N. Gurney, Charles S. Hathaway, John Lunger, Julien Williams, S. S. Seefred, Ed. J. Pierce, E. Jay Hale, Joseph A. German, Walter S. Russel, John Schirman, George R. A. Snelling, Charles B. Howell, Thomas C. Prosser, Ferdinand Amos, James W. Carr, Charles K. Trombly, Theodore S. Trombly, John S. Troester, Theron D. Benham, Christopher Damitio, Edward A. Morris, Mark Sines, George W. Hanrahan, George Maitland, Lizzie A. Dimon, F. Markham Briggs, Walter Schweikart, James Redmond, William W. Kelly, John C. Weber, Wetmore Hunt, Louis D. Wight, Jules Hoffman, John J. McLeod, Alfred R. Worden.

WEXFORD.

Henry Hansen.

The message was referred to the committee on executive business.

By the committee on executive business:

The committee on executive business, to whom was referred numerous nominations by the Governor to the office of notary public, respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the Senate do advise and consent thereto and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman*.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on the adoption of the report,

Mr. Crosby demanded the division as to the nomination of Alfred R. Worden, of Wayne.

The Senate then confirmed the other nominations, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W. Mr. Giddings,
Babcock, W. I. Gorman,
Barringer, Harshaw,
Campbell, Holbrook,
Crosby, Hubbell,
Fox, Laing,

Mr. Monroe,
O'Reilly,
Palmer,
Potter,
Rairden,
Roof,

Mr. Sharp,
Stark,
Westgate,
President
pro tem.,

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The question being on confirming the nomination of Alfred R. Worden, of Wayne,

On motion of Mr. Crosby,

The same was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The executive session closed, the time being 5.50 o'clock P. M.

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, June 14, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate went into executive session at 5.50 o'clock P. M., with open doors.

Quorum present.

The President announced the following message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 14, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Mrs. Mary A. Mayo, of Battle Creek, Mich., as a member of the Board of Control of the Industrial Home for Girls, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. Arthurette S. Fuller, whose term of office will expire April 1, 1889.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

The message was referred to the committee on executive business.

By the committee on executive business.

The committee on executive business, to whom was referred the nomination of Mary A. Mayo as a member of the Board of Control of the Industrial Home for Girls, respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the Senate do advise and consent thereto, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWARD E. EDWARDS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The Senate then confirmed the foregoing nomination, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood	Mr. Fox,	Mr. O'Reilly,	Mr. Seymour,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Palmer,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. L.,	Harshaw,	Post,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Howell,	Potter,	Willits,
Deyo,	Monroe,	Rairden,	Wisner,
Edwards,	Moon,	Roof,	

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On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,
The executive session closed, the time being 6 o'clock P. M.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, June 18, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The Senate went into executive session at 5:05 o'clock P. M.
Quorum present.
The President *pro tem.* announced the following message:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, June 18, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Charles E. Wright, of Marquette, as member of the Board of Control of the Michigan Mining School, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Charles H. Cady, whose term of office will expire June 9, 1889.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The Senate advised and consented to the nomination of Charles E. Wright to the office aforesaid, without reference to the committee on executive business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Babcock, J. W.	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.	Giddings,	Mayo,	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	O'Reilly,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Rairden,	President
Crosby,	Howell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.,</i>
Edwards,	Hubbell,	Seymour,	22

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On motion of Mr. Hubbell,
The executive session closed, the time being 5:10 o'clock P. M.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

On motion of Mr. Sharp,
The Senate went into executive session at 12:50 (midnight.)

Quorum present.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following message:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 23, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate the within named persons to the office respectively designated as follows:

As members of the Advisory Board in the matter of pardons, Edward Cahill and Samuel L. Kilbourne, of Lansing, Michigan, each for the term of four years from and after the 17th day of June, A. D. 1887.

As State Veterinarian, Prof. E. A. A. Grange, of Lansing, Michigan, for the term of two years from the second Tuesday in July, A. D. 1887.

As member of the State Live Stock Sanitary Commission, Thomas Mars, of Berrien Center, for the term of six years from the second Tuesday of July, A. D. 1887.

As members of the Jury Commissioners for the county of Wayne, A. H. Raynor, of Detroit, vice Alanson Sheley, resigned, whose term of office will expire April 1, A. D. 1891, and William F. Abrams, of Detroit, vice Levi L. Barbour, resigned, whose term of office will expire April 1, A. D. 1893.

As member of the Michigan Board of Pharmacy, Jacob Jesson, of Muskegon, for the term of five years from the 31st day of December, A. D. 1887.

As members of the Board of Control of the Michigan Mining School, John Senter of Eagle River, Keweenaw county, Michigan, and Graham Pope, of Houghton, Houghton county, Michigan, each for the term of six years from the 9th day of June, A. D. 1887.

C. G. LUCE,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing nominations, without reference to the committee on executive business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Laing,	Mr. Roof,
Babcock, J. W.,	Giddings,	Moon,	Sharp,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Post,	Willits,
Crosby,	Howell,	Potter,	Wisner,
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Rairden,	President
Edwards,			<i>pro tem.</i> , 29

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The President *pro tem.* also announced the following message:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
Lansing, June 24, 1887. }

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate the within named persons to the office of notary public for their respective counties.

C. G. LUCE, Governor.

ALGER.

Charles H. Schaffer, Charles Johnston.

ALLEGAN.

David L. Hilliard, Albert T. B. Palmer, Charles Neumau.

ALPENA.

James D. Turnbull, Samuel A. Davison.

ANTRIM.

Milton W. Newkirk.

ARENAC.

Mary R. Hoobler.

BARAGA.

Geo. A. Royce.

BARRY.

James W. Godfrey, James Clarke, Richard M. Bates.

BAY.

Adoniram J. Stevens, Frederick Schoof, Lyman E. Noyes, Thomas Bergevin, Henry A. Braddock, Benjamin F. Partridge, James M. Lewis, William O. Clift, Frederick Neumann, Andrew J. Thomson, John McDermott, Archibald McDonell, Henry A. McDonell, Elof L. Johnson, Crawford S. Reilley.

BERRIEN.

Wm. H. Sylvester, George Miller, Herbert L. Potter, J. Herbert Perkins, Henry Martin, John L. Marvin, Monroe N. Lord.

BRANCH.

J. G. Parkhurst, Gideon D. Baggerly, F. M. Rudd, Albert H. Briggs.

CALHOUN.

J. Arthur Eslow, Martin Metcalf, Frederick A. Wheelock, Edson Treadwell, George S. Woolsey, Albert Collins.

CASS.

Edgar Wetherbee, William W. Sweetland.

CHARLEVOIX.

James A. Waggoner.

CHEBOYGAN.

George G. Wharton, Herman Koehler.

CHIPPEWA.

Wm. T. Otis, Charles Supe, Andrew W. Taylor, John A. France, N. C. Morgan, Emmet L. Beach, Samuel F. Bernier, George Martin, jr., William S. Locke, William Stacey, Lawrence F. Bedford, Wm. A. Clark, jr., Chas. Perry Rees.

CLARE.

John Giberson,

CLINTON.

Frank M. Osborn.

CRAWFORD.

Charles W. West.

DELTA.

J. D. Budd, Frank E. Herman.

EATON.

Geo. V. Hildinger, Henry L. Bigelow, Sidney W. Harmon, Justin P. Russell, Wyman W. Staley.

EMMET.

John R. Robinson, Jay L. Newberry, Chas. L. Fraser.

GENESEE.

Charles H. Phillips, James F. Randall, John M. Russell, Geo. Raab, Carlos Packard, Darius E. Smith, Brunson Turner.

GOGEBIC.

John J. Jansen, Aubrey D. Garner, August C. Bins, John B. Weimer, Samuel Roberts.

GRAND TRAVERSE.

Lafayette Dodds, Levi Soule, Henry E. Steward, George L. Roberts.

GRATIOT.

Aaron J. Chambers, E. L. Walbridge, John W. Lewis, George G. Robertson, Nehemiah Lamb, Wm. S. Turck.

HILLSDALE.

Frank I. Brown.

HOUGHTON.

Emil J. Laplante, Charles M. Sherman, Thomas C. Pajot, Joseph S. Webber.

HURON.

Joseph Brackenbury, Marks McLean, Liddie E. Taylor.

INGHAM.

A. M. Dobbelaere, Harry O. Call, Elmer S. Avery, Harry O. Hamill, Scott Waldo, John A. Carr, Alfred J. Halley, Oswald C. Williams, Barton T. Jones.

IONIA.

Zophar Simpson, Wm. O. Webster, Thomas Leak, Samuel D. Pierson, William D. Place.

IOSCO.

John B. McRoberts.

ISABELLA.

Samuel Craft.

JACKSON.

Nathan J. Potter, James T. Snow, Elmer L. Griffin, Chas. E. Bennett, Charles N. Myers, James C. Wood, William E. Lowe, James W. Townsend, Orion F. Crawford, John W. Sharp.

KALAMAZOO.

Adam Haas, I. Nat. Wattles.

KALKASKA.

Alf. G. Drake.

KENT.

Harry J. Skinner, William McCrodan, James W. Long, A. D. Hawley, Joseph W. Welton, Alfred O. Crozier, Anthony Thomas, Albert E. Luton, Nelson Patterson, Hiram R. Ellis, Sylvanus Atherton, Julius M. Jamison, James T. Moloney.

LAKE.

Sherman Pryce.

LAPEER.

F. J. Galbraith, James Black.

LEELANAW.

Howard E. Gill.

LENAWEE.

Fred. Bey, William C. Moran, Luman Gee, Consider A. Stacy, Warren J. Holdridge.

LIVINGSTON.

Albert Riddle, Thomas Gordon, jr.

MACKINAC.

George C. Ketchum, Charles B. Fenton.

MACOMB.

William H. Acker, James K. McFarlin, Frank L. Abbott, Frederick Krauseneck, Judge S. Preston, George P. Hale.

MANISTEE.

C. A. Palmer, James H. Winters.

MARQUETTE.

M. L. Dunham.

MASON.

Jackson D. Harrington, Martin H. Foster.

MECOSTA.

Frank B. Davison, Edward H. Merritt, Charles P. Judson, Joseph H. Kilbourne, Frederick E. Neahn.

MENOMINEE.

John E. Mannering, Benjamin T. Braley.

MONROE.

Benjamin W. Hendricks, Thomas A. Digne, Michael Phelan, Joseph W. Morris, Charles L. Trombley, John Pilbeam, Geo. G. Covell, Burton Parker, Eugene D. Russell.

MONTCALM.

Emery J. Blanding, S. Perry Youngs, George Reed, Joseph R. Dewolf, George E. Smith.

MUSKEGON.

James O'Hara, Daniel J. Moriarty, E. Drusille Ford, James H. Williams.

Samuel H. Stevens, Irving W. Feighner, John W. Brakeman, Frank Bracelin, Lewis M. Miller.

NEWAYGO.

Charles W. Stone, John B. Owen, Byron Joslin, Mary E. Edwards.

OAKLAND.

Aaron Perry, Fred. M. Warner, Herbert A. Pappleton, Charles E. Everts, George E. Proper, Albert Richardson, Sylvester Cole, Edward J. Miller.

OCEANA.

Jesse Harwood, Irving C. Harwood.

OGEMAW.

Henry A. Redman.

ONTONAGON.

Alfred Meads.

OSCEOLA.

Wellington J. Law, Daniel M. Bliss, L. B. Stevens.

OSCODA.

Henry C. Clark.

OTSEGO.

Albert M. Hilton.

OTTAWA.

Arthur Lawing, Charles K. Hoyt, Henry Van Wittenburg, David F. Hutton, Elmira Thayer.

PRESQUE ISLE.

Michael Fitch.

SAGINAW.

Peter Redmond, Frank R. Potter, John H. Doyle, Charles H. Dixson, Stephen V. Haskell, William J. Baker, John A. Spencer, Willis Miller, Burt O. Eldred, John B. Thorn, Hattie O. Elseffer.

SANILAC.

Joseph Mugan, Melville Whittaker, George Wever, Hugh C. Morris.

SHIAWASSEE.

James J. Peacock, Jane A. Church, Warren Woodward, George Cosgrove, George T. Mason.

ST. CLAIR.

John B. McIlwain, Seward L. Merriam, J. Chas. Phillips, G. W. Black, W. W. Hartsen, J. E. Mackey, Carter R. Holden, Frank Ufford, Ed. L. Vincent, George L. Cornell.

ST. JOSEPH.

Bliss N. Stone, Fred. N. Kinney.

TUSCOLA.

Clyde W. Stilson.

VAN BUREN.

Lyman C. Fitch, Arthur C. Runyan, Benjamin K. Howell, Sheridan F. Hill.

WASHTENAW.

Amariah Conklin, Tracy L. Towner, J. N. Wallace, W. J. Clarke, Michael J. Martin.

WAYNE.

John C. Jacob, Howard Benton, Albert H. Wilkinson, Wm. C. Anderson, Lillian M. Hubbard, Daniel A. Delaney, Edgar S. Kiefer, William V. Tyler, Frank Giddey, Geo. Rosenberg, John T. Mott, Walter Henderson, A. W. Cumings, Hugh O'Connor, F. F. Campau, Henry D. Sheldon, William Guenther, Edward Henderson, Michael McLaughlin, William H. Maybury, Clemens Schaurath, John Galloway, William Smith, Lizzie A. Dimon, Theodore F. Crandall, Horace Gray, Arthur Melchers, William H. Kydd, James A. German, Wm. H. Young, John Hynne, jr., Charles A. Mack, Emery T. Wood, James L. Thomson, Patrick Barry, Stephen J. Martin, Durbin Newton, Joseph L. Harrington, Homer J. Wendell, Leonard W. Mitchell, Richard W. Holmes, Alex. Michie, Manasseh Hickey, Henry R. Ziegel, Alfred P. Lyon, Philip H. Andrews, W. H. Warren, Sylvester Larned, Elijah J. Goodell, James S. Dewey, Fremont Woodruff, Edwin Henderson, Whitney I. Smith, George Rosenberg, Frank B. Clark, Herbert L. Baker, Floyd R. Mechem, T. H. Baskerville, Geo. R. A. Snelling, S. E. Lovett, Delos Showerman.

WEXFORD.

John H. Wheeler.

On motion of Mr. J. W. Babcock,

The nominations to the office of notary public were also confirmed without reference to the committee on executive business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

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YEAS.

Mr. Atwood,	Mr. Fox,	Mr. Moon,	Mr. Sharp,
Babcock, J. W.	Giddings,	O'Reilly,	Stark,
Babcock, W. I.,	Gorman,	Palmer,	Westgate,
Barton,	Harshaw,	Post,	Willits,
Campbell,	Holbrook,	Potter,	Wisner,
Crosby,	Howell,	Rairden,	President
Deyo,	Hubbell,	Roof,	<i>pro tem.</i> , 29
Edwards,	Laing,		

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On motion of Mr. Edwards,

The executive session closed, the time being 1:10 o'clock (after midnight).

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, June 29, 1887. }

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct Journal of the Senate in executive session, of the Legislature of the State of Michigan, for the year 1887.

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Secretary of the Senate.

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146. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of hospitals and asylums in cases where valuable grants or emoluments have been made to trustees for such purposes," approved March 20, 1863, by adding thereto a new section, authorizing amendments of articles of incorporation of corporations organized under said acts:	
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147. A bill to amend section 508 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 511 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, as amended by act No. 184 of the session laws of 1883, being an act relative to the election of county auditors for the county of Wayne:	
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150. A bill to amend sections 5, 6 and 12 of act No. 259 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented and vinous liquors, to prohibit the sale of such liquors to minors, to intoxicated persons and to persons in the habit of getting intoxicated, to provide a remedy against persons selling liquors to husbands or children in certain cases, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith:	
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152. A bill authorizing a prosecution for larceny committed in any railroad car while in motion in any county through which said train passes :	
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amended title :	
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153. A bill pertaining to the care, preparation and disposition of the dead, and to insure the better education of funeral directors :	
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154. A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 200 of the session laws of 1885, being an act entitled "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons:"	
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155. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 205 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the transcript of a judgment from the docket of one justice of the peace to that of another within this State:"	
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156. A bill to authorize the city of Menominee to join with Wisconsin authorities and construct a bridge across Menominee river :	
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158. A bill to regulate the passenger and freight tariff, to provide for a uniform classification of freights and maximum freight rates, and to prevent unjust discrimination in charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of passengers or freights upon the railroads in this State:	
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163. A bill to amend section 23 of chapter 225 of the compiled laws of 1871, entitled "Informations in the nature of a quo warranto, and in other cases," being compiler's section No. 8637 of Howell's Annotated Statutes:	
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164. A bill to amend act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," by adding a new section thereto, to stand as section No. 125:	
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166. A bill establishing the Michigan Home and Training School for Feeble-minded Children, and asking an appropriation for the same:	
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167. A bill to make an appropriation for the erection of an addition to the Normal School building, and for providing the necessary heating apparatus, furniture and fixtures therefor:	
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168. A bill to amend section 1 of act 105 of the laws of 1863, being section 4968 of Howell's Statutes of Michigan, relative to the diplomas of the graduates of the State Normal School:	
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169. A bill to make it a misdemeanor to remove, destroy, damage, or dispose of any personal property that shall have been seized on an attachment, or levied upon under an execution issued from any court of competent jurisdiction in this State, while such seizure or levy is in force, without first giving the bond or other security therefor, if any required by law, and to provide the punishment therefor:	
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170. A bill to carry into effect section 12 of article 15 of the Constitution, relative to the holding of real estate by corporations:	
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171. A bill to prohibit the sale or gift of any spirituous, malt or vinous liquors or other intoxicants to the inmates or members of the Michigan Soldiers' Home:	
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158. A bill to regulate the passenger and freight tariff, to provide for a uniform classification of freights and maximum freight rates, and to prevent unjust discrimination in charges of tolls or compensation for the transportation of passengers or freights upon the railroads in this State:	
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164. A bill to amend act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," by adding a new section thereto, to stand as section No. 125:	
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166. A bill establishing the Michigan Home and Training School for Feeble-minded Children, and asking an appropriation for the same:	
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169. A bill to make it a misdemeanor to remove, destroy, damage, or dispose of any personal property that shall have been seized on an attachment, or levied upon under an execution issued from any court of competent jurisdiction in this State, while such seizure or levy is in force, without first giving the bond or other security therefor, if any required by law, and to provide the punishment therefor:	
introduced by Mr. Edwards; referred to committee on judiciary February 16	259
printed for committee April 9	1009
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"A bill to make it a misdemeanor to remove, destroy, damage or dispose of any personal property that shall have been seized by due process of law issued from any court of competent jurisdiction in the State while such seizure or levy is in force, without first giving the bond or other security therefor, if any, required by law, and to provide the punishment therefor: "	
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reported enrolled June 8	1859
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170. A bill to carry into effect section 12 of article 15 of the Constitution, relative to the holding of real estate by corporations:	
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171. A bill to prohibit the sale or gift of any spirituous, malt or vinous liquors or other intoxicants to the inmates or members of the Michigan Soldiers' Home:	
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172. A bill to amend sections 8 and 15 of chapter 236 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the State of Michigan, being sections 8499 and 8511 of said statutes relative to notice of foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement and the evidence thereof:	
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173. A bill to amend section 93 of chapter 18 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 171 of the laws of 1879, being compiler's section 960 of Howell's Annotated Statutes:	
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174. A bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Detroit and Saline Plank Road Company," being act No. 100 of the session laws of 1848:	
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returned; referred for enrollment June 7.....	1809
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175. A bill to prohibit railroad companies from taking up their tracks, abandoning their stations and failing to operate their roads in certain cases:	
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176. A bill to amend section 41 of article 2 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, as amended by act No. 277 of the public acts of 1879, as amended by act No. 174, public acts of 1883:	
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178. A bill to amend secs. 7 and 36 of article No. 2 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State," approved May 1, 1873, as amended, being compiler's section 3321 and 3350 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the State of Michigan as amended by act No. 174 of the session laws of 1883:	
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179. A bill to amend section 16 of chapter 3 of act No. 164 of 1881, being section 5068 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to the duties of school district boards:	
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180. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 164, laws of 1881, being section 5114 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to sites for school-houses:	
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181. A bill to amend sections 1 and 8 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, being continuous sections 1206 and 1303 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan:	
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182. A bill to amend compiler's section 4709 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being compiler's section 6196 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to the filing of chattel mortgages:	
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183. A bill to amend chapter 52 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to the protection of children in certain cases, by adding four new sections thereto, to stand as sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 of said act:	
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184. A bill to provide for the completion and furnishing of the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison at Marquette, in the Upper Peninsula, and to make an appropriation therefor:	
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185. A bill to prevent the employment of persons addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors as drivers of public conveyances:	
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186. A bill to authorize the organization of corporations to improve the breed of horses by promoting the interests of the American trotting turf:	
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187. A bill to amend compiler's sections 1313, 1352 and 1372 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to highways:	
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188. A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 79 of the session laws of 1873, and the acts amendatory thereof, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner of railroads and to define his powers, duties, and fix his compensation," approved April 10, 1873:	

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returned; referred for enrollment June 24.....	2191
reported enrolled June 27.....	2261
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189. A bill to amend section 7127 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 6686 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to writs of error:	
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190. A bill to amend section 4740 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 6220 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to divorce:	
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191. A bill to require prosecuting attorneys to appear and conduct criminal proceedings in the supreme court in certain cases, and to provide for the payment of extra compensation therefor:	
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approved April 15.....	1121
192. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented and vinous liquors, to prohibit the sale of such liquors to minors, to intoxicated persons, and to persons in the habit of getting intoxicated; to provide a remedy against persons selling liquor to husbands or children in certain cases, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 10, 1881, as amended by acts 178, 187 and 191 of the session laws of 1883, by adding a new section thereto, to stand as section 17, in relation to costs:	
introduced by Mr. Palmer; referred to committee on judiciary February 17.....	296.
reported; general order March 1.....	569
file No. 72.	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 9.....	664
passed; transmitted March 10.....	696
title amended by striking out the words "an act" and inserting "act No. 859 of the public acts of 1881," and by inserting "public acts" in lieu of "session laws:"	
returned not passed June 27.....	2363
193. A bill to provide for the collection and publication of statistics of divorce within this State:	
introduced by Mr. Palmer; referred to committee on State affairs February 17.....	296
reported; general order June 4.....	1775
file No. 292.	
194. A bill to amend section 9137 of chapter 318 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the State of Michigan, relative to offenses against property:	
introduced by Mr. Palmer; referred to committee on judiciary February 17.....	298
reported; general order March 1.....	569
file No. 73.	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 10.....	699
passed; transmitted March 11.....	712
amended title:	
"A bill to amend section fifteen (15) of chapter two hundred and forty-five (245) of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section nine thousand eight hundred and	

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thirty-seven (9837) of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to offenses against property."	
returned; not passed June 27	2268
195. A bill making appropriation for the purchase of material for a school-house, for the purchase of machinery and for improvements and repairs at the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia:	
Introduced by Mr. Palmer; referred to committee on State House of Correction February 17.....	286
reported; printed; referred to committee on appropriations and finance March 15	754
file No. 149.	
reported; general order April 12	1067
committee of whole; ordered to third reading April 20.....	1188
passed; immediate effect; transmitted April 22	1224
returned; referred for enrollment May 12.....	1508
reported enrolled May 13	1520
approved May 17	1546
196. A bill to amend section 10, act 259, laws of 1881, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented and vinous liquors, to prohibit the sale of such liquors to minors, intoxicated persons and to persons in the habit of getting intoxicated, to provide a remedy against persons selling liquor to husbands or children in certain cases, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," being section 2279 of Howell's Annotated Statutes:	
Introduced by Mr. Howell; referred to committee on liquor traffic February 17.....	286
reported; tabled June 22	2114
197. A bill to restrict the powers of commissioners of highways in the township of Ironwood, in the county of Gogebic, and to authorize the township board of said township to provide for maintaining the streets, sidewalks, crosswalks and alleys, now built or hereafter to be built, within the limits of the plat of the village of Ironwood, in said township, as laid down on plat of said village, duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for the county of Ontonagon, and to authorize the township board of said township of Ironwood to maintain a fire department, and to license hawkers, peddlers and auctioneers within said township:	
Introduced by Mr. Hubbell; referred to committee on cities and villages February 17..	287
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 25.....	823
198. A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of the county of Houghton, in this State, to borrow money upon the bonds of said county for the purpose of constructing a bridge across Portage Lake, in said county:	
Introduced by Mr. Hubbell; referred to committee on roads and bridges February 17..	287
reported; general order March 10.....	690
file No. 133.	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 18.....	806
passed; transmitted March 19.....	811
returned; referred for enrollment May 24.....	811
reported enrolled May 25	1636
approved May 25	1638
199. A bill to regulate the uniformity of text-books in the public schools, and to provide and to distribute the same:	
Introduced by Mr. Giddings; referred to committee on education and public schools February 17.....	287
printed for committee February 18.....	293
file No. 53.	
reported; tabled June 22.....	2115
200. A bill to amend the seventh clause of section 9 of article 2 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, relative to the incorporation and regulation of railroad companies, and their liabilities in certain cases:	
Introduced by Mr. Deyo; referred to committee on railroads February 17.....	287
reported; tabled June 22	2117

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201. A bill to amend section 31 of act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, being an act to provide for the assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes thereon :	
introduced by Mr. Post; referred to committee on judiciary February 17	287
reported; tabled June 22	2089
202. A bill to empower school district boards to provide text-books for the district in certain cases :	
introduced by Mr. Post; referred to committee on education and public schools February 17	287
reported; tabled June 22	2115
203. A bill to legalize certain bonds issued by the township of Warren in the county of Midland :	
introduced by Mr. Post; referred to committee on judiciary February 17	288
reported substitute; general order March 15	751
file No. 143.	
title to substitute :	
"A bill to legalize and validate all the proceedings had up to and including the issuing of certain bonds, issued by the township of Warren in the county of Midland, State of Michigan."	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 23	884
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 24	873
returned; referred for enrollment June 9	1948
reported enrolled June 9	1886
approved June 13,	1900
204. A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith :	
introduced by Mr. Post; referred to committee on State Prison and House of Correction February 17	286
reported; general order May 25	1637
file No. 281.	
205. A bill to amend sections 3, 12, 26, 27, 81, 84, 85, 86, 42, 43, 45, 50, 53, 59, 61, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 74, 75, 80, 86, 87, 93, 98, 99, 104, 114, 115, 118, 118, 119 of act No. 153 of the session laws of 1885, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon :"	
introduced by Mr. Post; referred to committee on judiciary February 17	288
printed for committee March 16	764
file No. 152.	
reported; general order June 23	2090
206. A bill to establish and maintain an agricultural experimental station in connection with the State Agricultural College, under the direction of the State board of agriculture :	
introduced by Mr. Holbrook; tabled February 17	288
207. A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of Jackson :	
introduced by Mr. Sharp; tabled February 17	288
208. A bill to provide for the appointment of stenographers in the several judicial circuits of this State, to define their powers and duties, to fix their compensation and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith ;	
introduced by Mr. Sharp; referred to committee on judiciary February 17	288
printed for committee April 25	1247
file No. 224.	
reported; general order April 27	1260
special order for May 8 at 2:30, April 28	1260
committee of whole; general order May 8	1408
committee of whole; ordered to third reading May 18	1508
passed; immediate effect May 19	1585
ordered reprinted May 20	1608
file No. 276.	
transmitted	
returned; not passed June 27	2264

209. A bill to protect the chastity of girls between the ages of 14 and 16 years, and to punish the violation thereof :	
introduced by Mr. Edwards ; referred to committee on judiciary February 18.....	306
reported ; general order April 27.....	1358
file No. 223.	
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading May 18.....	1567
passed ; transmitted May 19.....	1587
returned ; referred for enrollment June 8.....	1768
reported enrolled June 4.....	1772
approved June 6.....	1800
210. A bill to amend sections 4, 5 and 6 of act No. 200 of the public acts of 1885, entitled " An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons :"	
introduced by Mr. Edwards ; referred to committee on State affairs February 18.....	306
reported ; referred to committee on judiciary March 16.....	797
printed for committee April 28.....	1371
file No. 237.	
reported ; general order May 25.....	1696
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading June 4.....	1784
passed ; transmitted June 6.....	1797
returned ; immediate effect ; referred for enrollment June 16.....	1968
title amended by adding to the end thereof " approved June 17, 1885."	
reported enrolled June 20.....	2085
211. A bill making an appropriation for the purchase of books for the State library and for other purposes :	
introduced by Mr. W. J. Babcock ; referred to committee on State library February 18.....	306
reported ; printed ; referred to committee on appropriations and finance February 21.....	335
file No. 62.	
reported ; tabled May 10.....	1465
212. A bill to authorize suits at law or in equity to be brought against navigation companies in any county in this State in which the plaintiff resides or such companies call with their boats and do business :	
introduced by Mr. Harshaw ; referred to committee on judiciary February 18.....	306
printed for committee March 15.....	751
title as printed :	
A bill to authorize suits to be brought at law or in equity against navigation companies, organized under the laws of this State for the purpose of engaging in the business of maritime commerce or navigation within this State, or upon the frontier lakes or other navigable waters, natural or artificial, connected therewith, in the courts of any county in this State in which the plaintiff resides and the boats of such company call and do business :	
reported ; general order March 22.....	846
committee of whole ; progress March 24.....	875
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading March 25.....	888
tabled April 8.....	998
taken up ; passed ; immediate effect ; transmitted April 23.....	1378
returned amended ; recommitted May 11.....	1481
reported ; concurred in ; referred for enrollment May 19.....	1590
title amended by striking out " plaintiff resides and the."	
reported enrolled May 19.....	1596
approved May 24.....	1618
213. A bill to amend section 8 of chapter 8 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, being compiler's section No. 181, relative to townships having two or more voting precincts therein :	
introduced by Mr. J. W. Babcock ; referred to committee on judiciary February 18....	306
reported ; general order March 15.....	752
file No. 145.	
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading March 23.....	864
passed ; immediate effect ; transmitted March 24.....	873
amended title :	

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"A bill to amend section 8 of act No. 203 of the public acts of 1877, entitled 'An act relative to dividing townships and villages into election districts, and to provide for the registration of electors in such cases: '"	
returned not passed June 27	2264
214. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 108 of the session laws of 1871 as amended, being compiler's section 4207 of Howell's Annotated Statutes:	
introduced by Mr. J. W. Babcock; referred to committee on judiciary February 18....	306
reported; tabled April 28	1370
215. A bill to determine the valuation of property insured and destroyed by fire, in certain cases, and to fix the measure of damages therefor:	
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on insurance February 18	306
printed for committee March 17	777
file No. 158.	
reported substitute; general order June 16	1968
file No. 310.	
title to substitute:	
"A bill to amend section 6 of act No. 149 of the session laws of 1881, entitled 'An act to provide for the adoption and use of a standard farm or fire insurance policy,' approved May 12, 1881."	
216. A bill to incorporate and to govern mutual, fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in this State:	
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on insurance February 18	307
printed for committee March 3	631
file No. 103.	
reported; general order May 18	1517
committee of whole; special order for June 22 at 2:30, June 18	2026
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 22	2109
not passed June 24	2201
217. A bill making an appropriation for the State Industrial Home for Girls for the years 1887 and 1888:	
introduced by Mr. Post; referred to committee on Reform School for Girls February 18	307
reported; printed; referred to committee on appropriations and finance March 9	675
file No. 125.	
reported; general order April 22	1206
reprinted April 27	1206
file No. 234.	
committee of whole discharged; recommitted May 17	1550
reported; reprinted; general order May 25	1656
file No. 232.	
committee of whole; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 27	1699
returned; referred for enrollment June 4	1730
reported enrolled June 4	1734
approved June 17	1987
218. A bill to enable the State Agricultural Society to permanently locate the place of holding its annual fairs:	
introduced by Mr. Sharp; referred to committee on agricultural interests February 18	307
printed for committee March 8	607
file No. 92.	
reported; general order March 18	736
committee of whole discharged; rules suspended; passed; transmitted March 19	810
title amended by inserting after "enable the," the words "executive committee of the."	
returned; referred for enrollment April 6	906
reported enrolled April 9	1015
approved April 9	1017
219. A bill to provide for the erection and furnishing of a residence for the Governor:	
introduced by Mr. Sharp; tabled February 18	307

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220. A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 31 of session laws of 1858, as amended by act No. 181 of the public acts of 1885:	
introduced by Mr. Sharp; tabled February 18.....	807
taken up; referred to committee on appropriations and finance March 15 (see errata).....	759
reported; general order March 16.....	763
file No. 151.	
title as printed:	
A bill to amend section 5 of act 31 of the public acts of 1858, being compiler's section 5394 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to the sale and reclamation of swamp lands and securing the pre-emption of settlers, as amended by act No. 181 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885:	
committee of whole; tabled March 23.....	865
taken up; special order for April 14, at 2:30, March 24.....	871
ordered to third reading for April 15, at 10 A. M., April 14.....	1114
tabled April 19.....	1126
taken up; special order for April 19, at 2:30, April 15.....	1127
tabled April 15.....	1165
taken up; passed; transmitted April 20.....	1196
returned; referred for enrollment June 8.....	1749
amended title:	
A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 31 of the session laws of 1858, entitled "An act to provide for the sale of the swamp lands and the reclamation thereof, and to secure the pre-emption claims of settlers thereon," approved February 4, 1858, being consecutive section 3042 of the compiled laws of 1871, and compiler's section 5394 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, as amended by act No. 181 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885:	
reported enrolled June 4.....	1778
approved June 6.....	1800
221. A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 of public acts of 1885, approved May 19, 1885, providing for the employment, defining the duties, and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the fourth judicial circuit:	
introduced by Mr. Sharp; tabled February 18.....	221
222. A bill to allow the commitment and detention of female children to the Home of the Good Shepherd at Detroit:	
introduced by Mr. O'Reilly; referred to committee on judiciary February 18.....	308
reported; general order April 9.....	1011
file No. 198.	
committee of whole: ordered to third reading April 25.....	1348
tabled April 29.....	1894
taken up; recommitted May 6.....	1456
reported; general order May 19.....	1571
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 2.....	1744
not passed; reconsidered; tabled June 3.....	1756
taken up; passed; transmitted June 21.....	2060
returned; referred for enrollment June 24.....	2215
reported enrolled June 27.....	2259
approved June 28.....	2280
223. A bill to amend section 9 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1872, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," as amended by act No. 177, session laws of 1877, and by act No. 116, session laws of 1883, being section 3323 of Howell's Annotated Statutes:	
introduced by Mr. Gorman; referred to committee on railroads February 18.....	308
reported; tabled June 18.....	2027
224. A bill to provide for the uniform assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes and the returns of delinquent thereon:	

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introduced by Mr. Crosby; tabled and printed (see errata) February 18.....	306
file No. 56.	
taken up; referred to committee on judiciary March 10.....	686
reported; general order May 19.....	1571
special order for May 26, at 2:30, May 24.....	1623
committee of whole; stricken out; title and enacting clause tabled May 26.....	1679
taken up; reconsidered; tabled May 27.....	1691
225. A bill to organize corporations for the purpose of carrying on the business of buying, selling and breeding cattle, sheep and horses, and also the power to acquire and hold title to lands necessary for the carrying on of such business:	
introduced by Mr. Palmer; referred to committee on banks and incorporations February 18.....	206
reported; general order March 25.....	852
file No. 184.	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading April 20.....	1186
tabled April 22.....	1222
taken up; passed; transmitted June 14.....	1226
returned; immediate effect; referred for enrollment June 15.....	1264
reported enrolled June 17.....	1263
approved June 20.....	2036
226. A bill to amend section 20 of chapter 249 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 9296 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to offenders against chastity, morality and decency:	
introduced by Mr. Palmer; referred to committee on judiciary February 18.....	306
reported; general order April 28.....	1373
file No. 241.	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading May 20.....	1605
passed; transmitted May 25.....	1643
returned; referred for enrollment June 16.....	1969
reported enrolled June 17.....	1963
approved June 18.....	2012
227. A bill to amend section 7094 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to criminal proceedings before justices of the peace:	
introduced by Mr. Palmer; referred to committee on judiciary February 18.....	306
reported substitute; general order March 7.....	659
file No. 116.	
title to substitute:	
A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 178 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 7094 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to criminal proceedings before justices of the peace:	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 16.....	770
passed; transmitted March 17.....	788
returned not passed June 27.....	2264
228. A bill making an appropriation for completing and furnishing attics and for building a detached cottage for the Northern Michigan Asylum for the Insane:	
introduced by Mr. Willits; referred to committee on Northern Asylum for Insane February 18.....	309
reported; printed; referred to committee on appropriations and finance March 11.....	708
file No. 136.	
reported; general order April 14.....	1115
committee of whole; ordered to third reading May 17.....	1551
recommitted May 18.....	1563
reported; general order June 8.....	1747
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 4.....	1783
passed; notice of reconsideration June 6.....	1792
notice withdrawn; immediate effect; transmitted June 7.....	1801
returned; referred for enrollment June 16.....	1906
reported enrolled June 20.....	2036

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approved June 23.....	2150
229. A bill making an appropriation for additional working capital for the Northern Michigan Asylum for the Insane:	
introduced by Mr. Willits; referred to committee on Northern Asylum for Insane February 18.....	309
230. A bill to re-incorporate the village of Potterville, in the county of Eaton:	
introduced by Mr. Potter; referred to committee on cities and villages February 18 ..	309
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 25	409
returned; referred for enrollment March 2.....	594
reported enrolled March 3.....	632
approved March 4.....	642
231. A bill to provide for ceding to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over the site and grounds selected, or hereafter to be selected, for the erection of a public building or buildings for the use of the United States courts, postoffice, custom house, internal revenue office, and other public offices of the United States, in the city of Detroit, in the county of Wayne, and State of Michigan, during the time the United States shall be or remain the owner thereof, for all purposes except the administration of the criminal laws of the State of Michigan, and the service of civil process therein:	
introduced by Mr. Crosby; referred to committee on federal relations February 18.....	309
reported substitute; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted April 13	1098
title to substitute:	
A bill to provide for the ceding to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over the site and grounds in the township of L'Anse, county of Baraga, selected for the erection of a government school-house to be used for the Indians, or for other purposes, except the administration of the criminal laws of the State of Michigan, and the service of civil process therein:	
returned; referred for enrollment April 13.....	1112
reported enrolled April 14.....	1116
approved April 14.....	1117
232. A bill to amend section 1 of an act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders, approved April 29, 1873, as amended by act No. 37 of the session laws of 1875, approved March 19, 1875:	
introduced by Mr. Crosby; referred to committee on State affairs February 18	309
reported; tabled; June 14	1774
233. A bill to amend section No. 4 of an act making an appropriation for the support of the State Public School, and providing for the construction of additional buildings, for the purchase of land, and for making other improvements to that institution, approved April 9, 1885:	
introduced by Mr. Crosby; referred to committee on State Public School February 18	309
234. A bill to protect men over fifty years of age from the designs of unchaste girls and women:	
introduced by Mr. Wisner; referred to committee on judiciary February 18.....	310
reported; tabled June 22	2085
235. A bill to incorporate the city of Marine City and repeal act No. 323 of the session laws of 1885, approved April 23, 1885:	
introduced by Mr. Barringer; referred to committee on cities and villages February 18	310
reported substitute; general order March 25	883
title to substitute:	
A bill to incorporate the city of Marine City, in the county of St. Clair, and to repeal act No. 323 of the local acts of 1885, approved April 23, 1885, entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Marine City, in St. Clair county:"	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 23.....	903
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 30	955
returned; referred for enrollment March 30.....	960
reported enrolled April 7.....	976
returned with veto; reconsidered; tabled April 7.....	977
passed over veto; immediate effect; transmitted April 14.....	1122
returned not passed, May 25.....	1680
requested by House; retransmitted May 25	1675

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returned not passed; tabled June 8.....	1890
236. A bill to amend section 8 of act 200 of the session laws of 1885, being an act entitled "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons:"	
introduced by Mr. Hubbell; referred to committee on State affairs February 18.....	310
reported; general order March 18.....	766
file No. 155.	
committee of whole; tabled March 28.....	908
237. A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide wives with property and maintenance from their husbands' estates when neglected or deserted by them," approved April 24, 1873, being consecutive section 6291 of the general statutes of Michigan in force, compiled and annotated by Andrew Howell, as amended by act No. 149 of the public acts of the State of Michigan of 1885:	
introduced by Mr. Hubbell; referred to committee on judiciary February 18.....	310
reported; general order March 18.....	667
file No. 122.	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 16.....	771
passed; transmitted March 17.....	789
returned; referred for enrollment April 22.....	1220
reported enrolled April 22.....	1235
approved April 27.....	1295
238. A bill to appropriate the unsold swamp lands in the county of Ontonagon to aid in the construction of a railroad from Houghton, in the county of Houghton, to Rockland in the county of Ontonagon:	
introduced by Mr. Hubbell; referred to committee on public lands February 18.....	310
reported; tabled June 22.....	2085
239. A bill to provide for the appointment by the circuit judge of a person to serve and execute process and perform certain duties of the sheriff in certain cases:	
introduced by Mr. Hubbell; referred to committee on judiciary February 18.....	310
reported substitute; general order March 5.....	653
file No. 112.	
title to substitute:	
"A bill to amend sections 15 and 16, chapter 192, of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's sections 7674 and 7675 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to judgments and executions, so as to confer the power of appointment of persons therein named upon circuit judges, and to extend said power to the service of all processes in any proceedings at law or in equity:"	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 16.....	769
passed; transmitted March 17.....	788
returned; referred for enrollment June 3.....	1739
reported enrolled June 3.....	1748
approved June 6.....	1799
240. A bill to incorporate the township of Ironwood in the county of Gogebic in the State of Michigan:	
introduced by Mr. Hubbell; tabled February 18.....	311
241. A bill to re-incorporate the township of Red Jacket in the county of Houghton in the State of Michigan:	
introduced by Mr. Hubbell; tabled February 19.....	311
242. A bill to organize corporations for the purpose of improving rivers which form, in whole or in part, the boundary between this and any adjoining State, and their tributaries, and for driving, sorting, holding and delivering logs thereon:	
introduced by Mr. Hubbell; referred to committee on judiciary February 18.....	311
reported; general order March 1.....	567
committee of whole; printed and ordered to third reading March 1.....	574
file No. 78.	
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 8.....	609
reprinted by House.	
file No. 171.	

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returned amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment April 23.....	1215
reported enrolled April 25.....	1246
approved April 27.....	1266
243. A bill to divide the township of Breen, in the county of Menominee, into two election districts:	
introduced by Mr. Laing; referred to committee on counties and townships February 18.....	811
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 25.....	418
returned; referred for enrollment March 1.....	579
reported enrolled March 2.....	593
approved March 3.....	632
244. A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 3 in the township of Emmet, Saint Clair county, Michigan, and to annex it to school district No. 8, in the township of Brockway, and making it a fractional district:	
introduced by Mr. J. W. Babcock; referred to committee on education and public schools February 19.....	222
reported; tabled June 22.....	2116
245. A bill to organize the Union school district of Deckerville in the township of Marion, Sanilac county:	
introduced by Mr. J. W. Babcock; referred to committee on education and public schools February 19.....	322
printed for committee March 2.....	591
file No. 94.	
reported; tabled March 23.....	841
246. A bill to incorporate the village of Harrisville, Alcona county:	
introduced by Mr. Harshaw; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 19.....	323
returned; referred for enrollment March 30.....	962
reported enrolled April 6.....	969
approved April 6.....	996
247. A bill making an appropriation for the current expenses of the Michigan School for the Blind for the years 1887 and 1888:	
introduced by Mr. Holbrook; referred to committee on School for Blind February 19.	323
reported; printed; referred to committee on appropriations and finance March 17.....	777
file No. 159.	
reported; reprinted; general order March 25.....	877
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 26.....	895
tabled April 8.....	996
taken up; recommitted April 9.....	1087
reported; recommitted June 17.....	1987
reported; recommitted June 17.....	2008
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted June 18.....	2021
title amended by adding the following words: "And to repeal an act entitled 'An act making an appropriation for the support of the Michigan School for the Blind for the years 1887 and 1888,' approved May 21, 1887."	
248. A bill to legalize the proceedings had in laying out, clearing out, deepening and completing a certain ditch or drain in the township of Byron, in the county of Kent, known and designated as "the Buck creek drain," and to legalize the tax therefor:	
introduced by Mr. Stark; referred to committee on judiciary February 19.....	323
reported; general order March 10.....	687
file No. 123.	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 18.....	805
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 19.....	809
returned; referred for enrollment April 20.....	1191
reported enrolled April 21.....	1198
approved April 23.....	1242
249. A bill to authorize the township of Sherman, in the county of Iosco, to borrow money for the payment of the highway and other indebtedness of the said township:	

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introduced by Mr. Harshaw; referred to committee on counties and townships February 19.....	338
reported substitute; general order June 8.....	1523
file No. 299.	
title to substitute:	
"A bill making an appropriation of swamp land for the construction of a drain in the townships of Wisner and Gilford, in Tuscola county:"	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 15.....	1940
passed; immediate effect; transmitted June 21.....	2069
returned; referred for enrollment June 22.....	2067
reported enrolled June —.....	2185
approved June 24.....	2252
250. A bill relating to the election of representatives in the State Legislature from districts entitled to more than two:	
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383. A bill to amend act 177 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the board of control of the insane asylum at Traverse City to place the same under the charge of the homœopathic school of medicine," approved June 8, 1883:	
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reported enrolled May 13	1530
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395. A bill to establish State, district and other police officers:	
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396. A bill to amend article 2, section 9, of act No. 188 of the session laws of 1873, approved May 1, 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railway companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads, or other corporations owning or operating any railroad in the State, and all acts amendatory thereof:"	
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"A bill to amend article 2 of act No. 188 of the public acts of 1873, approved May 1, 1873, entitled an act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railway companies, and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads, or other corporations owning or operating any railroad in the State, and all acts amendatory thereof, by adding thereto two new sections to stand as sections 41 and 42."	
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404. A bill to amend sections 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 6382, 6383, 6384, 6385, 6386, 6387, 6388, 6389 and 6390 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to election of regents of the University and justices of the supreme court :	
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405. A bill to provide a uniform rate of stenographers' fees in the several courts of this State, and to allow the amount paid to the stenographers to be received as a part of the taxable costs by the prevailing party :	
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reported substitute; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted June 15	1933
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406. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 343 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend section 1 of act No. 353 of the session laws of 1879, approved April 19, 1879, entitled 'An act to incorporate the village of Vassar, in the county of Tuscola,' approved May 4, 1885," so as to exclude from the limits of said village the east half of fractional section 7 in town 11 north, range 8 east :	
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taken up; referred to committee on public lands May 25.....	1846
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416. A bill to define the powers and duties of judges, clerks and registers of courts of record in the State of Michigan in certain cases :	
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419. A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 182 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a live stock sanitary commission and a State veterinarian, and to prescribe their powers and duties, and to prevent and suppress contagious and infectious diseases among the live stock of this State," and to repeal sections 6 and 23 of said act, and to add another section thereto, to stand as section 23 :	
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reported ; tabled May 27.....	1682
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423. A bill to amend section 7423 of chapter 238 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 9000 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to taxation of costs :	
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reported ; tabled April 19.....	1165
425. A bill to amend section 1288 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act No. 183 of the session laws of 1883, relative to the taxation of the business of manufacturing and selling spirituous and intoxicating, malt, brewed and fermented liquor :	
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taken up ; referred to committee on judiciary March 3.....	634
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428. A bill to amend sections 4331 and 4332 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan and acts amendatory thereto, relative to foreign insurance companies doing business in this State:	
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429. A bill to amend section 10 of "An act to provide for laying off into separate counties the districts of county adjacent to Grand River, and for other purposes," Territorial Laws approved March 2, 1831, and to amend any amendments of said section, and to legalize all actions, both public and private, done under such act or the amendments thereof:	
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430. A bill to amend sections 4290, 4295 and 4296 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan of 1882 and acts amendatory thereto, relative to fire insurance companies doing business in this State:	
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431. A bill to amend section 15 of act No. 172 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to amend sections 10 and 12 of chapter 268, compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's sections 8135 and 8137 as amended by act 84, public acts of 1877, relative to the Reform School, being sections 9817 and 9819 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of 1882, and to add a new section to stand as section 15:	
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passed; immediate effect; transmitted June 6.....	1798
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433. A bill to amend chapter 10 of an act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, approved June 7, 1883, by adding a new section to stand as section 23 of said chapter, relating to the assessment of taxes and their collection:	
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434. A bill to amend sections 5 and 83 of an act to establish a police government for the city of Detroit, approved April 17, 1881, and the amendments thereto, relative to the office of deputy superintendent of police:	
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436. A bill to amend the police court act of the city of Detroit and add a new section thereto:	
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reported; tabled April 28.....	1370
taken up; recommitted May 17.....	1539
reported; tabled June 22.....	2034
438. A bill to repeal act No. 190 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act making an appropriation of swamp lands to aid the county of Jackson in straightening and opening a channel for Portage Lake," and to repeal act No. 132 of the session laws of 1881, entitled	

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taken up; passed; immediate effect; transmitted June 24.....	2123
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439. A bill to authorize and empower the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to drain certain overflowed land in Jackson county:	
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reported; general order May 18.....	1555
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returned; referred for enrollment June 24.....	2216
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approved June 27.....	2263
440. A bill to repeal act No. 94 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Gratiot in improving the channel of Maple river, and to authorize a tax to complete the same," and to repeal act No. 50 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to authorize the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to remove bars and obstructions in Maple river, in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot," approved March 26, 1881, approved May 18, 1885:	
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passed; transmitted June 21.....	2068
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reported enrolled June 27.....	2257
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441. A bill to authorize the board of control of State swamp lands to make an appropriation of swamp lands to remove bars and obstructions in Maple river, in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot:	
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442. A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Branch and St. Joseph, now composing the 15th judicial district:	
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443. A bill to amend chapter 8 of title 4 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, entitled "Of highways, bridges, private roads and ferries," by adding thereto three new sections to stand as sections 16, 17 and 18 :	
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reported enrolled June 27.....	2280
approved June 28.....	2286
444. A bill to authorize the board of State auditors to adjust and allow claims for losses that any person, firm, or corporation may suffer by reason of the making of any law, or any change in the constitution, whereby any trade, business, or occupation heretofore lawfully carried on within the State was, or shall be, made unlawful and is prohibited, and making provision for the payment of said claims :	
introduced by Mr. Wisner; tabled February 23.....	351
taken up; printed and referred to committee on judiciary March 4.....	649
file No. 101.	
reported; tabled June 22.....	2084
445. A bill to provide for the taxation of the property of railroad companies organized under the laws of the State of Michigan at its actual cash value in the same manner and upon the same basis that other real and personal estate is taxed under existing laws, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act :	
introduced by Mr. Wisner; tabled February 23.....	351
446. A bill requiring all physicians and practitioners of medicine doing business in this State to write all prescriptions in the English language, and to provide a penalty for the violation of this act :	
introduced by Mr. Wisner; tabled February 23.....	353
447. A bill to compel railroad companies, corporations and individuals operating railroads, to provide some safe means of heating railroad cars used for the transportation of passengers, or the accommodation of railroad employes, and to provide for the enforcement of this act :	
introduced by Mr. Wisner; tabled February 23.....	352
448. A bill to amend section 7449 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 135 of the session laws of 1873, being sections 9023 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to the fees of appraisers, commissioners and others :	
introduced by Mr. Wisner; tabled February 23.....	353
taken up; referred to committee on judiciary March 24.....	875
printed for committee April 21.....	1197
file No. 218.	
reported; general order April 27.....	1280
committee of whole; ordered to third reading May 12.....	1511
passed; transmitted May 17.....	1544
returned amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment June 7.....	1519
amended title:	
A bill to amend section 7449 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 135 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 22, 1873, being compiler's section 9023 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to the fees of appraisers, commissioners and others :	
reported enrolled June 8.....	1539
approved June 10.....	1577
449. A bill to provide for the appointment of a stenographer for the 18th judicial circuit :	
introduced by Mr. Campbell; tabled February 23.....	353
taken up; referred to committee on judiciary June 18.....	2024
reported; ordered to third reading June 18.....	2024
passed; immediate effect; transmitted June 22.....	2115
amended title:	

2186	referred : referred to committee on roads and bridges January 26.	184
2170	referred : referred to committee on public lands June 8.	1750
2165	referred : indefinitely postponed June 24.	2185
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1610	committee of whole; ordered to third reading May 13
1640	passed; returned May 17
1860	21. A bill to incorporate the village of East Jordan, Charlevoix county:
1860	referred; returned May 15.
215	22. A bill to amend section 8323 of article 2, chapter 91, of the general statutes of the State of Michigan, compiled and annotated by Andrew Howell, as amended by act No. 116, session laws of 1888, relative to the corporate powers and duties of directors of railroad companies:
184	received; referred to committee on railroads January 28
184	file No. 23.
178	reported; general order January 29
177	committee of whole; ordered to third reading January 29
196	passed; immediate effect; returned February 1
201	23. A bill to amend section 3880 of article 2, chapter 91 of the general statutes of the State of Michigan, compiled and annotated by Andrew Howell, relative to the corporate powers and duties of directors of railroad companies:
184	received; referred to committee on railroads January 28
184	file No. 24.
177	reported; general order January 29
196	committee of whole; ordered to third reading January 29
196	passed; immediate effect; returned February 1
201	24. A bill to amend section 3880 of article 2, chapter 91 of the general statutes of the State of Michigan, compiled and annotated by Andrew Howell, relative to the corporate powers and duties of directors of railroad companies:
184	received; referred to committee on railroads January 28
184	file No. 25.
178	reported; general order January 29
190	committee of whole; ordered to third reading January 31
206	passed; immediate effect; returned February 1
206	25. A bill to abolish the superior court of Detroit, and to provide for the transfer of the records of said court to the circuit court for the county of Wayne:
230	referred; referred to committee on judiciary February 2
230	file No. 45.
245	reported; passed; immediate effect; returned February 16
1045	26. Not received.
1045	27. A bill relative to the confinement of convicted persons in the Detroit House of Correction:
1045	received; referred to committee on State affairs April 11
1067	file No. 217.
1067	reported; ordered to third reading April 12
1068	passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned April 13
418	28. A bill to provide for the incorporation of arborist bands:
418	referred; referred to committee on banks and incorporations February 25.
590	file No. 69.
590	reported substitute; general order March 2
716	Senate file No. 83.
716	committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 11
760	passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 15
766	returned; tabled March 16
779	requested by House; taken up; re-transmitted March 17
812	returned amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment March 19
817	reported enrolled March 21
848	approved March 22
	29. A bill to repeal act 179, session laws of 1888, entitled "An act to regulate the width of wagon
	trails to be used with lumber wagons:"

7. Not received.
8. A bill to punish drunken and intoxicated persons :
file No. 1.
reported : general order January 29
committee of whole : ordered to third reading January 29
passed : returned January 31
8. Not received.
10. A bill to provide for the penalty of death in certain cases of murder :
received : referred to committee on judiciary April 8.
file No. 57.
reported : general order April 27
special order for May 5 at 2:30, April 28
committee of whole : article taken out : reconsideration tabled May 5
notice of reconsideration May 5.
11. Not received.
12. Not received.
13. A bill to amend section 8 of act No. 238 of the public acts of 1885, entitled " An act relative to suits for libel," approved June 20, 1885 :
received : referred to committee on judiciary January 27.
file No. 36.
reported : general order March 1
committee of whole : ordered to third reading March 8
passed : returned March 4
requested from House March 11
received : reconsidered : recommitted March 14
reported : tabled June 2
taken up : passed : returned June 2
14. Not received.
15. Not received.
16. A bill to amend sections 2 and 8 of an act entitled " An act to incorporate the village of Capac," approved March 12, 1878 :
received : referred to committee on cities and villages January 20.
file No. 6.
reported : general order January 21
committee of the whole : ordered to third reading January 25
passed : title amended : immediate effect : returned January 25
17. A bill to amend compiler's section 1894 of chapter 35 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan " with reference to interest of money : "
received : referred to committee on judiciary April 23.
file No. 316.
reported : general order May 12
committee of whole : ordered to third reading June 1
passed : title amended : returned June 1
18. Not received.
19. A bill to authorize the township of Allendale, in Ottawa county, to borrow money to be used in the construction of a bridge, and to issue bonds therefor :
received : referred to committee on counties and townships January 25.
file No. 23.
reported : general order January 28
committee of whole : ordered to third reading January 29
passed : immediate effect : returned February 1
20. A bill to amend section 20 of chapter 244 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 9094 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to offenses against the lives and persons of individuals :
received : referred to committee on judiciary March 25.
file No. 2.
reported : general order April 21

- Marquette, Houghton and Ontonagon railroad land grant, together with all the lands certified for unceded, which lie opposite the uncompleted section of said railroad, extending from L'Anse to Ontonagon, and authorizing the railroad board of control to confer said lands and all the rights, franchises, powers and privileges which were granted to the State of Michigan by the United States, to aid in the construction of a railroad from Marquette to Ontonagon in said State, upon some other competent company;—
- committee of whole: ordered to third reading June 18..... 2025
- not passed; reconsidered; tabled June 23..... 2121
- taken up: not passed June 23..... 2151
33. Joint resolution to provide for the submission to the people of a general banking law as provided for by section 2 of Article XV of the Constitution of this State, as amended by joint resolution No. 17, session laws of 1881, and ratified at the general election in 1883: introduced by Mr. Monroe; referred to committee on banks and incorporations February 23..... 267

IV.—HISTORY OF HOUSE BILLS IN SENATE.

Numbered in order of introduction in House. File numbers are given to bills when printed.

1. A bill to prevent the taking of bonds, promissory notes, and other evidences of indebtedness, in whole or part consideration of bonds, contracts, and other agreements for the sale of grain, seeds, and other cereals, at a fictitious price, and to prevent the sale and transfer of such evidences of indebtedness, and to provide a punishment therefor: received: referred to committee on judiciary February 16..... 236
- file No. 73.
- reported: passed; immediate effect: returned March 2..... 659
2. A bill to legalize the assessment roll of the township of Port Austin, in the county of Huron, for the year 1886: received: passed; immediate effect: returned January 6..... 14
3. Not received.
4. A bill to amend section 25 of chapter 246 of the general statutes of Michigan as compiled and annotated by Andrew Howell, being compiler's section 6587, relative to the superior court of Grand Rapids: received: referred to committee on judiciary February 18..... 266
- file No. 69.
- reported: general order March 15..... 751
- committee of whole: ordered to third reading March 16..... 770
- passed: title amended; immediate effect: returned March 17..... 785
5. A bill to provide for the purchase of land and the erection of buildings for the use and benefit of the Eastern Michigan Asylum, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the treasurer of said asylum: received: referred to committee on asylums for insane April 14..... 1119
- file No. 152.
- reported: referred to committee on appropriations and finance April 15..... 1129
- committee of whole: ordered to third reading May 7..... 1408
- reported: general order May 8..... 1561
- passed: immediate effect: returned May 18..... 1564
6. A bill to incorporate the village of Brown City, in Sanilac county, Michigan: received: referred to committee on cities and villages January 18..... 70
- reported: general order January 29..... 178
- committee of whole: ordered to third reading January 29..... 186
- passed: immediate effect: returned February 1..... 203

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306	Introduced by Mr. Crosby; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; trans-	mitted February 18.	2253
	19. Joint resolution authorizing the issuing of a patent to Frederick Durand for certain State	swamp lands in the county of Arenac:	
811	Introduced by Mr. Hubbell; referred to committee on public lands February 18.	reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; trans-	mitted February 18.
778	approved March 17.	reported enrolled March 15.	757
744	returned; referred for enrollment March 14.	reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; trans-	mitted March 9.
677	returned; referred for enrollment March 14.	reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; trans-	mitted March 9.
608	21. Joint resolution authorizing the board of State auditors to allow and audit the separate in-	dividual claims of Hannanah D. Fugh and Edward W. Lowe for fees as deputy clerks	in the supreme court:
845	22. Joint resolution requiring the State of Michigan to pay to Theron D. North certain money	collected for trespass on land subsequently patented to him:	
2087	23. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 4 of article 8 of the constitution of the	State relative to the board of State auditors:	
303	Introduced by Mr. Sharp; tabled February 22.	24. Joint resolution for the relief of Livonia B. Perryng:	
303	Introduced by Mr. Mayo; referred to committee on asylums for insane and finance	February 22.	
913	reported; referred to committee on appropriations and finance March 30.	reported; general order April 29.	1385
	File No. 7.	committee of whole: ordered to third reading May 25.	1693
	passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 25.	returned; referred for enrollment June 16.	1965
	reported enrolled June 17.	approved June 20.	2086
	25. Joint resolution extending the time for the completion of the Marquette, Houghton and On-	tonagon railroad:	
371	Introduced by Mr. Hubbell; referred to committee on judiciary February 22.	reported; tabled June 23.	2088
	28. Joint resolution for the auditing and payment of certain land and warrants heretofore issued by	the Auditor General of this State:	
	Introduced by Mr. Moon; referred to committee on appropriations and finance Feb-	ruary 23.	371
2045	27. Joint resolution declaring forfeited all the unceded lands within the limits of the Mar-	quette, Houghton and Ontonagon railroad land grant, together with all the lands cer-	tified or unceded which lie opposite the uncompleted section of said railroad, extending
397	Introduced by Mr. Halverson; tabled February 23.	taken up; referred to committee on railroads May 27.	1699
	reported substitute; general order June 10.	File No. 8.	1877
	title of substitute:	29. Joint resolution declaring forfeited all the unceded land within the limits of the	

199	taken up; special order for 7:30 P. M. February 1
208	passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 1
209	returned amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment February 10
251	reported enrolled February 17
276	approved February 17
12	joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 2, article 4, of the constitution of the State of Michigan, relative to the formation of senatorial districts and the election of senators:
199	introduced by Mr. W. I. Babcock; special order February 1 at 7:30 P. M. February 1
208	referred to committee on judiciary February 1
212	reported; general order February 2
File No. 5.	
201	committee of whole; ordered to third reading February 16
220	passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 17
665	returned non-concurred in; tabled February 28
698	requested by House; taken up; re-transmitted March 7
	returned substitute; concurred in; referred for enrollment March 10
	title to substitute:
	"Joint resolution to amend section 6 of article 6 of the constitution of the State of Michigan, relative to circuit courts:"
702	reported enrolled March 10
778	approved March 17
12	joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 3 of article 4 of the constitution of the State of Michigan, relative to the apportionment of representatives:
208	introduced by Mr. Sharp February 1
210	ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary February 1
File No. 8.	
2084	reported; tabled June 22
14	joint resolution directing the county clerk in each of the several counties in the State of Michigan to file in his office for public reference the Legislative Journal, and to prepare an alphabetical index with the title of each and all the public acts of each session of the Legislature, noting such as are ordered to take immediate effect, for the use of the courts and members of the bar:
	introduced by Mr. Crosby; referred to committee on counties and townships February 16
228	reported; tabled February 17
271	relative to circuit courts:
12	joint resolution to amend section 6 of article 6 of the constitution of the State of Michigan,
268	introduced by Mr. Wisner; referred to committee on constitutional amendments February 16
268	reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 17
268	returned; referred for enrollment February 25
418	approved March 1
422	approved March 1
18	joint resolution authorizing the issuing of a certificate to Myron H. Fillmore for certain Agricultural College lands in Cheboygan county, Michigan:
224	introduced by Mr. Westgate; referred to committee on State affairs February 16
278	reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 17
302	returned; referred for enrollment February 18
817	reported enrolled February 19
887	approved February 21
17	joint resolution providing for the subdivision and sale of certain primary school land in the city of Lansing:
254	introduced by Mr. Holbrook; referred to committee on public lands February 16
640	reported; tabled March 4
18	joint resolution requesting our senators and representatives in congress to use their influence and to vote for the passage of the dependent pension bill (now before Congress) over the President's veto:

199	.....	introduced by Mr. Hubbell : rules suspended : not passed : reconsidered : tabled February 1.
204	.....	State, relative to the salaries of State officers :
208	.....	11. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 1, article 9, of the constitution of this State, relative to the salaries of State officers :
278	.....	approved February 18
279	.....	reported enrolled February 18
287	.....	returned : referred for enrollment February 17
297	.....	reported : rules suspended : passed : immediate effect : transmitted February 16
298	.....	reported : referred to committee on appropriations and finance February 16
299	.....	introduced by Mr. Edwards : referred to committee on military affairs January 31
304	.....	this State in the late war, found upon the records of the adjutant general's office :
305	.....	15 public acts, session of 1886, for alphabetically indexing the names of all soldiers from
306	.....	10. Joint resolution to provide for deficiency in amount appropriated by first joint resolution No. 15 public acts, session of 1886, for alphabetically indexing the names of all soldiers from
307	.....	committee of whole : tabled February 21
308	.....	file No. 6.
309	.....	reported : general order February 17
310	.....	introduced by Mr. Seymour : referred to committee on constitutional amendments
311	.....	January 29
312	.....	State, relative to replevies and pardons :
313	.....	9. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 11 of article 5 of the constitution of this State, relative to replevies and pardons :
314	.....	reported : tabled May 27
315	.....	introduced by Mr. Hubbell : referred to committee on judiciary January 28
316	.....	reporter :
317	.....	8. Joint resolution authorizing the appointment for temporary purposes of an assistant State
318	.....	approved March 23
319	.....	reported enrolled March 21
320	.....	returned : referred for enrollment March 18
321	.....	reported : rules suspended : passed : immediate effect : transmitted February 21
322	.....	introduced by Mr. Crosby : referred to committee on public lands January 25
323	.....	west, State of Michigan :
324	.....	southeast quarter of northeast quarter of section No. 20, township 28 north, of range 14
325	.....	following described lands, to wit, the south west quarter of the northeast quarter and
326	.....	7. Joint resolution to authorize the governor to issue a patent to Frederick W. Higgins for the
327	.....	approved January 29
328	.....	reported enrolled January 27
329	.....	returned : referred for enrollment January 25
330	.....	transmitted January 25
331	.....	reported by committee on judiciary : rules suspended : passed : immediate effect :
332	.....	district of Wayne county :
333	.....	Hon. Ovid N. Case, deceased, as a member of the House of Representatives from the first
334	.....	January 20
335	.....	introduced by Mr. Edwards : referred to committee on constitutional amendments
336	.....	of the counties of this State, instead of a board of supervisors or county auditors :
337	.....	constitution of this State, so as to provide for a board of county commissioners in each
338	.....	3. A joint resolution proposing amendments to sections 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 of article 10 of the
339	.....	approved March 18
340	.....	reported enrolled March 16
341	.....	returned : referred for enrollment March 16
342	.....	passed : immediate effect : transmitted February 18
343	.....	committee of whole : ordered to third reading February 16
344	.....	file No. 2.
345	.....	reported : general order January 27
346	.....	introduced by Mr. May : referred to committee on public lands January 14
347	.....	same being primary school lands :
348	.....	quarter of section No. sixteen (16), in township No. 1 south, of range No. 7 west, the
349	.....	northwest quarter of the southeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southeast
350	4. Joint resolution authorizing the governor to issue a patent to Frances Howell for the

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A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Hartsville, in Alcona county, in the State of Michigan, to organize the township of Gustin, in said county, to provide for the appointment of officers in and for said township of Gustin, and for the assessment and collection of taxes therein : "
committee of whole : ordered to third reading June 4 1783
passed : transmitted June 6 1794
amended title :
A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Hartsville, in Alcona county, in the State of Michigan, to organize the township of Gustin, in said county, and provide for the appointment of boards of registration and inspectors of election in and for said township of Gustin :
returned : referred for enrollment June 8 1845
reported enrolled June 9 1866
approved June 12 1900
RE. A bill relative to the formation of co-partnerships, and prescribing notice thereof to be given :
introduced by Mr. Sharp : tabled February 24 304

II.—HISTORY OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

Numbered as introduced.

Printed joint resolutions are given a file number.

1. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to article 4 of the Constitution of this State, relative to the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of spirituous, malt and vinous liquors, and the rights of property therein, except for mechanical, medicinal chemical and scientific purposes, by adding a new section thereto, to stand as section forty-nine (49) :
introduced by Mr. J. W. Babcock : referred to committee on liquor traffic and constitutional amendments January 5 2115
reported : tabled June 23
2. Joint resolution asking our senators and representatives in Congress to vote for and use their influence to secure the passage of the " Miller bill " (so called), relative to contagious diseases among cattle, now pending in Congress :
introduced by Mr. Atwood : referred to committee on agricultural interests and federal relations January 12 74
reported : general order January 14 79
file No. 1.
committee of whole discharged : rules suspended : passed : immediate effect : transmitted January 18 94
returned : referred for enrollment January 19 97
reported enrolled January 19 99
approved January 20 106
3. Joint resolution requiring our Senators and Representatives in Congress to use their influence and vote for such legislation as will give to the State of Michigan certain lands for the University of Michigan :
introduced by Mr. Howell : referred to committee on federal relations and university January 14 85
reported : general order February 2 219
file No. 4.
committee of whole : ordered to third reading February 25 431
not passed : reconsidered : tabled March 2 597
taken up : general order April 19 (see errata) 1174
committee of whole : stricken out May 11 1486
310

498. A bill requiring supervisors to make certain reports to the directors of school districts:
introduced by Mr. Wisner; tabled February 23.

499. A bill requiring supervisors to make certain reports to the directors of school districts:
introduced by Mr. Hobbrook; tabled February 23.

500. A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act 171 of public acts of 1873, approved April 9, 1878, relating to State agency for the care of juvenile offenders, as amended by act 57 of public acts of 1878, being compiler's section 3884 and 3885 of Howell's Annotated Statutes:

496. A bill to amend section 12, chapter 122 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, being compilers section 4916:
introduced by Mr. Barry; tabled February 23.
introduced by Mr. O'Reilly; tabled February 23.

introduced by Mr. Gorman; referred to committee on banks and incorporations February 23.

149. A bill to amend act No. 100 of the session laws of 1888, being an act to incorporate the Detroit and Saline plank road company: " introduced by Mr. Gorman; tabled February 23.

_____ taken up; recommended June 9
 _____ reported; tabled June 9
 _____ reported substituted; tabled June 10
 _____ title to substitute:

500. A bill to prohibit the manufacture, gift or sale of spirituous, malt or vinous liquors in this State except for medicinal, mechanical, chemical or scientific purposes :
 introduced by Mr. J. W. Babcock : tabled February 28
 approved June 17

requested from House March 4.
second request March 10.
returned : reconsidered : tabled March 11.
taken up : recommitted April 14.
reported and debated : general order April 28.

REPORTED SUBSTANCE
FILE NO. 242.
TITLE TO SUBSTITUTE:

- committee of whole: ordered to third reading June 4. 1788
 passed: transmitted June 6. 1794
 amended title:
 "A bill to detach the county of Gladwin from the 21st judicial circuit and attach the same to the 18th judicial circuit."
 returned: referred for enrollment June 18. 2015
 reported enrolled June 20. 2086
 approved June 23. 2150
 485. A bill appropriating a portion of the interest due and becoming due the county of Grand Traverse from the swamp land fund accrued under act No. 81 of the session laws of 1885, to aid in establishing and improving a State road in the county of Grand Traverse, under direction of the board of supervisors of said county:
 introduced by Mr. Barton: referred to committee on public lands February 23. 301
 reported: tabled June 24. 2281
 486. A bill to appropriate the unsold swamp land in the county of Grand Traverse, to aid in the improvement of a State road in said county:
 introduced by Mr. Barton: referred to committee on public lands February 23. 301
 reported: tabled June 24. 2281
 487. A bill to appropriate the unsold swamp land in the county of Benzie to aid in the improvement of a State road in said county:
 introduced by Mr. Barton: referred to committee on public lands February 23. 301
 reported: tabled June 24. 2281
 488. A bill to appropriate the unsold swamp land in the county of Leelanaw to aid in the improvement of a State road in said county:
 introduced by Mr. Barton: referred to committee on public lands February 23. 301
 reported: tabled June 24. 2281
 489. A bill making an appropriation of swamp land for the construction of a drain in the township of Wisner and Gilford, Tuscola county:
 introduced by Mr. Fox: tabled February 23. 302
 taken up: referred to committee on counties and townships March 23. 883
 reported: general order May 11. 1479
 file No. 236.
 committee of whole: ordered to third reading June 8. 1745
 passed: immediate effect: transmitted June 8. 1783
 returned: referred for enrollment June 16. 1968
 reported enrolled June 17. 1968
 approved June 18. 2012
 490. A bill to authorize the townships of Wisner and Gilford, in the county of Tuscola, to borrow money for the construction of a drain and to issue bonds therefor:
 introduced by Mr. Fox: tabled February 23. 302
 taken up: referred to committee on counties and townships March 23. 884
 file No. 238.
 "A bill to authorize the township of Portor, in the county of Midland, State of Michigan, to borrow money for the payment of the outstanding township and highway orders or other townships and to issue the bonds therefor:"
 committee of whole: ordered to third reading May 20. 1905
 passed: immediate effect: transmitted May 20. 1910
 returned: referred for enrollment June 16. 1968
 reported enrolled June 20. 2086
 approved June 23. 2150
 491. A bill to legalize the re-organization of the Bridgeport Free Church Association and the section of trustees and their successors in office, and all the proceedings of said trustees, their books and records having been destroyed by fire:
 introduced by Mr. Wisner: tabled February 23. 302
 taken up: referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies June 21. 2050
 reported: tabled June 22. 2079
 taken up: rules suspended: passed: immediate effect: transmitted June 22. 2104

287	board of agriculture and the reports of the State horticultural society," and to repeal laws providing for the publication and distribution of said reports:
287	introduced by Mr. Monroe; tabled February 23.
1736	reported; printed and referred to committee on appropriations and finance June 2.
2002	file No. 287.
2002	reported; tabled June 22.
367	474. A bill relating to the judges of the courts of this State:
367	introduced by Mr. Sharp; referred to committee on judiciary February 23.
1870	reported; tabled April 23.
367	475. A bill to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of an act to fix the boundaries of school district No. 1 of the city of Jackson," and to authorize said district to raise money by taxation, approved February 15, 1859, and to add 5 new sections to said act as sections 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, approved April 22, 1875:
367	introduced by Mr. Sharp; tabled February 23.
367	476. A bill to revise and amend the laws relative to the organization of the State agricultural society, to provide for the organization thereof, to prescribe the powers and duties of the society and its officers, and to repeal all the laws inconsistent therewith:
367	introduced by Mr. Sharp; tabled February 23.
367	477. A bill to prevent deception in the manufacture and sale of imitations butter and cheese, and to create a dairy commission:
367	introduced by Mr. Sharp; referred to committee on agricultural interests February 23.
368	478. A bill to provide for notices of election under an act to enlarge the supreme court by adding another judge thereto, approved February 1st, 1887:
1984	introduced by Mr. Post; tabled February 23.
368	479. A bill to regulate the practice in circuit courts in this State, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith:
368	introduced by Mr. Sharp; tabled February 23.
368	480. A bill providing for the adjustment and allowance of losses in certain cases, and providing for the payment thereof:
368	introduced by Mr. Sharp; tabled February 23.
368	481. A bill to provide for regimental or brigade encampments for the Michigan State militia, and to make an appropriation therefor:
368	introduced by Mr. Mayo; tabled February 23.
368	482. A bill to provide for the building of a State armory:
368	introduced by Mr. J. W. Babcock; tabled February 23.
368	483. A bill to amend section 9 of article 2 of the session laws of 1873, being "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owing or operating any railroad in this State," as amended by act No. 116 of the session laws of 1883:
368	introduced by Mr. W. I. Babcock; referred to committee on railroads February 23.
1864	reported amended; printed for committee April 27.
1864	file No. 281.
1418	reported; general order May 4.
1604	committee of whole; recommended May 20.
1604	reported; special order for May 31 at 2:30, May 25.
1709	unfinished business; special order for 2:30 continuously after file 278 June 1.
1867	committee of whole; stricken out; motion to reconsider concurrence tabled; title and enacting clauses tabled June 9.
1867	484. A bill to detach the county of Arenac from the 18th judicial district and attach the same to the 23d judicial district:
391	introduced by Mr. Harshaw; referred to committee on judiciary February 23.
1056	reported; tabled April 13.
1649	taken up; recommended May 17.
1565	reported; general order May 18.
1565	file No. 272.

introduced by Mr. Barton; referred to committee on counties and townships February 28

66. A bill supplementary to an act entitled "An act concerning churches and religious societies, establishing uniform rules for the acquisition, tenure, control and disposition of property conveyed or dedicated for religious purposes, and to repeal chapter 57 of the revised statutes," and all acts amendatory thereof, being chapter 170 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, to provide for the incorporation of Roman Catholic churches:

introduced by Mr. Gorman; tabled February 28

taken up; printed and referred to committee on judiciary June 9

file No. 304.

reported; general order June 22

67. A bill to amend compiler's section 227, chapter 71 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan relative to the advertisement of and sale of spirituous and intoxicating liquors:

introduced by Mr. Gorman; tabled February 23

68. A bill to authorize the city of Ypsilanti to construct and maintain water-works and to establish a board of public works:

introduced by Mr. Gorman; tabled February 23

taken up; (see errata).

reported; tabled June 23

69. A bill to fix the per diem compensation of members of the State Legislature from the Upper Peninsula, for and during the session of 1887:

introduced by Mr. Gorman; referred to committee on appropriations and finance February 28

reported; tabled June 23

70. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Niles:

introduced by Mr. W. J. Babcock; tabled February 28

taken up; referred to committee on cities and villages May 11

reported substitute; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 18

title of substitute:

A bill to amend sec. 23 of act No. 124 of the session laws of 1859, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Niles," approved February 12, 1859, as amended by the several acts supplemental or amendatory thereof, and to add 3 new sections thereto to stand as sections 51, 52 and 53 of said act:

returned; tabled May 30

requested by House; taken up; re-transmitted May 25

returned; amended; concurred in; tabled May 27

67. A bill to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking, and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such department:

introduced by Mr. Monroe; referred to committee on banks and incorporations February 23

printed for committee March 30

file No. 187.

reported; general order May 19

file No. 278.

special order for May 26 at 10:30.

committee of whole; progress May 20

committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 26

rules suspended; passed; transmitted May 20

returned; referred for enrollment June 13.

reported enrolled June 30

approved June 23

68. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of trust, deposit and security companies," being chapter 88 of Howell's Annotated Statutes:

introduced by Mr. Monroe; referred to committee on banks and incorporations February 23

69. A bill to amend section 21 of act No. 178 of the session laws of 1858, entitled "An act to provide for the publication and distribution of the reports of the secretary of the State

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70. A bill to amend section 21 of act No. 178 of the session laws of 1858, entitled "An act to provide for the publication and distribution of the reports of the secretary of the State

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71. A bill to amend section 21 of act No. 178 of the session laws of 1858, entitled "An act to provide for the publication and distribution of the reports of the secretary of the State

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72. A bill to amend section 21 of act No. 178 of the session laws of 1858, entitled "An act to provide for the publication and distribution of the reports of the secretary of the State

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73. A bill to amend section 21 of act No. 178 of the session laws of 1858, entitled "An act to provide for the publication and distribution of the reports of the secretary of the State

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74. A bill to amend section 21 of act No. 178 of the session laws of 1858, entitled "An act to provide for the publication and distribution of the reports of the secretary of the State

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75. A bill to amend section 21 of act No. 178 of the session laws of 1858, entitled "An act to provide for the publication and distribution of the reports of the secretary of the State

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- similar notices, where the law now requires the posting of written or printed notices, and makes no provision for publishing such notices in newspapers: introduced by Mr. Giddings: tabled February 23..... 838
- taken up; referred to committee on printing March 14..... 747
- reported; general order March 23..... 841
- file No. 173..... 1287
- committee of whole; ordered to third reading April 26..... 1467
- passed; effect 30 days after adjournment; transmitted May 6..... 2285
454. A bill to amend compiler's section No. 481 of Howell's Annotated Statutes relative to publication of proceedings of the annual meetings of the boards of supervisors: introduced by Mr. Giddings: tabled February 23..... 335
455. A bill to establish a State board of arbitration: introduced by Mr. Giddings: tabled February 23..... 335
456. A bill to amend section 9, chapter 2 of act 161 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools," being compiler's section No. 6041 Howell's Annotated Statutes: introduced by Mr. Barringer; referred to committee on education and public schools February 23..... 384
457. A bill to prohibit the sale of opium or its derivations, except by regular practicing physicians or authorized druggists, under the conditions and restrictions imposed by this act, and to provide a penalty therefor: introduced by Mr. Edwards: tabled February 23..... 384
458. A bill to require the judges of the circuit courts throughout this State to hold court in circuits other than those in which they shall have been elected, and to regulate the same: introduced by Mr. Edwards: tabled February 23..... 384
459. A bill to promote efficiency in the management of the Northern Asylum for the Insane at Traverse City: introduced by Mr. Seymour; referred to committee on Northern Asylum February 23..... 384
460. A bill to provide for the appropriation of certain highway taxes for the improvement of a certain State road in the county of Grand Traverse: introduced by Mr. Barton: referred to committee on roads and bridges February 23..... 384
461. A bill to provide for the appropriation of certain highway taxes for the improvement of a certain State road in the county of Leelanaw: introduced by Mr. Barton: referred to committee on roads and bridges February 23..... 385
462. A bill to amend act No. 223, session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to extend the time limited in act No. 68 of the session laws of 1883, for laying out a State road in Grand Traverse county; to authorize the commissioner appointed by virtue of said act to lay out a branch State road in said county, and to authorize said commissioner to expend money or labor contributed in laying out and opening said State road," approved June 17, 1885: introduced by Mr. Barton; referred to committee on roads and bridges February 23..... 385
463. A bill to provide for the laying out of a State road and branches in the county of Leelanaw: introduced by Mr. Barton: referred to committee on roads and bridges February 23..... 385
464. A bill to amend act No. 318, session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Traverse City, within the township of Traverse, county of Grand Traverse and State of Michigan," approved April 9, 1881: introduced by Mr. Barton: referred to committee on cities and villages February 23..... 385
465. A bill to change the boundary line between the township of Traverse and Garfield in the county of Grand Traverse in the State of Michigan: reported; tabled June 24..... 2225

- A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Bay, Arenac and Gladwin, now comprising the 18th judicial circuit :
 returned : referred for enrollment June 28. 1810
 reported enrolled June 27. 2263
 approved June 25. 2269
450. A bill to amend act No. 49 of the session laws of 1883, approved March 27, 1883, entitled "An act to amend section 3067 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 1 of an act entitled 'An act to prevent fishing with nets, seines and pound or trap nets in the small inland lakes and streams in the State of Michigan,'" approved March 11, 1868, as amended by act No. 208 of the session laws of the State of Michigan for the year 1879, approved May 21, 1879, being section 1565 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the State of Michigan :
 introduced by Mr. Root; referred to committee on fisheries February 28. 382
 reported : general order April 9. 1018
 the No. 302.
 committee of whole : ordered to third reading April 27. 1867
 passed : immediate effect : transmitted May 6. 1469
 amended title :
- A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 211 of the session laws of 1855, entitled "An act to prevent fishing with seines and pound or trap nets in the small inland lakes and streams in the State of Michigan," as amended, being compiler's section 2195 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan :
 451. A bill to amend section 8 of act No. 874 of the session laws of 1869, as amended by act No. 229 of the session laws of 1871, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Portland, Louisa county, Michigan :"
 introduced by Mr. Root; referred to committee on cities and villages February 28. 382
 reported : general order April 21. 1196
 committee of whole : ordered to third reading April 27. 1366
 passed : immediate effect : transmitted April 29. 1366
 amended title :
- "A bill to amend section 8 of act No. 874 of the session laws of 1869, entitled 'An act to incorporate the village of Portland, Louisa county,' approved March 18, 1869, as amended by act number 229 of the session laws of 1871, approved March 18, 1871 :"
 returned : referred for enrollment June 1. 1708
 reported enrolled June 1. 1717
 approved June 4. 1776
452. A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 7 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improving and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, being section 1894 of Howell's Annotated Statutes :
 introduced by Mr. Root; tabled February 23. 383
 taken up : referred to committee on roads and bridges March 23. 864
 reported : general order March 23. 891
 the No. 185.
 committee of whole : ordered to third reading April 25. 1847
 passed : immediate effect : transmitted April 29. 1898
 returned substitute : referred to committee on roads and bridges May 24. 1616
 title to substitute :
- A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 2 and section 6 of chapter 7 of act No. 243 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improving and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, being section 1894 of Howell's Annotated Statutes :
 reported : passed : returned June 2. 1722
453. A bill to provide for the publication in newspapers of township proclamations, registration notices, election notices, notices of letting highway and bridge contracts, and all other

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44. A bill to require persons who sell and persons who contract to sell personal property, who retain title thereto, to file a notice of such title in the office of the township clerk, city clerk, and in cities having no such officer as city clerk, the city recorder, where the vendee or contractee of such personal property resides :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary February 23	360
file No. 76.	
reported ; tabled May 27	1681
45. A bill to organize the county of Luce, comprising a portion of Chippewa and Mackinac counties ;	
received ; referred to committee on counties and townships February 16	250
file No. 102.	
reported ; general order February 17	272
committee of whole discharged ; ordered to third reading February 18	306
passed ; not immediate effect ; reconsidered ; tabled February 18	315
taken up ; (see errata) reconsidered ; referred to committee on judiciary (see errata) February 19	326
reported ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned February 21	336
46. A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 318 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to "offenses against property," being compiler's section 9123 :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary January 20	113
file No. 9.	
reported ; general order January 20	180
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading January 20	185
passed ; returned January 31	192
47. Not received.	
48. Not received.	
49. A bill to regulate the sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine and other articles and substances resembling butter :	
received ; referred to committee on agricultural interests February 22	360
file No. 70.	
reported proposed substitute ; printed for committee April 21	1194
Senate file No. 217.	
reported substitute ; general order April 23	1374
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading May 18	1566
passed ; transmitted May 19	1587
amended title :	
A bill to regulate the sale and use of oleomargarine, butterine and other articles and substances resembling butter, and to provide a penalty for the violation of this act :	
returned ; referred for enrollment June 7	1830
reported enrolled June 8	1839
approved June 10	1876
50. Not received.	
51. Not received.	
52. A bill to regulate the use of steam traction engines upon the public highways :	
received ; referred to committee on roads and bridges February 15	237
file No. 28.	
reported ; general order March 4	641
committee of whole ; reprinted ; general order March 5	657
file No. 190.	
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading March 11	716
tabled March 15	760
taken up ; passed ; effect sixty days after approval ; title amended ; returned May 24	1627
53. A bill to re-incorporate the village of Farmington :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages January 26	125
file No. 14.	
reported ; general order January 27	151
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading January 28	170
passed ; immediate effect ; returned February 1	201

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54. Not received.	
55. A bill to prevent persons from unlawfully using or wearing the badge of the Grand Army of the Republic of this State, or of the Loyal Legion of the United States :	
received ; referred to committee on military affairs April 7.....	925
file No. 273.	
reported ; general order April 9.....	1013
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading April 11.....	1044
passed ; immediate effect ; returned April 12.....	1061
56. A bill to prevent the adulteration of candies and confectioneries and the sale thereof when so adulterated, as to be injurious to the public health :	
received ; referred to committee on public health January 27.....	156
file No. 34.	
reported ; general order January 29.....	179
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading January 29.....	186
passed ; returned January 31.....	198
57. A bill to amend sections 13 and 16 of chapter 3, sections 1, 2, 4, 13, 23, 24, 25 and 33 of chapter 4, sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 5, section 1 of chapter 6, sections 1, 3, 9, 13, 15, 17, 21, 25 and 65 of chapter 7, section 1 of chapter 8, sections 1, 7 and 8 of chapter 10, sections 3, 20, 24 and 28 of chapter 11, and to repeal sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 65 of chapter 7, and sections 2 and 3 of chapter 8, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and to add to chapter 8 of said act four new sections to stand as sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, so as to abolish the board of councilmen and to establish a board of estimates in and for the city of Detroit :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages March 30.....	920
file No. 243.	
reported amended ; reprinted for committee April 23.....	1376
Senate file No. 243.	
reported ; general order May 17.....	1546
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading May 20.....	1608
passed ; title amended May 24.....	1630
reconsidered ; not passed ; tabled May 25.....	1643
taken up ; passed ; title amended ; transmitted May 25.....	1664
returned ; referred for enrollment May 27.....	1694
reported enrolled June 1.....	1717
approved June 2.....	1736
58. A bill to provide for laying out and establishing a State road in Bay county to be known as the Bay City and Au Sauble State road extension :	
received ; referred to committee on roads and bridges April 20.....	1181
file No. 123.	
reported ; general order April 22.....	1207
committee of whole discharged ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned April 23.....	1280
requested from House May 10.....	1473
received ; returned May 25.....	1661
59. A bill to designate and make a certain highway in Bay county a State road to be known as the South Bay City and Saginaw State road :	
received ; referred to committee on roads and bridges March 2.....	595
file No. 117.	
reported ; general order March 4.....	641
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading March 6.....	671
passed ; immediate effect ; returned March 9.....	692
60. A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of any county in this State to purchase cemeteries and burial places or lots in any cemetery or burial place for soldiers, sailors and marines :	
received ; referred to committee on military affairs February 16.....	251
file No. 30.	
reported ; general order March 10.....	690

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committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 10.....	699
passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned March 11.....	715
61. A bill to amend the title of act No. 379 of the local acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan for the year 1885, and to amend section 2 of said act, being an act entitled "An act to authorize the county of Bay to buy and maintain or build a bridge across the Saginaw river: "	
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 27.....	359
file No. 64.	
reported; general order April 9.....	1010
committee of whole; ordered to third reading April 20.....	1188
passed; immediate effect; returned April 23.....	1223
requested from House May 10.....	1472
received; returned May 25.....	1661
62. A bill to authorize the township of Blissfield, in Lenawee county, to borrow money to be used in the construction of a bridge and to issue bonds therefor:	
received; passed; immediate effect; returned January 18.....	98
63. Not received.	
64. A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 153 session, laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary June 16.....	1963
file No. 442.	
reported; general order June 22.....	2082
committee of whole discharged; passed; returned June 24.....	2246
65. A bill to incorporate the village of Dryden, Lapeer county:	
received; referred to committee on cities and villages January 25.....	126
file No. 16.	
reported; general order January 27.....	153
committee of whole; passed; immediate effect; returned January 28.....	170
66. Not received.	
67. A bill to amend chapter 55 of the compiled laws of 1871, being chapter 54 of Howell's Annotated Statutes relative to gaming by adding a new section to stand as section 19:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 18.....	298
file No. 59.	
reported; tabled March 23.....	843
68. A bill to provide for the re-issue of lost or destroyed certificates of stock of corporations or companies:	
received; referred to committee on banks and incorporations May 10.....	1469
file No. 369.	
reported; tabled May 25.....	1637
69. Not received.	
70. A bill authorizing the board of trustees of the Northern Michigan Asylum for the insane to purchase certain lands for the use and benefit of said asylum and making an appropriation for the payment therefor:	
received; referred to committee on northern asylum for insane March 30.....	961
file No. 119.	
requested by House; committee discharged April 7.....	980
reported; returned April 7.....	981
received; recommitted April 20.....	1190
reported; referred to committee on appropriations and finance April 22.....	1207
reported; general order April 23.....	1238
committee of whole; passed; immediate effect; returned May 10.....	1474
71. Not received.	
72. Not received.	
73. A bill to define the qualifications of deputy sheriffs and under sheriffs to be hereafter appointed in this State:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary January 25.....	126
file No. 11.	

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reported; general order March 15.....	751
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 16.....	770
passed; returned March 17.....	786
74. A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 4 of an act entitled an act to ascertain the annual cereal products of the State of Michigan, approved February 14, 1859, as amended by act No. 24, session laws of 1879, approved April 2, 1879, being sections 833, 834 and 836 of Howell's Annotated Statutes:	
received; referred to committee on agricultural interests March 2.....	600
file No. 85.	
reported; passed; immediate effect; returned March 3.....	607
75. A bill to amend sections 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Michigan and Huron Institute," approved April 22, 1838:	
received; referred to committee on banks and incorporations February 18.....	299
file No. 45.	
reported; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies March 2.....	580
reported; general order March 3.....	608
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 5.....	658
passed; immediate effect; returned March 8.....	688
76. A bill to punish persons obtaining certificates of registration of cattle and other animals by means of false pretenses and to punish giving false pedigrees:	
received; referred to committee on agricultural interests January 26.....	123
file No. 27.	
reported; general order January 28.....	161
committee of whole; ordered to third reading February 1.....	205
passed; returned February 1.....	211
77. Not received.	
78. A bill to provide for the confinement of certain prisoners in the Detroit House of Correction:	
received; referred to committee on State affairs January 27.....	158
file No. 37.	
reported; general order January 29.....	179
committee of whole; ordered to third reading January 29.....	198
passed; immediate effect; returned February 1.....	201
79. A bill to make an appropriation for the support of the State Agricultural College, for the erection and repair of buildings, and other improvements at said college for the years 1887 and 1888:	
received; referred to committee on Agricultural College May 11.....	1484
file No. 393.	
reported; referred to committee on appropriations and finance May 17.....	1527
reported; general order May 25.....	1656
committee of whole; ordered to third reading May 25.....	1683
passed; immediate effect; returned May 28.....	1688
80. A bill to amend section 13 of act No. 153 of the public acts of 1885, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary June 15.....	1935
file No. 440.	
reported; general order June 21.....	2048
committee of whole discharged; passed; returned June 24.....	2234
81. Not received.	
82. A bill to enable land holders to recover the possession of land from railroad companies in certain cases:	
received; referred to committee on railroads March 8.....	638
file No. 106.	
reported; general order May 27.....	1688
83. A bill to amend section 899, chapter 24, title 7, Howell's Annotated Statutes of the State of Michigan, relative to the organization of the military forces of the State:	
received; referred to committee on military affairs February 1.....	206

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reported; general order February 16.....	246
committee of whole; ordered to third reading February 19.....	327
passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned February 19.....	332
84. Not received.	
85. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Ovid," approved March 24, 1869, being act No. 346 of the session laws of 1869:	
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21.....	338
file No. 43.	
reported; passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned March 2.....	586
86. A bill to re-incorporate the village of Romeo:	
received; passed; immediate effect; returned February 16.....	249
87. A bill defining the duties and regulating the compensation of the official stenographer of the 14th judicial circuit of the State of Michigan in the matter of filing transcripts of court proceedings in the circuit courts thereof:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 22.....	1214
file No. 306.	
reported; ordered to third reading June 10.....	1871
tabled June 14.....	1918
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned June 17.....	1998
88. A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 6 of act No. 278 of the local acts of the session laws of the State of Michigan for 1883; also to amend section 4 of said act as amended by act No. 350 of the local acts of the session laws of the State of Michigan for 1885, relative to stone roads in Bay county:	
received; referred to committee on roads and bridges March 2.....	595
file No. 118.	
reported; general order March 4.....	641
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 8.....	671
passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned March 9.....	682
89. Not received.	
90. A bill to authorize the township of James, in Saginaw county, to borrow four thousand dollars on its bonds to build a bridge across the Tittabawassee river:	
received; referred to committee on roads and bridges March 2.....	596
file No. 63.	
reported; passed; immediate effect; returned March 2.....	593
91. A bill to enable associations of persons to become a body corporate, to raise funds to be loaned only among the members of such association:	
received; referred to committee on banks and incorporations February 1.....	207
file No. 38.	
reported substitute; printed in Journal; general order March 11.....	705
title of substitute:	
"A bill to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations, generally known as building and loan associations:"	
committee of whole; printed; general order March 16.....	773
Senate file No. 157.	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 23.....	865
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 24.....	874
returned; referred for enrollment March 26.....	892
reported enrolled March 29.....	905
approved March 29.....	909
92. A bill to prohibit the destruction of fish in Klinger Lake, White Pidgeon township, or Middle Lake in Sherman and Sturgis townships in the county of St. Joseph:	
received; referred to committee on fisheries April 22.....	1219
file No. 325.	
reported; general order May 6.....	1449
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 4.....	1732
passed; immediate effect; returned June 6.....	1795
93. Not received.	

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94. Not received.	
95. A bill to re-incorporate the village of Chase in the county of Lake :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages January 25.....	126
file No. 25.	
reported ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned January 26.....	142
96. Not received.	
97. A bill to amend section 9 of article 2 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, being an act entitled an act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or opening any railroad in this State, approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 177 of public acts of 1877, approved May 22, 1877, being compiler's section 3323 of Howell's Annotated Statutes as amended by act No. 116, public acts of 1883, approved May 24, 1883 :	
received ; referred to committee on railroads May 20.....	1600
file No. 407.	
reported ; tabled June 8.....	1593
motion to take up ; adjournment June 9.....	1863
taken up ; indefinitely postponed June 10.....	1883
98. Not received.	
99. Not received.	
100. Not received.	
101. Not received.	
102. A bill to change the name of Arthur W. Gleason to Arthur W. McCarty, and make him the heir-at-law of William McCarty and Betsy McCarty :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary March 19.....	813
reported ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned April 26.....	1353
103. A bill to re-incorporate the village of Bellevue, in the county of Eaton :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages February 16.....	243
reported ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned February 17.....	293
104. Not received.	
105. A bill to designate and establish a State road in Bay county to be known as the Williams and Garfield State road :	
received ; referred to committee on roads and villages March 30.....	951
file No. 116.	
reported ; general order April 9.....	1013
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading April 20.....	1136
passed ; returned April 22.....	1223
106. A bill to change the name of Albert Saunders to Albert Saunders Baldwin, and make him the heir-at-law of Edwin Baldwin and Harriet Baldwin :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary March 9.....	679
file No. 125.	
reported ; general order May 12.....	1501
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading June 1.....	1710
passed ; immediate effect ; returned June 2.....	1732
107. Not received.	
108. A bill to provide for the garnishment of executors and administrators :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary April 14.....	1119
file No. 294.	
reported ; general order May 12.....	1503
committee of whole discharged ; not passed June 24.....	2229
109. A bill to facilitate the disposal and settlement of State, part-paid swamp, school and other lands :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary February 23.....	536
file No. 94.	
reported ; general order March 9.....	676
committee of whole ; tabled March 10.....	700
taken up ; read third time ; adjournment March 16.....	774
passed ; title amended ; immediate effect ; returned March 17.....	791

110. Not received.	
111. Not received.	
112. A bill making an appropriation for the purpose of defraying the expense of the Governor and judges of the supreme court of the State of Michigan, at the constitutional centennial celebration of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States, to be held at Philadelphia, September 15, 16 and 17, 1887:	
received; referred to committee on appropriations and finance June 24.....	2218
reported; tabled June 24.....	2240
113. Not received.	
114. A bill to amend section 4806 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 6086 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to sale of lands of minors and other persons under guardianship:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 1.....	206
file No. 47.	
reported; general order March 2.....	587
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 3.....	684
passed; immediate effect; returned March 4.....	645
115. A bill to amend section 4547 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 20 of the session laws of 1871, being section 6027 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to the sale of real estate of deceased persons by executors and administrators:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 1.....	206
file No. 48.	
reported; general order March 2.....	588
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 3.....	684
passed; immediate effect; returned March 4.....	645
116. A bill to amend section 4581 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 184 of the laws of 1875, being section 6011 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to the specific performance by executors and administrators of land contracts of deceased persons:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 1.....	207
file No. 49.	
reported; general order March 2.....	587
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 3.....	684
passed; immediate effect; returned March 4.....	644
117. A bill to repeal sections 4854, 4855 and 4856 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act 188 of the laws of 1877, and act 37 of the laws of 1879, being chapter 242 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to the adoption and change of names of minors, and the change of names of adults:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 1.....	207
file No. 50.	
reported; general order May 18.....	1517
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 2.....	1744
passed; immediate effect; returned June 3.....	1761
118. A bill to provide for the adoption and change of name of minors, and for making them heirs-at-law of the person or persons adopting them:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 1.....	207
file No. 51.	
reported; general order May 18.....	1514
committee of whole; ordered to third reading May 20.....	1606
passed; immediate effect; returned May 25.....	1647
119. A bill to provide for the change of name of adults:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 1.....	207
file No. 52.	
reported; general order May 18.....	1516
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 2.....	1745
passed; immediate effect; returned June 3.....	1761
120. A bill to amend section 4386 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 5886 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to residuary legatee's bonds:	

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received; referred to committee on judiciary February 18.....	296
file No. 58.	
reported; general order May 18.....	1515
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 2.....	1744
passed; returned June 8.....	1757
121. Not received.	
122. Not received.	
123. A bill to authorize the board of State auditors to audit the claim of Alphonso Button, of the Curtenius Guards, of Mason, Michigan (an organized volunteer uniformed militia company, under the laws of the State of Michigan), as compensation for injuries sustained by him from premature discharge of cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty in drill and exercise in celebrating the anniversary of our national independence at the village of Mason, in the county of Ingham and State of Michigan, on the 8d day of July, 1858:	
received; referred to committees on appropriations and finance and military affairs March 1.....	573
file No. 107.	
reported; referred to committee on military affairs March 10.....	689
reported; referred to committee on appropriations and finance March 18.....	798
reported; general order March 23.....	858
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 25.....	868
recommitted March 30.....	959
reported substitute; general order April 23.....	1229
Senate file No. 223.	
title of substitute:	
A bill to compensate Alphonso Button for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty as a member of the gun squad of the Curtenius Guard (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company organized under the laws of the State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 8d day of July, 1858:	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading May 12.....	1511
passed; notice of reconsideration May 17.....	1541
reconsidered; recommitted May 19.....	1594
reported substitute; tabled; printed in Journal May 19.....	1592
title to substitute:	
Joint resolution to authorize and instruct the board of State auditors to examine into and if they deem it justifiable to allow the claim of Alphonso Button for injuries sustained by him from a premature discharge of a cannon while engaged in the regular performance of his duty as a member of the gun squad of the Curtenius Guard (an organized volunteer, uniformed militia company organized under the laws of the State of Michigan), at Mason, Michigan, on the 8d day of July, 1858:	
taken up; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 20.....	1603
returned; referred for enrollment May 20.....	1608
reported enrolled May 24.....	1615
approved May 25.....	1636
124. Not received.	
125. Not received.	
126. Not received.	
127. A bill to amend section 1 of act 177, session laws of 1859, being compiler's section No. 80 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to the registration of voters:	
received; referred to committee on State affairs February 1.....	207
file No. 55.	
reported; tabled May 6.....	1449
128. A bill to repeal section 7 of act No. 259 of the session laws of 1881, being compiler's section 2276 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to punishment of drunk and intoxicated persons:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 28.....	506
file No. 98.	

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reported; general order May 18.....	1515
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 2.....	1744
passed: immediate effect; returned June 8.....	1757
129. A bill to prevent obstruction of sewers in the city of Detroit by water pipes, gas pipes, or other pipes:	
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 20.....	1599
file No. 386.	
reported; general order June 2.....	1735
130. A bill to amend act 347 of the session laws of 1881, entitled an act to incorporate the city of Eton Rapids, and to repeal an act incorporating the village of Eaton Rapids, approved April 1, 1881, by adding 10 new sections thereto to stand as sections 55 to 64 inclusive:	
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 18.....	299
file No. 60.	
reported; passed; immediate effect February 25.....	409
reconsidered; recommitted February 28.....	424
reported; passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned March 2.....	583
131. A bill to prohibit the sale or giving away of intoxicating liquors in the vicinity of the Soldiers' Home:	
received; referred to committee on liquor traffic February 18.....	299
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reported; read third time; general order February 23.....	394
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committee of whole; passed; title amended; effect May 1; returned February 24.....	404
recommitted; non-concurred in amendments; adhered and committee of conference requested March 2.....	601
re-transmitted for correction; insisted and committee requested March 3.....	635
request granted; committee appointed March 7.....	661
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re-transmitted with concurrence; tabled March 14.....	745
taken up; concurred in; returned March 15.....	757
132. Not received.	
133. A bill to define and regulate the business of pawn brokers:	
received; referred to committee on State affairs March 1.....	572
file No. 108.	
reported; referred to committee on judiciary April 20.....	1181
134. A bill to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographers of the circuit courts for the counties of Manistee, Lake, Osceola and Mason, now comprising the nineteenth judicial circuit:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 8.....	904
file No. 80.	
reported; ordered to third reading June 10.....	1870
passed; immediate effect; returned June 14.....	1917
requested from House June 23.....	2103
received; reconsidered; amended; passed; immediate effect; returned June 23.....	2135
135. A bill to incorporate the village of Durand, in Shiawassee county:	
received; referred to committee on cities and villages January 29.....	183
reported; passed; immediate effect; returned February 2.....	214
136. A bill to authorize the township of Deerfield, in Lenawee county, to borrow money to be used in the construction of a bridge, and to issue bonds therefor:	
received; tabled January 29.....	183
taken up; ordered to third reading February 1.....	201
passed; immediate effect; returned February 1.....	204
137. A bill making an appropriation to pay deficiency existing in the building and furnishing fund of the Michigan Soldiers' Home:	
received; referred to committee on Soldiers' Home January 28.....	164
reported; referred to committee on appropriations and finance February 2.....	213
reported; passed; immediate effect; returned February 2.....	216

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133. See No. 203.	
139. A bill to provide for the appointment of a game and fish warden, and to prescribe his powers and duties :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary February 2.....	218
file No. 62.	
reported ; ordered to third reading March 11.....	704
passed ; immediate effect ; returned March 11.....	715
140. Not received.	
141. Not received.	
142. A bill to amend sections 21 and 22 of chapter 28 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, being compiler's sections No. 1262 and 1263, relative to hawkers and peddlers :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary February 23.....	360
file No. 65.	
reported ; general order April 7.....	975
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading April 11.....	1044
passed ; returned April 12.....	1092
143. A bill to change the name of Edwin N. Chapman to Edwin N. Brown :	
received ; referred to committee on State affairs April 14.....	1119
file No. 291.	
reported ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned April 22.....	1206
144. Not received.	
145. A bill to detach certain places and parcels of land of section 18 of the township of Lyons and county of Ionia, from fractional school district No. 1, of the townships of Lyons and Ionia, and attach the same to school district No. 10, of the township of Lyons :	
received ; referred to committee on education and public schools March 3.....	682
file No. 114.	
reported ; general order March 30.....	913
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading April 11.....	1043
passed ; immediate effect ; returned April 12.....	1088
146. Not received.	
147. Not received.	
148. Not received.	
149. A bill to authorize the county of Presque Isle to issue bonds and to create a sinking fund for the payment thereof, and of bonds heretofore issued :	
received ; referred to committee on counties and townships April 7.....	979
file No. 252.	
reported ; read third time ; referred to committee on judiciary April 8.....	982
reported amended ; printed for committee May 11.....	1490
Senate file No. 260.	
reported ; general order May 25.....	1636
committee of whole discharged ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned June 23.....	2111
150. A bill to provide for an appropriation for the preparation, publication and distribution of the proceedings of the annual meeting of the Michigan superintendents of the poor for the years 1887 and 1888 :	
received ; referred to committee on appropriations and finance February 21.....	300
file No. 66.	
reported ; general order April 13.....	1099
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading April 20.....	1186
passed ; returned April 22.....	1223
retransmitted with non-concurrence ; recommitted May 3.....	1411
reported ; insisted ; returned June 8.....	1837
151. Not received.	
152. Not received.	
153. Not received.	
154. A bill to make possession of game or fish out of season <i>prima facie</i> evidence of the violation of the laws protecting the same :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary March 2.....	594

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file No. 68.	
reported; general order April 7.....	981
committee of whole; ordered to third reading April 11.....	1043
passed; immediate effect; returned April 12.....	1089
155. A bill to provide for the appointment, compensation and duties of a stenographer for the sixth judicial circuit:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 8.....	994
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reported; ordered to third reading June 10.....	1839
passed; immediate effect; returned June 14.....	1916
156. A bill to provide compensation to stenographers for transcripts of cases stenographically reported in the courts for the fifth judicial circuit of the State of Michigan:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 23.....	1214
file No. 312.	
reported; ordered to third reading June 10.....	1870
tabled June 14.....	1918
taken up; substitute; passed; immediate effect; transmitted June 14.....	1924
returned non-concurred in; reconsidered; tabled June 18.....	1970
taken up; substitute reconsidered and withdrawn; substitute; passed; immediate effect; transmitted June 17.....	1994
returned; referred for enrollment June 21.....	2053
reported enrolled June 23.....	2079
approved June 24.....	2188
157. A bill to provide for the payment of bounties for the killing of English sparrows:	
received; referred to committee on State affairs March 2.....	600
file No. 181.	
reported; general order March 5.....	653
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 8.....	671
passed; immediate effect; returned March 8.....	672
158. A bill making it the duty of the several registers of deeds to keep up such indexes as shall be provided by the several counties:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary March 11.....	712
file No. 67.	
reported; general order April 14.....	1116
committee of whole; ordered to third reading April 20.....	1188
tabled April 22.....	1225
taken up; passed; title amended; returned June 2.....	1743
159. Not received.	
160. A bill to incorporate the village of Pinconning in Bay county, Michigan:	
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 25.....	1638
reported; tabled June 1.....	1702
taken up; ordered to third reading June 8.....	1832
passed; immediate effect; returned June 14.....	1911
161. A bill providing for the employment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the second judicial circuit, State of Michigan:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 23.....	1214
file No. 313.	
reported; ordered to third reading June 10.....	1871
passed; immediate effect; returned June 14.....	1915
162. Not received.	
163. A bill for the prevention and restriction of hydrophobia and glanders:	
received; referred to committee on agricultural interests February 23.....	565
file No. 86.	
reported; general order March 15.....	
committee of whole; referred to committee on public health March 16.....	771
reported; general order March 25.....	881
committee of whole; ordered to third reading April 20.....	1189
tabled April 23.....	1225

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taken up; ordered to third reading April 26.....	1267
passed; effect 30 days after approval; notice of reconsideration April 29.....	1294
reconsidered; tabled May 8.....	1414
taken up; ordered to third reading May 26.....	1646
not passed; reconsidered; tabled May 25.....	1651
motion to take up; adjournment June 3.....	1769
motion withdrawn June 4.....	1781
164. Not received.	
165. Not received.	
166. A bill to incorporate the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of this State:	
received; referred to committee on banks and incorporations February 24.....	492
file No. 74.....	
reported; general order March 8.....	608
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 5.....	656
passed; immediate effect (see errata); returned March 7.....	663
167. Not received.	
168. A bill to provide for the drainage and reclamation of swamp land by means of a ditch from Little Black Lake in Muskegon county to Lake Michigan, and to make an appropriation of State swamp land therefor:	
received; referred to committee on public lands May 5.....	1441
file No. 366.....	
reported; general order May 19.....	1593
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 15.....	1939
passed; immediate effect; returned June 21.....	2088
169. A bill to provide for the organization of log and timber insurance companies, to insure against the risk of inland navigation in towing or transportation of logs or timber, and to define their powers:	
received; tabled January 29.....	163
taken up; referred to committee on insurance February 1.....	194
printed for committee February 1.....	196
file No. 81.....	
reported; general order March 24.....	266
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 26.....	296
passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned March 30.....	296
170. A bill to amend section 76 of chapter 14 of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 596 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to the powers and duties of sheriffs:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary March 2.....	594
file No. 113.....	
reported; general order March 9.....	675
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 9.....	683
passed; returned March 10.....	686
171. Not received.	
172. Not received.	
173. A bill making an appropriation for the general expenses of the State government, salaries of State officers, expenses of State departments and expenses of the State Legislature for the years 1887 and 1888, and to provide a tax for the payment of the same:	
reported; referred to committee on appropriations and finance June 24.....	2217
reported; passed; immediate effect; returned June 24.....	2249
174. A bill to amend section 7 of article 2 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State," approved May 1, 1873, as amended, being compiler's section 3350 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act No. 174 of the session laws of 1883:	
received; referred to committee on railroads May 17.....	1547
file No. 364.....	
reported; tabled June 22.....	2217

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175. A bill to authorize the Ingham County Agricultural Society to mortgage or sell its real estate for the purpose of paying its indebtedness :	
received ; referred to committee on agricultural interests February 22	350
file No. 72.	
reported ; general order March 15.....	749
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading March 16.....	770
passed ; immediate effect ; returned March 17.....	784
176. Not received.	
177. Not received.	
178. A bill to preserve the purity of elections, and guard against abuses of the elective franchise :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary June 8.....	1843
file No. 443.	
reported ; special order for June 21 at 10:30 and continuously, June 18.....	2026
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading June 21.....	2080
not passed ; reconsidered ; tabled June 23.....	2155
taken up ; passed ; returned June 24.....	2207
179. Not received.	
180. Not received.	
181. Not received.	
182. A bill to amend section 17, public act No. 84 of 1885, entitled "An act to establish a recorder's court for the city of Kalamazoo, and to define the jurisdiction of the same :"	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary March 1.....	579
file No. 112.	
reported ; general order March 15.....	758
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading March 16.....	770
passed ; immediate effect ; returned March 17.....	786
183. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 171, session laws of 1873, entitled "An act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders," approved April 29, 1873, as amended by act No. 37, public acts of 1875, approved March 19, 1875, being compiler's section 9894 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, as amended by act No. 168, public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885 :	
received ; referred to committee on State affairs June 7	1830
file No. 310.	
reported ; general order June 9.....	1865
committee of whole discharged ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned June 24.....	2224
184. A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 12 of the school laws, being compiler's section 5160, Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to the compensation of chairmen of township boards of school inspectors :	
received ; referred to committee on education and public schools February 25.....	418
file No. 78.	
reported ; tabled June 22.....	2116
185. A bill to incorporate the village of Carson City, in the township of Bloomer, county of Montcalm and State of Michigan :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages January 29	189
reported ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned February 2.....	215
186. Not received.	
187. A bill to amend section 14 of chapter 196, being compiler's section 5091 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to the apportionment of the one-mill tax :	
received ; referred to committee on education and public schools March 3	623
file No. 127.	
reported ; tabled March 14	719
taken up ; recommitted March 22.....	847
reported ; general order April 8.....	994
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading April 11.....	1044
passed ; returned April 12.....	1098
188. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 259, session laws of 1881, being compiler's section 2271 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to the selling, furnishing or giving of	

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any spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented or vinous liquors, or any beverage, liquor or liquids containing any spirituous, malt, brewed, fermented or vinous liquors to certain persons:	
received; referred to committee on liquor traffic February 28.....	585
file No. 87.	
reported; tabled June 23.....	2114
189. Not received.	
190. Not received.	
191. Not received.	
192. Not received.	
193. A bill making an appropriation of State swamp lands to aid the county of Barry to drain and reclaim certain swamps and overflowed lands, by opening and deepening Thornapple river near the outlet of Thornapple Lake, to authorize a tax to complete the same and provide for such opening and deepening of such outlet:	
received; referred to committee on public lands June 2.....	1740
file No. 415.	
reported substitute; general order June 7.....	1815
Senate file No. 297.	
title of substitute:	
"A making an appropriation of State swamp lands for the purpose of opening, cleaning out, dredging and deepening Thornapple river, near the outlet of Thornapple Lake, in the township of Hastings, in the county of Barry:"	
committee of whole discharged; passed; immediate effect; transmitted June 23.....	2182
returned; referred for enrollment June 24.....	2216
reported enrolled June 27.....	2280
approved June 27.....	2282
194. A bill to make an appropriation for the erection of an addition to the normal school building, and for providing the necessary heating apparatus, furniture and fixtures therefor:	
received; referred to committee on Normal School May 25.....	1642
file No. 392.	
reported; referred to committee on appropriations and finance May 25.....	1657
reported; general order June 10.....	1899
committee of whole (see errata); ordered to third reading June 14.....	1927
passed; immediate effect; returned June 14.....	1938
195. A bill to amend section 53 of an act entitled An act to regulate and govern the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia as amended by act No. 24 of the session laws of 1885:	
received; referred to committee on State House of Correction April 6.....	969
file No. 232.	
reported; general order April 28.....	1376
committee of whole; ordered to third reading May 18.....	1586
passed; immediate effect; returned May 19.....	1595
196. Not received.	
197. Not received.	
198. A bill to legalize the action of the board of school inspectors of the township of Nottawa, in the county of Isabella, and to establish the boundaries of school district No. 2 in said township:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 23.....	1343
file No. 383.	
reported; referred to committee on education and public schools April 27.....	1355
reported; passed; immediate effect; returned May 12.....	1504
199. A bill to amend section 22 of act No. 182, session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a State live stock sanitary commission and a State veterinarian, and to prescribe their powers and duties, and to suppress and prevent contagious and infectious diseases among the live stock of the State:"	
received; referred to committee on public health February 28.....	585
file No. 109.	
committee of whole; ordered to third reading March 3.....	635

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200.	Not received.	
201.	Not received.	
202.	A bill to amend section 20 of act No. 231 of the session laws of 1879, entitled "An act to enlarge and define the duties of the State board of education," being compiler's section No. 4971 of Howell's Annotated Statutes: received; referred to committee on education and public schools March 9..... file No. 99. reported; tabled March 14.....	680 719
203.	A bill to amend section 2196 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relating to the protection of game: received; referred to committee on State affairs March 22..... file No. 77. reported; tabled May 18..... taken up; general order May 18..... placed at head of calendar June 17..... committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 18..... passed; returned June 22..... requested from House June 22..... received; title amended; returned June 23.....	852 1556 1559 1999 2024 2075 2102 2135
204.	A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto, being act No. 227 of the session laws of 1835, approved June 20, 1835, relative to the appointment of county drain commissioners in certain cases: received; referred to committee on judiciary April 7..... file No. 158. reported; general order May 12..... committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 2..... not passed; reconsidered; passed; immediate effect; returned June 3.....	984 1502 1734 1754
205.	Not received.	
206.	A bill to incorporate the village of Reese in Tuscola county: received; passed; immediate effect; returned February 17..... file No. 79.	277
207.	A bill to amend section No. 3 of chapter No. 12 of act No. 164 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act," being compiler's section No. 5152 of Howell's Annotated Statutes: received; referred to committee on education and public schools March 9..... file No. 96. reported; tabled June 22.....	680 3116
208.	A bill to amend sections 5968 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the competency of witnesses and the examination of parties in certain cases, as amended by act No. 155 of the public acts of 1875, approved April 29, 1875, and by act No. 245 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 10, 1881, being compiler's section 7545 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, as amended by act No. 129 of the public acts of 1885, approved June 4, 1885: received; referred to committee on judiciary June 2..... file No. 437. reported; general order June 21.....	1740 2046
209.	Not received.	
210.	Not received.	
211.	Not received.	
212.	See No. 308.	
213.	Not received.	
214.	A bill to provide for the publication of the proceedings of the Michigan Dairymen's Association: received; referred to committee on agricultural interests March 1..... file No. 105.	573

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reported ; general order March 15.....	750
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading March 16.....	770
passed ; immediate effect ; returned March 17.....	785
215. A bill making appropriations for the current expenses of the State Normal School for the years 1887 and 1888 :	
received ; referred to committee on appropriations and finance April 9.....	1036
file No. 215.	
reported ; general order April 13.....	1099
committee of whole ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned April 20.....	1188
216. A bill to authorize the trustees, vestrymen, consistory, or other governing body of any religious society incorporated under the laws of this State, to receive money by gift or bequest when the same is to be invested and the income thereof applied in payment or part payment of the salary of their minister, priest, rector, parson or clergyman :	
received ; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies April 23.....	1244
file No. 329.	
reported ; general order April 26.....	1253
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading May 12.....	1510
passed ; immediate effect ; returned May 17.....	1540
217. A bill to authorize the city of Mt. Clemens to establish and regulate a park :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary February 1.....	196
reported ; ordered to third reading February 2.....	213
passed ; immediate effect ; returned February 2.....	223
218. A bill to consolidate Au Sable and Oscoda, to be known as the City of Au Sable :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages June 24.....	2195
reported ; general order June 24.....	2222
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219. A bill to incorporate the village of Oakley, Saginaw county :	
received ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned February 17.....	279
220. Not received.	
221. Not received.	
222. A bill to amend section 9 of act 148, session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to establish a State House of Correction and a branch of the State prison in the Upper Peninsula, and to provide for the location and erection thereof and making an appropriation therefor :"	
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329. A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of an act to re-organize the public library of Bay City and to repeal section 12 of act No. 370 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to organize union school districts of Bay City," approved March 20, 1867, approved May 3, 1877, and said section 1, as amended by act No. 390 of the session laws of 1881, approved May 25, 1881:	
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346. A bill to provide for the completion and furnishing of the State House of Correction and branch of the State prison at Marquette in the Upper Peninsula, and to make an appropriation therefor:	
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347. Not received.	
348. Not received.	
349. A bill to amend section 7 of act No. 254 of the session laws of 1899, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Burlington," approved March 8, 1899:	
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350. Not received.	
351. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 177 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act relative to the delivery of grain by railroad companies," approved May 31, 1881, being compiler's section 3422 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan:	
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352. Not received.	
353. A bill making an appropriation for the support of the Michigan School for the Blind for the years 1887 and 1888:	
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369. Not received.	
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371. A bill to regulate the trial of actions for damages arising from negligence :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary May 5	1429
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372. Not received.	
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committee of whole ; passed ; title amended ; returned June 15	1945
374. Not received.	
375. A bill to amend section 6 of act No. 264 of the local acts of 1869, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the village of Saugatuck," approved March 12, 1869 :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages February 18	300
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passed ; immediate effect ; transmitted May 19	1590
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376. Not received.	
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A bill to amend section 2, chapter 4 and sections 2 and 6 of chapter 10 of act No. 826 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, 'approved June 7, 1883, as amended by act approved June 10, '1885 :"	
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440. Not received.	
441. Not received.	
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447. Not received.	
448. A bill to provide for the ceding to the United States of exclusive jurisdiction over the site and grounds in the city of Detroit, Michigan, described as follows: All that block of land lying between Shelby street on the east and Wayne street on the west, Fort street on the south and Lafayette avenue on the north, to be used for the erection of a public building for the uses of the United States court, postoffice, custom house, internal revenue office and other public offices of the United States in the city of Detroit, Michigan, during the time the United States shall be or remain the owner thereof for all purposes except the administration of the criminal cases of the State of Michigan and the service of civil process therein:	
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449. Not received.	
450. A bill to legalize the proceedings had in laying out and completing a certain ditch or drain in the township of Leroy, in the county of Ingham, and to legalize the tax therefor:	
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451. A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act 152 of session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation of persons, copartnerships, associations, car loaning companies, corporations and fast freight lines engaged in the business of running cars over any of the railroads of this State, and not being exclusively the property of any railroad company paying specific taxes on their gross receipts:	
received; passed; immediate effect; returned June 24.....	2193
452. Not received.	
453. A bill to provide for the payment of damages by corporations for the loss of life by the carelessness or neglect of corporations or their employes:	
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454. Not received.	
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456. Not received.	
457. Not received.	
458. Not received.	
459. Not received.	
460. Not received.	
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463. A bill to amend sections 26, 31 and 41 of act No. 175 of the session laws of 1851, entitled "An act to provide for holding general and special elections," being compiler's sections 162, 167 and 177 of Howell's Annotated Statutes:	
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464. Not received.	
465. A bill to incorporate the village of Port Hope, in the county of Huron and State of Michigan:	
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466. Not received.	
467. Not received.	
468. Not received.	
469. A bill to amend sections 9 and 10 of chapter 170 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's sections 6231 and 6232 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to divorce, and to add 3 new sections to said chapter to stand as sections 44, 45 and 46:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 8.....	1001
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committee of whole; ordered to third reading May 20	1606
passed; returned May 25	1646
470. A bill to repeal sections 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of act No. 144 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the compulsory education of children in certain cases," approved June 5, 1883:	
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471. A bill to repeal act No. 106 public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the compulsory reformatory education of juvenile disorderly persons," approved May 21, 1885:;	
received; referred to committee on education and public schools June 16	1963
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473. A bill to authorize the common council of the village of Lowell, to raise money to pay the indebtedness of said village on judgment against it:	
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474. Not received.	
475. A bill to legalize an ordinance to prescribe certain fire limits in the village of Imlay City, Lapeer county, State of Michigan, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof:	
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reported; passed; immediate effect; returned April 13.....	1108
476. Not received.	

477. Not received.
478. A bill to amend act No. 232 of the local acts of 1875, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Lansing," approved March 25, 1875, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, by adding thereto a new title to stand as title 17 and to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of title 12 of said act:
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479. Not received.
480. Not received.
481. Not received.
482. A bill to amend act No. 317 of the session laws of 1883, being "An act to organize a public library in West Bay City," by adding a new section thereto numbered section 9 for the purpose of providing a fund for the enlargement and improvement of said public library:
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483. Not received.
484. Not received.
485. Not received.
486. Not received.
487. Not received.
488. Not received.
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490. Not received.
491. A bill to incorporate the city of Marine City, in the county of St. Clair, and to repeal act No. 323 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Marine City," approved April 23, 1885:
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492. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 157 of the session laws of 1883, being compiler's section 7091 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, being an act entitled "An act to protect the rights of laborers:"
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493. A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 78 session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the incorporation of manufacturers' mutual fire insurance companies," approved May 10, 1883, and to add 4 new sections to said act to be designated as sections 17, 18, 19 and 20:
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494. Not received.
495. A bill to change the name of the village of Jenisonville in the county of Ottawa to Jenison:
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496. Not received.

497. Not received.	
498. Not received.	
499. Not received.	
500. A bill to create a board of fire commissioners in Bay City, and to define and regulate the powers, duties and compensation thereof:	
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501. Not received.	
502. Not received.	
503. Not received.	
504. A bill to revise, consolidate and amend the liquor laws of this State:	
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505. A bill to provide for the election of a mine inspector for each county possessing mines, and define and prescribe his duties:	
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507. A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Lakesfield, Mackinac county, and to organize the same into a separate township to be known as the township of Portage:	
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508. A bill to revise and amend the charter of the village of Vicksburg, Kalamazoo county:	
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509. A bill to amend sections 1344 and 1345 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the recording of town plats and the vacations of the same, as amended by act No. 106, session laws of 1873, approved April 17, 1873, being compiler's sections 1478 and 1474 of Howell's Anno-	

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510. Not received.	
511. Not received.	
512. Not received.	
513. Not received.	
514. Not received.	
515. Not received.	
516. Not received.	
517. A bill to amend sections 4814, 4815 and 4816 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being compiler's sections 6306, 6307, and 6308 of Howell's Annotated Statutes relative to guardians and wards:	
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518. A bill to provide for the registration of physicians and surgeons, and to protect the people of the State of Michigan from empiricism and quackery, and to repeal act No. 167 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to promote public health:"	
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519. Not received.	
520. Not received.	
521. A bill to incorporate the village of Sherwood, in Branch county:	
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 25.....	419
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522. Not received.	
523. Not received.	
524. Not received.	
525. A bill to amend act No. 260 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 10, 1881, being chapter 52 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, relative to the protection of children in certain cases, by adding four new sections thereto, to stand as sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 of said act:	
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526. A bill to amend sections 7 and 17 of chapter 8 of act No. 245 of local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Escanaba, in the county of Delta," approved March 27, 1883, and to add to chapter 23 of said act ten new sections to stand as sections 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of said chapter:	
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527. Not received.	
528. A bill making appropriations for the current expenses and for buildings, etc., for the Reform School for the year 1887-1888:	
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529. See No. 528.	
530. A bill to amend section 1674 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 30 of the session laws of 1873, approved March 14, 1873, the same being compiler's section 4207 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to insurance bureaus:	
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531. A bill to provide for the punishment of crimes committed by any person while confined, or before the expiration of his sentence, in any of the penal institutions in this State:	
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passed: immediate effect; returned May 26.....	1699
532. A bill to amend section 11 of act No. 113 of the laws of 1889, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of companies for the introduction of water into towns, cities and villages in the State of Michigan," being section 3128 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan:	
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533. Not received.	
534. Not received.	
535. Not received.	
536. A bill to confirm assessments and the levy of taxes for municipal purposes in the city of East Saginaw for the years 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876, 1877 and 1878, under the provisions of the charter of said city, and all titles to lands based on the sales made by said city for non-payment thereof, and to authorize said city to institute suits for the recovery of such lands, and in certain cases to maintain proceedings in chancery for the enforcement of the lien of said taxes:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary June 13.....	1901
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537. A bill to amend sections 15 and 20 of act No. 211 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Lowell," approved March 15, 1881, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereon:	
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539. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of East Saginaw, being act 355 of local acts of 1885, approved May 19, 1885, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of East Saginaw,'" approved February 14, 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof:	
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543. Not received.	
544. Not received.	
545. Not received.	
546. A bill to define the duties of city and village marshals, constables, sheriffs and other officers relative to making complaints for violations of the laws regulating or prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors, and to create a penalty for neglect of such duties:	
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548. A bill making appropriations for the Institution for Educating the Deaf and Dumb for the years 1887 and 1888:	
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551. Not received.	
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553. Not received.	
554. Not received.	
555. Not received.	
556. Not received.	
557. A bill to authorize the village of West Branch, in the county of Ogemaw, to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor, and to provide for the levying of taxes therein to pay the same:	
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563. Not received.	
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580. A bill to amend section 23 of act No. 250 of the session laws of 1873, being an act to revise the charter of the city of Coldwater, as amended by act No. 353 of the local acts of the session laws of 1879, by adding a proviso for alternative sentences by justices of the peace:	
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581. Not received.	
582. Not received.	
583. A bill to attach certain territory from the township of Gerrish, in the county of Roscommon in the State, and to organize the township of Lake, in said county:	
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584. Not received.	
585. A bill to authorize the township of Cumming, in the county of Ogemaw, Michigan, to borrow money upon its bonds to pay outstanding township and highway orders, and its other lawful obligations, and to provide for the payment of said bonds:	
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586. A bill making an appropriation for the purchase of books for the State library and for other purposes pertaining to the State library for the years 1887 and 1888:	
received; referred to committee on State library April 7.....	979
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reported; referred to committee on appropriations and finance April 12.....	1058
reported; general order April 22.....	1206
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passed; immediate effect; returned May 6.....	1459
587. A bill for the incorporation of companies for the purpose of buying and selling brood animals:	
received; referred to committee on agricultural interests March 22.....	853
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reported; general order April 9.....	1014
committee of whole; ordered to third reading April 11.....	1044
tabled April 12.....	1093
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned May 8.....	1401
588. Not received.	
589. Not received.	
590. Not received.	

591. Not received.	
592. Not received.	
593. A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 8 of act No. 312 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate the manner of electing trustees in school district No. 17 of the city of Jackson and township of Blackman," approved May 24, 1883, and to add six new sections thereto to stand as sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of said act :	
received ; referred to committee on education and public schools May 25.....	1643
file No. 373.	
committee of whole discharged ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned May 27.....	1690
594. A bill to repeal act No. 306 of the local acts of the State of Michigan of 1850, being an act entitled an act to incorporate the Lawrence library institute association :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages March 5.....	655
requested by House ; committee discharged March 11	710
returned ; returned March 11.....	712
received ; recommitted March 14.....	744
reported ; ordered to third reading March 16.....	765
passed ; immediate effect ; returned March 17	790
595. A bill to repeal act No. 200 of the local acts of the State of Michigan of 1850, being an act entitled an act to vacate the south half of block No. 8 in the village of Lawrence, in the county of Van Buren :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages March 5.....	655
requested by House ; committee discharged March 11	710
reported ; returned March 11.....	712
received ; recommitted March 14	744
reported ; ordered to third reading March 16	765
passed ; immediate effect ; returned March 17.....	790
596. A bill providing for the employment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the 13th judicial circuit, State of Michigan :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary April 23	1214
file No. 314.	
reported ; ordered to third reading June 10.....	1870
passed ; immediate effect ; returned June 14.....	1919
597. Not received.	
598. A bill to provide for blowers in establishments where emery wheels or emery belts are used :	
received ; referred to committee on labor April 20.....	1192
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reported ; general order May 4.....	1418
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passed ; returned May 26	1670
599. See No. 509.	
600. A bill to fix the per diem compensation of members of the State Legislature from the Upper Peninsula for and during the session of 1887 :	
reported ; referred to committee on appropriations and finance May 27	1686
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reported ; general order June 21.....	2045
committee of whole discharged ; not passed ; reconsidered ; tabled June 23	2183
taken up ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned June 24.....	2241
601. Not received.	
602. Not received.	
603. A bill to amend act No. 311 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to repeal act No. 250 of the session laws of 1871, entitled 'An act to incorporate the village of Williamston,' and to re-incorporate the village of Williamston under the general law," approved May 24, 1883 by adding a new section thereto, to stand as section 8 :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages March 3.....	637
reported ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned March 16.....	765
604. Not received.	
605. Not received.	

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606. A bill to amend sections 5, 17, 22 and 23 of act No. 161 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide a police court for the city of Detroit," approved June 9, 1885, and to add one section thereto to stand as section 26:	
received; tabled June 23	2128
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned June 24	2210
607. Not received.	
608. Not received.	
609. A bill to make an appropriation for marking by monuments the places where the 1st, 3d, 4th, 5th, 7th, 16th and 24th Michigan Infantry, the 1st, 5th, 6th, and 7th Michigan Cavalry, the 9th Battery, "I" Michigan Artillery, and Companies "C," "I," and "K" of the 1st Regiment of U. S. S., and Company "B," 2d Regiment of U. S. S., known as Berdan's Michigan Sharpshooters, or any other command of Michigan volunteers who fought upon the battlefield of Gettysburg, and providing for the erection of the same:	
received; referred to committee on military affairs May 12.....	1509
file No. 354.	
reported; referred to committee on appropriations and finance June 10.....	1886
reported; passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned June 15.....	1942
610. Not received.	
611. A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 7 of act 227 of the session laws of 1885, being "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relating thereto:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 25.....	1363
file No. 322.	
reported; general order May 12.....	1500
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 1	1709
passed; returned June 2.....	1731
612. Not received.	
613. Not received.	
614. A bill to provide for the conveyance of railroad franchises and property in certain cases:	
received; printed in Journal; referred to committee on railroads March 10.....	701
reported substitute; printed for committee March 16.....	767
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reported; ordered to third reading March 18	794
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 18.....	804
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reported enrolled March 19.....	815
approved March 21.....	817
615. A bill to require the Erie and Kalamazoo Railroad Company to operate and maintain, or to abandon its line of road between Palmyra Junction and the city of Adrian:	
received; referred to committee on railroads April 13.....	1082
file No. 279.	
reported; general order April 22.....	1206
committee of whole; ordered to third reading April 27.....	1367
passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned May 6.....	1459
616. Not received.	
617. See No. 304.	
618. Not received.	
619. Not received.	
620. A bill to amend section 15 of act No. 172 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to amend sections 10 and 12 of chapter 268, compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 8135 and 8137, as amended by act 81, public acts of 1877, relative to the Reform School, being sections 9817 and 9819 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of 1882, and to add a new section to stand as section 15:"	
received; referred to committee on Reform school May 3.....	1409
file No. 337.	
reported; general order May 25	1653
621. A bill to amend section 35 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of villages, being act No. 168 of the session laws of 1857, the same being compiler's section	

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3333 of the compiled laws of 1871, and section 3017 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to duplicate tax rolls in villages :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages March 22.....	850
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reported ; general order March 25	
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passed ; immediate effect ; returned March 30.....	904
622. Not received.	
623. Not received.	
624. Not received.	
625. A bill to authorize the village of Newaygo, in the county of Newaygo, to borrow money to make public improvements in said village :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages June 2	1727
reported ; tabled June 3	1766
taken up ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned June 4	1780
626. A bill to appoint commissioners and provide for laying out and establishing a State road in the county of Newaygo, and to make an appropriation of one-half a section of State swamp land per mile for constructing and improving the same, and to provide that the highway money taxes assessed and levied upon all lands situated within two miles on each side of said road shall be used in constructing and improving said road for a period of five years from the passage of this bill, and to provide for raising and expending certain necessary funds therefor :	
received ; tabled June 2.....	1724
file No. 418.	
taken up ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned June 2.....	1728
627. A bill to amend sections 1, 3, 4, 23 and 28 of title 2, sections 3, 9, 10, 11 and 27 of title 3, sections 5, 11, 13, 26, 31, 32 and 33 of title 4, sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 18 of title 5, sections 2, 6, 10, 17, 23, 29, 30, 36 and 37 of title 6, sections 1 and 2 of title 9, sections 12, 13, 24 and 29 of title ten of an act entitled " An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, being amendatory of an act entitled ' An act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids,' approved April 2, 1850, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 29, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof ; and to repeal sections 7 and 8 of title 2, section 19 of title 3, and sections 27, 28, 29 and 30 of title 4 of said act, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to add to title 6 of said act 7 new sections to stand and be known and numbered as sections 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 of said title 6, respectively, and to add to title 10 of said act a new section, to stand and be known and numbered as section 30 of said title 10 ; and to provide that the section of said act now known and numbered as section 30 of title 10 of said act shall hereafter stand and be known and numbered as section 31 of title 10 of said act :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages March 17.....	779
reported ; considered as in committee of whole ; ordered to third reading.....	906
tabled April 8	908
taken up ; passed ; title amended ; immediate effect ; returned April 14.....	1120
628. A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 21 and 23 of act 321 of the session laws of 1873, entitled " An act to authorize a board of public works in and for the city of Grand Rapids," approved March 22, 1873, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to add to said act a new section to be known and numbered as section 24 of said act :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages May 5	1441
file No. 350.	
reported ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned May 11	1478
629. Not received.	
630. A bill to amend sections 11, 13 and 19 of act No. 331, entitled " An act to revise an act entitled ' An act relative to free schools in the city of Grand Rapids,' " approved March 15, 1871, as amended by an act approved April 24, 1875, approved May 9, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof :	
received ; tabled ; printed in Journal April 19.....	1173
taken up ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned April 22.....	1223

631. Not received.	
632. A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of Battle Creek :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21.....	402
reported ; passed ; title amended ; immediate effect ; returned March 23	388
633. Not received.	
634. Not received.	
635. A bill to prohibit appeals from orders of probate courts removing executors, administrators, guardians and trustees in certain cases :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary March 22	853
file No. 207.	
reported ; general order May 13	1516
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading June 2	1745
passed ; returned 3	1760
636. Not received.	
637. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 132 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to secure the minority of stockholders in corporations organized under general laws, the power of electing a representative membership in boards of directors," by excepting clubs formed for social, yachting, hunting, boating and rowing purposes :	
received ; referred to committee on banks and incorporations April 14	1118
file No. 208.	
reported ; general order April 29	1387
committee of whole ; stricken out ; title &c. tabled May 18	1567
taken up ; reconsidered ; passed ; title amended : immediate effect ; returned May 19	1589
638. A bill to amend sections 3 and 7 of act No. 37 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the Grand Army of the Republic, department of Michigan, and subordinate posts of the Grand Army of the Republic," approved April 21, 1883 :	
received ; referred to committee on military affairs April 22	1215
file No. 319.	
reported ; general order April 27	1361
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading June 1	1710
passed ; immediate effect ; returned June 2	1730
639. Not received.	
640. Not received.	
641. A bill to detach certain territory from the Union School district of the city of Owosso, Shiawassee county, Michigan :	
received ; referred to committee on education and public schools March 17	779
file No. 184.	
committee discharged March 28	900
reported ; passed ; table pending immediate effect ; returned March 28	901
taken up ; immediate effect ; returned March 29	907
642. Not received.	
643. Not received.	
644. A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 240 of the session laws of 1881, being section 9053 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to fees of officers and ministers of justice in criminal cases :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary April 12	1086
file No. 250.	
reported ; general order May 12	1508
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading June 2	1744
not passed ; reconsidered ; tabled June 3	1756
645. A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 4 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor and to repeal all other laws relative thereto :"	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary April 15	1160
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reported ; general order May 12	1500
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647. Not received.	
648. Not received.	
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received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 27.....	1686
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650. A bill to authorize the township of Deep River, Arenac county, to borrow \$3,000 to be used in paying outstanding obligations created by the constructions and improvement of high-ways in and for said township :	
received; referred to committee on counties and townships May 31	1701
reported; passed; immediate effect; returned June 8.....	1840
651. A bill to authorize the city of Ionia to borrow money for public improvements :	
received; tabled June 15	1934
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned June 17.....	1996
652. A bill to amend sections 23, 24, 28, 47, 57, 87, 92, 98, 99 and 101 of act No. 219 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Ionia," approved March 21, 1873, and all acts and parts of acts amendatory of said sections and to add thereto 5 new sections to stand as sections 108, 109, 110, 111 and 112 :	
received; tabled May 20.....	1599
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653. Not received.	
654. Not received.	
655. Not received.	
656. A bill to organize a medical corps of the Michigan State troops :	
received; referred to committee on military affairs April 7	938
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committee of whole discharged; referred to committee on military affairs June 6.....	1791
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657. Not received.	
658. Not received.	
659. A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act 179 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate the width of wagon tires to be used with lumber wagons," approved June 8, 1883 :	
received; referred to committee on roads and bridges April 7.....	984
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661. Not received.	
662. Not received.	
663. Not received.	
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665. Not received.	
666. Not received.	
667. A bill to amend sections 3 and 7 of title 1, sections 221 and 38 of title 2, sections 2 and 10 of title 3, sections 4, 9, 11, 12, 13, 18 and 19 of title 5, and to enact and add a new section to be known as section 55 to title 5 of an act entitled "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw, and to repeal act No. 496 of the laws of 1867, entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw," approved February 5, 1859, being act No. 227 of the laws of 1883, approved March 16, 1883, and section 5 of title 1 of said act as amended by section 1 of an act entitled "An act to amend act No. 227 of the laws of 1883, entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw, and to repeal act No. 496 of the laws of 1867, entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Saginaw, approved February 5, 1859, approved March 16, 1883, being act No. 338 of the laws of 1885, approved April 29, 1885: " received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 14.....	734
requested by house; committee discharged March 24.....	906
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668. A bill to amend section 12 of act No. 266 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the village of Hudson," and all subsequent amendments of said section : received; passed; immediate effect; returned Feb. 22.....	368
669. Not received.	
670. A bill to prohibit the destruction of fish in Hogsett lake in the township of Portage, and Gourd Neck lake in the townships of Portage and Schoolcraft in Kalamazoo county: received; referred to committee on fisheries April 23.....	1844
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reported; general order May 6.....	1449
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reported; passed; immediate effect; returned April 7.....	991
672. Not received.	
673. Not received.	

674. Not received.	
675. Not received.	
676. Not received.	
677. A bill to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and provide for the carrying, yarding and feeding of so-called Texas cattle, while in transit into or across this State, between the first day of April and the first day of November of each year," approved June 16, 1885:	
received; referred to committee on State affairs March 19.....	818
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reported; passed; immediate effect; returned March 30.....	913
678. Not received.	
679. Not received.	
680. Not received.	
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682. Not received.	
683. Not received.	
684. Not received.	
685. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 168, session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 of an act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders," approved April 29, 1873, as amended by an act to amend section 1 of said act, approved March 19, 1875, the same being sections 9894, 9895, 9896, 9897, 9898, 9899 of Howell's Annotated Statutes:	
received; referred to committee on State affairs April 22.....	1211
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686. Not received.	
687. Not received.	
688. Not received.	
689. A bill to authorize the village of Cedar Springs, in the county of Kent, to borrow money to make public improvements in said village:	
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690. A bill to revise the charter of the city of Muskegon and to define the boundaries of said city.	
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received; referred to committee on public lands May 5.....	1440
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reported; general order May 19.....	1563
committee of whole discharged; passed; immediate effect; returned June 24.....	2209
692. A bill to amend section 15 of article 4 of act No. 198, session laws of 1873, entitled An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State, and the several acts amendatory thereof, being compiler's section 3377 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, as amended by act No. 234, public acts of 1885, approved June 10, 1885:	
received; referred to committee on railroads May 5.....	1437
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reported amended; reprinted; general order May 11.....	1480
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received; referred to committees on counties and townships and cities and villages	
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reported; ordered to third reading March 10.....	687
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taken up; passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned March 17.....	783
694. Not received.	
695. Not received.	
696. Not received.	
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698. Not received.	
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701. Not received.	
702. Not received.	
703. Not received.	
704. A bill to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act relative to the costs of proceedings in criminal cases," approved March 13, 1849, being section 7490 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 213, session laws of 1879, being compiler's section 9065, Howell's Annotated Statutes:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary March 30.....	961
file No. 261.	
reported; general order May 13.....	1514
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 2.....	1744
passed; returned June 3.....	1756
705. A bill to amend section 15, chapter 179, compiled laws of 1871, relative to criminal proceedings before justices of the peace; as amended by act No. 169, session laws of 1877, being compiler's section 7106, Howell's Annotated Statutes:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary March 30.....	961
file No. 249.	
reported; general order May 13.....	1514
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 2.....	1744
passed; returned June 3.....	1756
706. Not received.	
707. A bill to authorize the formation of corporations for the purpose of draining, excavating, constructing and maintaining water courses with water power appurtenant thereto, for accumulating, storing, conducting, selling, furnishing and supplying, upon an agreed rental water and water power for mining, milling, manufacturing, domestic, municipal and agricultural purposes and for purposes of navigation:	
received; tabled May 24.....	1619
taken up; referred to committee on canals, etc., May 24.....	1621
reported; tabled June 10.....	1868
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned June 10.....	1891
708. Not received.	
709. A bill to require railroad companies to give notice at stations whether passenger trains are on regular schedule time or not:	
received; referred to committee on railroads April 7.....	936
file No. 277.	
reported; tabled June 20.....	2063
710. Not received.	
711. Not received.	
712. A bill to repeal sections 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of article 16 of act No. 348 of the session laws of 1869, being an act entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Fenton," and to amend sec-	

tion 7 of article 6, section 3 of article 16, section 4 of article 17 and section 1 of article 26 of act No. 348 of the session laws of 1869, being an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Fenton," and sections 2 and 8 of article 6 of act No. 348 of the session laws of 1869, being an act entitled "An act to re-incorporate the village of Fenton," as amended by act No. 263 of the local acts of 1879, being an act entitled "An act to amend section 3 of article 6, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 8 of act No. 348 of the session laws of 1869, approved March 28, 1869, entitled 'An act to re-incorporate the village of Fenton:'"	
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 11	1049
reported; passed; immediate effect; returned April 20.....	1179
713. Not received.	
714. Not received.	
715. Not received.	
716. Not received.	
717. Not received.	
718. Not received.	
719. A bill to provide for the incorporation of central and local associations of mint growers:	
received; referred to committee on banks and incorporations May 20.....	1610
file No. 387.	
reported; tabled June 8.....	1838
taken up; read third time; tabled June 8.....	1831
taken up; recommitted June 9.....	1864
reported; ordered to third reading June 17.....	1866
passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned June 22.....	2119
720. Not received.	
721. A bill authorizing the township of Portland, Ionia county, to borrow money to be used in the construction of a bridge, and to issue bonds therefor:	
received; referred to committee on counties and townships May 25	1638
reported; tabled May 25.....	1657
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned May 25.....	1661
722. A bill to authorize the city of Stanton, in the county of Montcalm, to borrow money to make public improvements in said city:	
received; referred to committee on cities and villages June 13	1901
reported; passed; immediate effect; returned June 14	1920
723. A bill to authorize the village of Sturgis, in the county of St. Joseph, to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor, and to provide for the levy of taxes therein to pay the same:	
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reported; tabled June 17.....	1966
taken up; ordered to third reading June 17.....	2001
passed; immediate effect; returned June 18.....	2023
724. Not received.	
725. Not received.	
726. Not received.	
727. Not received.	
728. Not received.	
729. Not received.	
730. Not received.	
731. Not received.	
732. A bill to lay out and establish a State road along or near the principal base line of Bois Blanc island in the county of Mackinac, from the eastern to the western terminus of said line, and appropriating swamp lands upon said island for the construction thereof:	
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reported; general order June 10.....	1887
committee of whole; ordered to third reading June 15.....	1940
passed; immediate effect; returned June 21.....	2069
733. Not received.	

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734. A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 1 of act No. 223 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of St. Ignace," approved March 14, 1883:	
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 25	1643
file No. 410.	
reported; general order June 2.....	1721
committee of whole discharged; passed; immediate effect; returned June 2	1729
735. Not received.	
736. Not received.	
737. Not received.	
738. Not received.	
739. A bill to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of co-operative and mutual benefit associations, and to define the powers and duties, and regulate the transaction of the business of all such corporations and associations doing business within this State:	
received; referred to committee on insurance May 18.....	1569
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reported amended; printed for committee May 27.....	1684
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received with amendments to amendments; concurrence, non-concurrence and reconsideration; returned June 10.....	1886
740. Not received.	
741. A bill to amend section 6326 Howell's Annotated Statutes, being section 5072 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to courts of chancery:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 14.....	1119
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742. A bill to amend section 6726 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 91 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 15, 1873, being section 8314 of Howell's Annotated Statutes relative to the action for causing death by wrongful act, neglect or default:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary June 1	1706
file No. 404.	
reported; general order June 2.....	1730
743. A bill to amend sections 5 and 6 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1877, as amended by act No. 288 of the session laws of 1881, and to amend the title to said original act, being an act entitled "An act to provide for a tax upon dogs, and to create a fund for the payment of certain damages for sheep killed or wounded by them in certain cases," approved May 23, 1887, the same being compiler's paragraphs 2127 and 2128, chapter 61, of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan:	
received; referred to committee on agricultural interests June 16.....	1962
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744. Not received.	
745. Not received.	
746. Not received.	
747. A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the judges of probate of certain counties to appoint a register," approved March 30, 1869, as amended, being compiler's section 535 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan, as amended by section 1 of act No. 229 of the laws of 1885, approved June 20, 1885:	
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748. A bill to authorize the city of Saginaw to purchase and maintain the State road bridge across the Tittabawassee River, in the county of Saginaw, and the approaches and appurtenances thereto for a free public highway, and to issue bonds for that purpose, and to authorize any township or townships in Saginaw county to contract with said city for the purpose of aiding said city in such purchase and maintenance, and to authorize such townships to raise money by taxation, and to issue bonds for such purpose:	

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749. A bill to authorize Edwin A. Bullard to build and maintain a dam across Cass river :	
received ; referred to committee on State affairs May 3.....	1409
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750. Not received.	
751. Not received.	
752. Not received.	
753. Not received.	
754. A bill to amend section 2 of title 23 of act No. 302 of the session laws of 1875, entitled " An act to amend an act entitled ' An act to revise the charter of the city of Holland, ' being amendatory to an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Holland, " approved March 25, 1867, approved March 23, 1871, which became a law April 2, 1873, approved April 1, 1875, as amended by act No. 268 of the session laws of 1877, approved March 22, 1877, as amended by act No. 337 of the session laws of 1885, approved April 29, 1885 :	
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756. Not received.	
757. Not received.	
758. Not received.	
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760. Not received.	
761. Not received.	
762. A bill to regulate the employment of labor in prisons :	
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773. Not received.	
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775. Not received.	
776. Not received.	
777. Not received.	
778. Not received.	
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788. Not received.	
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791. Not received.	
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received; passed; immediate effect; returned March 10	700
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796. Not received.	
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reported; general order June 18	2027
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800. Not received.	
801. Not received.	
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804. Not received.	
805. Not received.	
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807. A bill to change the several names of Peter Curtis, Clarisse Curtis, Peter Curtis, jr., Eva Curtis, Mari Blanche Curtis and Sophia Curtis to Peter Couture, Clarisse Couture, Peter Couture, jr., Eva Couture, Mari Blanche Couture and Sophia Couture, respectively:	
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received; referred to committee on counties and townships April 22	1219
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809. A bill to amend section 18 of act No. 173 of the session laws of 1855, being section 6829 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relating to justice courts:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 22	1343
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812. Not received.	
813. Not received.	
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822. Not received.	
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received; passed; immediate effect; returned March 29	910
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received; referred to committee on judiciary May 12.....	1506
reported; general order May 25.....	1655
committee of whole discharged; passed; immediate effect; returned June 23.....	2156
828. A bill to amend section 10 of act 131 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Michigan:"	
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reported; general order May 26	1672
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received ; referred to committee on cities and villages June 3	1751
reported ; general order June 3	1755
committee of whole discharged ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned June 21	2061
834. Not received.	
835. Not received.	
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reported ; general order May 18	1554
committee of whole discharged ; ordered to third reading June 20	2036
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837. Not received.	
838. Not received.	
839. Not received.	
840. Not received.	
841. Not received.	
842. Not received.	
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received ; referred to committee on printing March 19	812
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reported ; general order March 23	840
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading March 23	864
passed ; returned March 24	878
844. Not received.	
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received ; referred to committee on judiciary June 1	1706
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reported ; general order June 2	1728
846. Not received.	
847. A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 157 of the session laws of 1851, entitled "An act to define the limits, jurisdiction and power of circuit courts," being compiler's section 6460 of Howell's Annotated Statutes :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary March 22	851
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reported ; general order May 13	1501
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading June 1	1710
passed ; immediate effect ; returned June 2	1738
848. A bill to amend sections 1 and 9 of act No. 136 of the session laws of 1851, entitled An act to define the powers and duties of the boards of supervisors of the several counties and to confer upon them certain local administrative and legislative powers, approved April 8, 1851, being sections 437 and 475 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being compiler's sections 473 and 481 respectively of Howell's Annotated Statutes of Michigan :	
received ; referred to committee on printing June 22	2099
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reported ; tabled June 23	2147

	taken up; passed; returned June 23.....	2184
849.	Not received.	
850.	A bill to provide for the ascertaining, adjudicating and determining who are or were the legal heirs, minor heirs, or legal representatives of certain deceased persons and entitled to the lands of which the said deceased died seized and to repeal act No. 53 of the laws of Michigan of the year 1867, approved March 13, 1867, being compiler's sections 4308, 4309 and 4400 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being sections 5990, 5991 and 5992 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to proceedings to ascertain and determine the heirs of deceased persons:	
	received; referred to committee on judiciary June 16.....	1907
	file No. 478.	
	reported; general order June 17.....	2004
	committee of whole discharged; passed; title amended; returned June 21.....	2009
851.	A bill to provide additional record evidence of the trust capacity of executors, administrators and guardians in certain cases:	
	received; referred to committee on judiciary June 2.....	1724
	file No. 400.	
	reported; general order June 7.....	1813
852.	A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of act No. 280 of the local acts of 1879, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Petoskey," approved February 27, 1879, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 8:	
	received; passed; immediate effect; returned May 6.....	1453
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853.	A bill to amend section 48 of chapter 7, and section 4 of chapter 16 of act No. 390 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885:	
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	reported; tabled June 23.....	2004
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854.	A bill to provide for keeping clear of obstructions, open and in good condition and repair all ditches in this State constructed under the authority of the board of control, having charge of the drainage and reclamation of swamp lands by means of State roads and ditches, or ditches constructed by aid of State swamp lands:	
	received; referred to committee on State affairs June 16.....	1907
	file No. 480.	
	reported; general order June 18.....	2011
	committee of whole discharged; passed; immediate effect; returned June 24.....	2219
855.	Not received.	
856.	Not received.	
857.	A bill to change the boundaries of school district No. 1, in the township of Fayette and fractional school district No. 12, in the townships of Adams, Moscow and Fayette, in the county of Hillsdale:	
	received; referred to committee on education and public schools April 7.....	933
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	reported; general order April 8.....	936
	committee of whole discharged; recommitted April 11.....	1045
	reported; tabled April 29.....	1264
858.	Not received.	
859.	Not received.	
860.	Not received.	
861.	A bill to authorize the Central Michigan Agricultural Society to sell and convey its real estate and provide what proceedings shall be necessary therefor:	
	received; referred to committee on agricultural interests March 23.....	859
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reported ; general order March 26	890
committee of whole ; stricken out April 14.....	
863. A bill to punish a male person above 14 years of age for indecent and improper liberties taken with a female child under 14 years of age :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary March 19	812
file No. 180.	
reported ; general order May 5.....	1429
committee of whole ; ordered to third reading May 24.....	1630
passed ; title amended ; returned May 25.....	1650
864. Not received.	
865. Not received.	
866. A bill to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties and to punish offenses committed thereat :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary June 1.....	1704
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reported ; general order June 2.....	1723
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received ; referred to committee on cities and villages June 1.....	1706
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reported ; general order June 21	2051
committee of whole discharged ; passed ; returned June 22.....	2108
868. A bill to amend section 10 of an act entitled an act to provide for the taking of private property for the public use and for the opening, extending, widening and straightening of streets and alleys in the city of Detroit and to repeal act No. 281 of the session laws of 1883, being an act entitled an act to provide for the taking of private property for the public use and for opening of streets and alleys by the city of Detroit, being act No. 364 of the local acts of 1885, approved May 14, 1885 :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages June 23.....	2124
reported ; tabled June 23.....	2145
869. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 90 of the session laws of 1883, entitled an act to amend the laws relative to supplying the city of Detroit with pure and wholesome water and to provide for the completion and management of the Detroit water-works, approved February 14, 1883, as amended by act No. 359 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 12, 1873 :	
received ; referred to committee on cities and villages June 16.....	1986
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taken up ; passed ; immediate effect ; returned June 18.....	2016
870. Not received.	
871. A bill to amend section 8218 of Howell's compilation, being section 6630 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 63 of the session laws of 1883, relative to proceedings by and against public bodies having certain corporate powers, and by and against officers representing them :	
received ; referred to committee on judiciary May 17.....	1547
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reported; general order June 15.....	1937
file No. 482.	
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received; amendments non-concurred in; reconsidered; passed; immediate effect; returned June 21.....	2008
874. Not received.	
875. A bill to authorize the common council of the village of Sheridan, in Montcalm county, to prescribe by ordinance from time to time, limits of districts within which wooden buildings and structures shall not be erected, placed or enlarged:	
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876. Not received.	
877. Not received.	
878. Not received.	
879. Not received.	
880. Not received.	
881. Not received.	
882. Not received.	
883. A bill to amend section 75 of act No. 153, laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property, and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary June 15.....	1936
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884. Not received.	
885. Not received.	
886. Not received.	
887. A bill to amend section 67 of act No. 153 of the laws of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon," approved June 9, 1885:	
received; referred to committee on judiciary June 15.....	1936
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888. A bill to change the termination of the fiscal year of the State from September 30 to June 30:	
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902.	Not received.	
903.	Not received.	
904.	A bill to amend sections 4, 87 and 215 of act No. 215, session laws of 1839, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Owosso," approved February 15, 1839, and all subsequent amendments of said sections:	
	received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 5	1441
	reported; passed; immediate effect; returned May 6	1453
905.	Not received.	
906.	Not received.	
907.	Not received.	
908.	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of mutual fire insurance companies, and defining their powers and duties, and to repeal chapter 97 of the compiled laws of 1871, and also act No. 94 of the session laws of 1871, approved April 12, 1871," approved April 15, 1873, by adding a new section thereto to stand as section 23:	

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912. Not received.	
913. Not received.	
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5. Not received.
6. Joint resolution authorizing certain Ottawa county scrip to be used in locating swamp lands in any of the counties of the Lower Peninsula :

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